



Lehigh County Coroner's Office & Forensics Center



2024 Monthly Statistical Analysis

| | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Total |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|----------|----------|-------------|
| Jurisdictional | 72 | 71 | 85 | 61 | 82 | 85 | 71 | 68 | 64 | 81 | 0 | 0 | 740 |
| Jurisdictional Case Breakdown | Natural | 35 | 36 | 36 | 30 | 37 | 39 | 39 | 28 | 27 | 32 | | 339 |
| | Accident | 34 | 30 | 44 | 28 | 33 | 39 | 28 | 28 | 25 | 31 | | 320 |
| | Suicide | 2 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 9 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 11 | | 49 |
| | Homicide | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | | 10 |
| | Undetermined | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | | 3 |
| | Other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 1 |
| | Pending | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 6 | 6 | | 18 |
| | Autopsy | 11 | 5 | 5 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 9 | 14 | 14 | 13 | | 103 |
| | Randox Toxicology | 18 | 23 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 7 | 9 | 5 | 9 | | 112 |
| | Outsourced Toxicology | 1 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 9 | 7 | 4 | 8 | 7 | | 48 |
| Non-Jurisdictional | 366 | 321 | 376 | 330 | 297 | 301 | 316 | 301 | 281 | 320 | | 3209 | |
| Cremation Requests | 319 | 290 | 301 | 275 | 282 | 269 | 273 | 230 | 255 | 270 | | 2764 | |
| Total Cases | 757 | 682 | 762 | 666 | 661 | 655 | 660 | 599 | 600 | 671 | 0 | 0 | 6713 |
| Organ Donor Program | 9 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 12 | 13 | 9 | 10 | 5 | | | 86 |
| Unclaimed Decedents | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | 0 |

Manner of Death Breakdown

| Homicide | | 10 | |
|----------|---|---------------|---|
| Firearm | 8 | In County | 9 |
| Fire | 0 | In Allentown | 4 |
| Knife | 0 | Out of County | 1 |
| Assault | 1 | | |
| Beating | 0 | | |
| Other | 1 | | |

| Suicide | | 49 | |
|---------|----|-----------------|---|
| Firearm | 31 | Hanging | 7 |
| Burns | 0 | Asphyxia | 1 |
| Knife | 0 | Carbon Monoxide | 0 |
| Jump | 4 | Drug | 5 |
| Train | 0 | Other | 1 |

| Accident | | 320 | |
|-----------------|-----|---------------|----|
| Fall | 147 | Drug | 88 |
| MVA | 52 | Fire / Burns | 13 |
| Choking | 5 | Exposure | 2 |
| Industrial | 0 | Water Related | 4 |
| Carbon Monoxide | 1 | Aircraft | 0 |
| Other | 8 | | |

| Other | | 1 | |
|-----------------|---|--------------|---|
| Bones / Remains | 1 | Fetal Demise | 0 |
| Burial / Crypt | 0 | (No Manner) | |
| Other | 0 | | |

| Undetermined | | 3 |
|--------------|---|---|
| Firearm | 1 | |
| Fire | 0 | |
| Knife | 0 | |
| Drug | 0 | |
| C.O. | 0 | |
| Child | 1 | |
| Other | 1 | |

