

Allegheny County Office of the Medical Examiner
Operating Statistics
For the Period: January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017
MEIMS Data as of: January 4, 2018

2017 LABORATORY OPERATIONS			
LABORATORY			12,046
ENVIRONMENTAL			6,334
2017 MORGUE OPERATIONS			
Case Disposition			2017
	Morgue Cases		1,641
	Issue Cases		974
	Issue Cases Storage		41
	No Jurisdiction		7,445
	No Jurisdiction Storage		154
	Out of County / from other Counties		28
	Unknown Bones/Tissue		11
	Donor After Cardiac Death		4
	Recovery Tissue/Organ		4
Grand Total Cases			10,302
Autopsy by Exam Type			
	Morgue	Out of County	Total
Complete	1,179	25	1,204
External	417	2	419
Head	35		35
Other	6		6
Grand Total	1,637	27	1,664
Autopsy by Manner of Death			
	Morgue	Out of County	Total
Accident	756	18	774
Homicide	110	1	111
Natural	352	3	355
Pending	197	1	198
Suicide	205	3	208
Undetermined	17	1	18
Grand Total	1,637	27	1,664

Autopsy Cases by Cause of Death	Morgue	Out of County	Total
Asphyxiation	23		23
Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Disease			
Blunt Force Trauma	114	11	125
Burns			
Cirrhosis	5		5
CO / Smoke Inhalation			
Complication of Medical Therapy			
Drowning	11	1	12
Drugs and/or Poisoning	640	5	645
Electrocution	2		2
Environmental	1		1
Firearm or Explosion	186	2	188
Gastrointestinal Hemorrhage			
Hanging	60	1	61
HASCVD	81	1	82
Intracerebral hemorrhage-natural	1		1
Natural Process or Disease	154	1	155
Neoplasm	2		2
Other	145	4	149
Other, Non-Natural			
Pending	189	1	190
Pleural or peritoneal hemorrhage-natural	1		1
Pneumonia			
Sepsis			
Sharp force/incised			
SIDS	1		1
Stabbing			
Strangulation (manual)			
Thermal/Fire Related Inhalation Injuries	14		14
Undetermined	6		6
Unknown	1		1
Total	1,637	27	1,664