

Chester County Coroner's Office

2016 Statistics

Manner of Death	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Natural	89	71	67	75	55	71	57	70	76	76	77	104	888
Accidental*	12	12	23	14	16	15	8	6	20	22	12	17	177
Suicide*	5	5	4	8	7	6	5	5	3	6	3	7	64
Homicide*	1	0	1	0	3	1	0	1	3	1	0	1	12
Undetermined	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4
Pending	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bones	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total # of cases	108	89	96	98	81	93	70	83	102	105	92	129	1,146

*see detailed information below

Cremation Requests	193	217	216	172	170	174	160	214	180	195	196	247	2,334
Autopsy Performed	16	15	24	20	20	21	9	18	21	26	10	20	220
Toxicology Draws only	4	6	8	3	5	3	3	4	9	8	3	11	67

Accidental	
Drug Overdose	98
Falls	35
MVA's	33
Choking	2
Drowning	2
Asphyxia	1
Smoke/Soot	2
Other	2
Falling Objects	2
Total	177

Homicide	
Firearms	7
Stabbing	2
Blunt force injuries	3
Total	12

Undetermined	
Natural	2
Undetermined	2
Total	4

Suicide	
Firearms	29
Hanging	16
Drug Overdose	8
Asphyxiation	5
Stepped into Traffic	2
Carbon Monoxide	2
Cold Exposure	1
Self Inflicted Wounds	1
Total	64