

1. HUMAN MORTALITY DATABASE: Note: HMD requires free registration before providing data. The following updates have been added to the database.

- Nov. 9, 2007 - Data for Switzerland updated through 2006.

Data availability: <http://www.mortality.org/Public/DataAvailability.html>

Data access: <http://www.mortality.org/>

2. US DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION REPORT: "Older Adults in Substance Abuse Treatment, 2005," (Drug and Alcohol Services Information System, November 2007, .pdf and HTML format, 4p.).

<http://oas.samhsa.gov/2k7/older/older.cfm>

3. AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS REPORT: "Deaths, Australia, 2006" (November 2007, .pdf format, 94p., with data in .zip compressed Microsoft Excel format for states and territories).

<http://www.abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs@.nsf/DetailsPage/3302.02006?OpenDocument>

4. "Preparation for Retirement: The Haves and Have-Nots," by Colette Thayer (November 2007, .pdf format, 20p.).

http://www.aarp.org/research/financial/retirementsaving/retirement_prep.html

5. "Funeral and Burial Planners Survey," by Lona Choi-Allum (November 2007, .pdf format, 32p.).

http://www.aarp.org/research/endoflife/funeral/funeral_survey.html