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There were a few deaths of unknown sex for this year and age group. Deaths of unknown sex numbered less than 10 (across all ages) for all years except 1986 (20 deaths of unknown sex, representing less than 0.1% of all deaths in 1986). We redistributed the deaths of unknown sex proportionately based on the observed sex distribution of deaths where sex was known (within this year and age group). Most deaths of unknown sex were also of unknown age (e.g., 18 out of 20 in 1986).