

Regional Suicide Data, USA, 1990-2017

NUMBER OF SUICIDES				
Year	WEST	SOUTH	MIDWEST	NORTHEAST
1990	7,550	11,404	7,038	4,914
1991	7,567	11,375	7,074	4,794
1992	7,668	11,349	6,754	4,713
1993	7,900	11,662	6,910	4,630
1994	8,024	11,719	6,716	4,683
1995	8,125	11,748	6,729	4,682
1996	7,747	11,712	6,864	4,580
1997	7,825	11,599	6,572	4,539
1998	7,804	11,563	6,608	4,600
1999	7,388	11,181	6,411	4,219
2000	7,293	11,434	6,447	4,176
2001	7,313	12,059	6,936	4,314
2002	8,025	12,193	7,143	4,294
2003	8,234	12,255	6,731	4,264
2004	8,373	12,557	7,114	4,395
2005	8,265	12,664	7,292	4,416
2006	8,413	12,907	7,451	4,529
2007	8,940	13,389	7,515	4,754
2008	9,229	14,020	7,835	4,951
2009	9,671	14,569	7,650	5,019
2010	9,965	14,778	8,211	5,410
2011	10,153	15,265	8,397	5,703
2012	10,438	15,858	8,691	5,613
2013	10,322	16,078	8,941	5,808
2014	11,085	16,652	9,054	5,982
2015	11,313	17,354	9,472	6,054
2016	11,516	17,593	9,778	6,078
2017	12,010	18,500	10,275	6,388

CRUDE SUICIDE RATE				
Year	WEST	SOUTH	MIDWEST	NORTHEAST
1990	14.2	13.3	11.8	9.7
1991	14.0	13.0	11.7	9.4
1992	13.8	12.8	11.1	9.2
1993	14.0	12.9	11.2	8.9
1994	14.0	12.8	10.8	9.0
1995	13.9	12.6	10.8	9.0
1996	13.1	12.4	10.9	8.7
1997	13.0	12.1	10.4	8.6
1998	12.7	11.8	10.4	8.7
1999	11.8	11.3	10.0	7.9
2000	11.5	11.4	10.0	7.8
2001	11.4	11.8	10.7	8.0
2002	12.3	11.8	11.0	7.9
2003	12.5	11.7	10.3	7.9
2004	12.5	11.9	10.9	8.1
2005	12.2	11.8	11.1	8.1
2006	12.2	11.8	11.3	8.3
2007	12.9	12.1	11.3	8.7
2008	13.1	12.5	11.8	9.0
2009	13.6	12.8	11.5	9.1
2010	13.9	12.9	12.3	9.8
2011	14.0	13.2	12.5	10.3
2012	14.2	13.5	12.9	10.1
2013	14.1	13.4	13.2	10.4
2014	14.7	13.9	13.4	10.7
2015	14.9	14.3	14.0	10.8
2016	15.0	14.4	14.4	10.8
2017	15.5	15.0	15.1	11.3

DIVISION	STATES	REGION
Mountain [M]	Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, Wyoming	WEST
Pacific [P]	Alaska, California, Hawaii, Oregon, Washington	
East South Central [ESC]	Alabama, Kentucky, Mississippi, Tennessee	SOUTH
West South Central [WSC]	Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas	
South Atlantic [SA]	Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia	
West North Central [WNC]	Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota	MIDWEST
East North Central [ENC]	Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin	
New England [NE]	Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont	NORTHEAST
Middle Atlantic [MA]	New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania	

"Crude Rate" refers to rates per 100,000 population. "Age-Adjusted Rate" refers to rates that are calculated as if the deaths occurred in a population with the same age structures. As the CDC website explains: "Some injuries occur more often among certain age groups than others. For instance, falls are more common among the elderly than among any other age group. Age adjustment enables you to compare injury rates without concern that differences are because of differences in the age distributions between different populations or for the same population over time." Caution: Crude rates and age-adjusted rates cannot be directly compared to one another (that is crude rates should only be compared to other crude rates and age-adjusted only to age-adjusted).

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