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# State Suicide Rates Among Adolescents and Young Adults Aged 10–24: United States, 2000–2018

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### **Abstract**

Objectives—This report presents suicide death rates among persons aged 10–24 for the United States and by state for 2000 through 2018 and percent change between 3-year periods of 2007–2009 and 2016–2018. Suicide rates are compared among states for 2016–2018.

Methods—Data are from death certificates from all 50 states and the District of Columbia. Suicide rates among persons aged 10–24 per 100,000 population are computed for each year from 2000 through 2018 for the states and years where sufficient cases existed to produce reliable rates. Percent change between 3-year averages of suicide rates for 2007–2009 and 2016–2018 are computed for each area except the District of Columbia. Suicide rates for 2016–2018 are compared among states.

Results—Nationally, the suicide rate among persons aged 10–24 was statistically stable from 2000 to 2007 and then increased 57.4%, from 6.8 per 100,000 in 2007 to 10.7 in 2018. Between 2007–2009 and 2016–2018, suicide rates increased significantly in 42 states, increased nonsignificantly in 8 states, and were not possible to assess in the District of Columbia due to small numbers. Significant increases ranged from 21.7% in Maryland to a more than doubling of the rate in New Hampshire. In 2016–2018, suicide rates for persons aged 10–24 were highest in Alaska, while some of the lowest rates in the country were among states in the Northeast.

**Keywords:** intentional self-harm • underlying cause of death • National Vital Statistics System

## Introduction

Youth suicide has become an increasingly prominent public health issue (1,2). Recent research has documented increases from 2005 to 2017 in serious psychological distress, major depression, and suicidal thoughts and attempts among

adolescents and young adults (3). A recent report from the National Center for Health Statistics found that the suicide death rate among persons aged 10–24 increased 56% from 2007 through 2017 (1). This report extends the previous analysis of deaths by suicide among youth aged 10–24 by including rates for 2018, the latest year for which final mortality data are available, and by presenting suicide numbers and rates for persons aged 10–24 by state where it is possible to provide a statistically reliable rate, from 2000 through 2018. Three-year averages of suicide rates for 2007–2009 are compared with those for 2016–2018 for all states.

# **Data Source and Methods**

Mortality data are from the National Center for Health Statistics' 2000–2018 multiple cause-of-death mortality files (4). Deaths to persons aged 10–24 that were assigned an *International Classification of Diseases, 10th Revision* (5) underlying cause-of-death code for suicide (U03, X60–X84, and Y87.0) were selected. Data are based on 100% of resident deaths registered in the United States.

# Rates and significance testing

The suicide rate is the number of deaths due to suicide to persons aged 10–24 per 100,000 population aged 10–24. Numbers are presented for the areas and years in which suicides numbered at least 10, and rates are computed when suicides numbered at least 20. The District of Columbia had fewer than 10 suicides to persons aged 10–24 for each year of the period, and thus their numbers and rates are suppressed for every year. Population data for 2000 and 2010 are April 1 bridged-race census counts, for 2001–2009 they are July 1 intercensal estimates, and for 2011–2018 they are July 1 postcensal estimates based on the 2010 census.

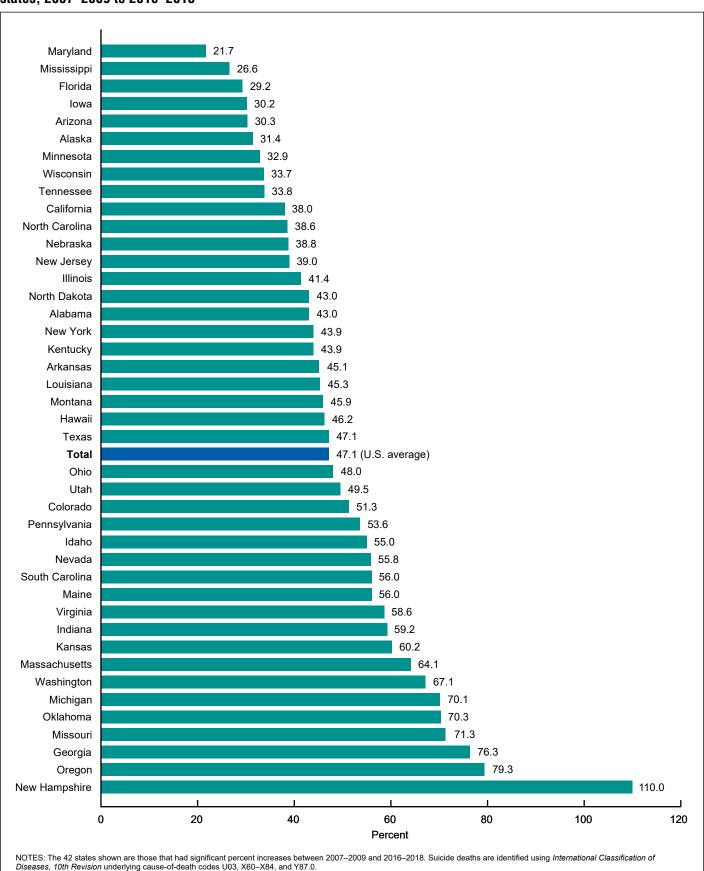




SOURCE: National Center for Health Statistics, National Vital Statistics System, Mortality.

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Figure 1. Percent increase in suicide death rates among persons aged 10–24 years: United States and selected states, 2007–2009 to 2016–2018



Due to small (fewer than 20) single-year numbers in some areas, 3-year averages of suicide rates were computed for the periods 2007-2009 and 2016-2018 to facilitate comparisons in those areas. All of the changes in rates noted in the text were tested for statistical significance. The percent change between 2007-2009 and 2016-2018 was tested using the z test statistic at an alpha level of 0.05 when both rates were based on 100 or more births or a comparison of the 95% confidence limits for rates where one or both were based on fewer than 100 deaths to determine if the limits overlap. More detail on statistical significance tests are published elsewhere (6).

## **Results**

#### Trends in suicide rates

After a period of stability from 2000 to 2007 as shown previously (1), the suicide rate among adolescents and young adults aged 10–24 in the United States increased 57.4% from 6.8 per 100,000 in 2007 to 10.7 in 2018 (Table). When examining the change in rates between 3-year averages of the periods 2007–2009 (7.0) and 2016–2018 (10.3), the national percentage increase was 47.1%. From 2007–2009 to 2016–2018, suicide

rates increased significantly in 42 states. Nonsignificant increases occurred in 8 states. Due to small numbers, trends were not possible to assess in the District of Columbia. Significant increases ranged from 21.7% in Maryland (from 6.0 in 2007–2009 to 7.3 in 2016–2018) to a more than doubling of the rate in New Hampshire (from 7.0 to 14.7) (Figure 1). The majority of states, 32 in total, had significant increases of between 30%–60%.

# State comparisons in suicide rates for 2016–2018

The 2016–2018 suicide rate among persons aged 10–24 was highest for Alaska (31.4 per 100,000) (Figure 2). Other states with among the highest suicide rates were South Dakota (23.6), Montana (23.2), Wyoming (20.5), and New Mexico (19.6). The lowest suicide rates were among states in the Northeast: New Jersey (5.7), Rhode Island (5.9), New York (5.9), Connecticut (6.3), and Massachusetts (6.4). Despite having among the lowest rates, New Jersey had a 39.0% increase between 2007–2009 and 2016–2018, New York had an increase of 43.9%, and Massachusetts had an increase of 64.1%.

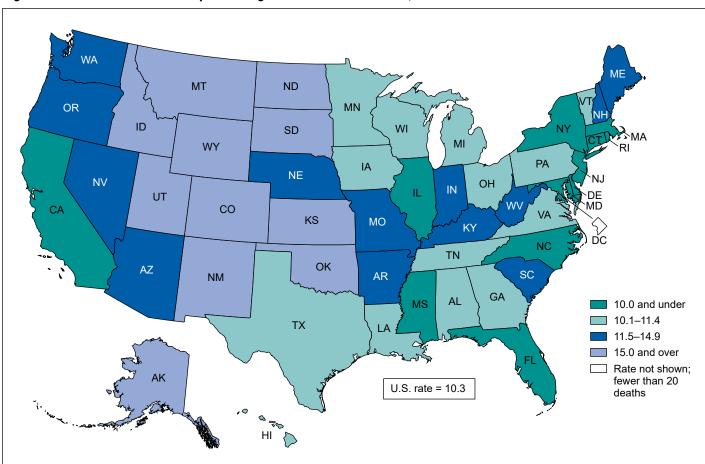


Figure 2. Suicide death rates for persons aged 10-24: United States, 2016-2018

NOTES: Rates are 3-year averages of suicide deaths in 2016–2018 per 100,000 population of persons aged 10–24 in each area. Suicide deaths are identified using *International Classification of Diseases*, 10th Revision underlying cause-of-death codes U03, X60–X84, and Y87.0. SQUIRCE: National Center for Health Statistics. National Center for Health Statistics. National Center for Health Statistics. National Center for Health Statistics.

**Summary** 

Between 2007 and 2018, the national suicide rate among persons aged 10-24 increased 57.4%. The increase was broad, as it was experienced by the majority of states. Forty-two states had significant increases in their suicide rates between 2007–2009 and 2016–2018, and eight states had nonsignificant increases. Most states had increases of between 30%-60%. Suicide rates in 2016–2018 were highest in Alaska and lowest in New Jersey.

A limitation of this report is that the small number of suicides to persons aged 10-24 in some states in a given year can make it difficult to evaluate changes in rates between years. Three-year averages in rates were computed for 2007–2009 and 2016–2018 to facilitate comparisons in areas where single-year comparisons were not possible. Even using 3-year averages, some areas had relatively small numbers, which can result in a lack of the statistical power needed to achieve statistical significance even when the percent change between rates is relatively large. For example, the suicide rate for Delaware increased 48.4% between 2007–2009 and 2016–2018, from 6.2 to 9.2 per 100,000, a percentage increase that was higher than the national average and among the top one-half of percentage increases among states. However, the Delaware rates are based on a relatively small number of deaths for both 3-year periods (34 and 49, respectively), and therefore the increase was not statistically significant. Accordingly, assessment of changes by state should take into account the number of deaths and indications of statistical significance presented in the Table and Figure 1.

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## **Detailed Table**

Suicide death rates among persons aged 10-24: United States, each state and the District of Columbia. 2000-2018 and 3-year averages for 2007–2009 and 2016–2018......

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Table. Suicide death rates among persons aged 10-24: United States, each state and the District of Columbia, 2000-2018 and 3-year averages for 2007-2009 and 2016-2018

										Year										2007-	2016–	Percent change between 2007–2009
Area	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2009	2018	and 2016–2018
Total Number	4,294	4,243	4,270	4,232	4,599	4,482	4,405	4,320	4,513	4,630	4,867	5,104	5,178	5,264	5,515	5,900	6,159	6,769	6,807	13.463	19,735	
Rate	′	6.9	6.9	6.7	7.3	7.0	6.9	6.8	7.0	7.2	7.6	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.5	9.2	9.6	10.6	10.7	7.0	10.3	†47.1
Alabama																						
Number	75 7.9	69 7.2	68 7.0	65 6.7	87 8.9	67 6.8	88 8.9	77 7.8	80 8.0	77 7.7	82 8.2	83 8.3	75 7.5	84 8.5	74 7.5	93 9.6	98 10.2	109 11.4	116 12.2	234 7.9	323 11.3	†43.0
Alaska	- 4			0.5	4-7	0.4			45	0.7	F.4		20					4-7	45	445	4.45	
Number	51 35.0	28 18.4	33 21.0	35 22.0	47 29.0	31 19.1	44 27.1	33 20.6	45 28.3	37 23.7	51 32.4	36 22.6	38 23.7	44 27.0	39 24.1	60 37.6	53 34.1	47 31.1	45 30.2	115 24.2	145 31.8	†31.4
Arizona Number	135	114	142	136	140	163	165	140	130	125	144	156	143	139	153	170	160	179	212	395	551	
Rate		9.9	12.0	11.3	11.4	12.9	12.8	10.6	9.7	9.3	10.6	11.4	10.4	10.0	10.9	12.1	11.3	12.6	14.7	9.9	12.9	†30.3
Arkansas																						
Number	54 9.4	50 8.6	59 10.1	43 7.3	40 6.8	62 10.5	45 7.6	42 7.1	61 10.3	59 9.9	58 9.7	62 10.3	67 11.1	74 12.2	69 11.4	61 10.1	68 11.3	96 16.0	74 12.3	162 9.1	238 13.2	;;; †45.1
California																						
Number	344 4.6	338 4.4	346 4.4	394 5.0	449 5.6	388 4.8	424 5.2	389 4.8	409 5.0	418 5.1	468 5.7	466 5.7	432 5.3	486 6.0	444 5.5	506 6.3	517 6.5	561 7.1	546 7.0	1,216 5.0	1,624 6.9	†38.0
Colorado	00	400	440	07	444	440	400	0.4	440	400	405	400	4.40	4.40	450	400	400	400	005	0.40	<b>-77</b>	
Number	96 10.4	108 11.2	113 11.5	87 8.8	114 11.5	142 14.3	120 12.0	94 9.4	116 11.5	139 13.7	125 12.2	122 11.8	140 13.4	143 13.5	150 13.9	183 16.7	180 16.3	192 17.5	205 18.5	349 11.5	577 17.4	†51.3
Connecticut	0.4	00	0.0	0.4	40	0.5	0.0	00	40	40	00	40	00	00	40	00	07	F.C.	44	440	101	
Number	34 5.3	39 5.9	26 3.8	24 3.5	40 5.7	35 4.9	36 5.0	33 4.6	42 5.8	43 6.0	39 5.4	43 6.0	38 5.3	32 4.4	46 6.3	38 5.3	37 5.2	56 7.9	41 5.8	118 5.5	134 6.3	14.5
Delaware																						
Number	†† *	15 *	12	12	†† *	†† *	14	10	12	12	13	20 10.9	19	15	†† *	21 11.7	13	14	22 12.5	34 6.2	49 9.2	 48.4
District of Columbia																						
Number	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	†† *	13	19 *	*
Florida													<b>.</b>	<b>.</b>								
Number	199 6.6	209 6.7	207 6.4	199 6.0	225 6.6	231 6.6	208 5.9	233 6.5	232 6.5	238 6.6	228 6.4	255 7.1	284 7.8	251 6.9	288 7.9	303 8.4	286 7.9	310 8.5	320 8.7	703 6.5	916 8.4	†29.2

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										Year										2007-	2016–	Percent change between 2007–2009
Area	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2009	2018	and 2016–2018
Georgia																						
Number	143 8.0	149 8.0	111 5.9	135 7.1	143 7.3	116 5.9	105 5.3	108 5.3	124 6.0	132 6.4	152 7.3	133 6.3	137 6.4	163 7.6	153 7.1	198 9.2	233 10.8	213 9.8	229 10.5	364 5.9	675 10.4	 †76.3
Hawaii																						·
Number	19 *	24 9.4	13	17	16 *	11 *	25 9.3	16 *	19 *	27 10.3	31 11.8	38 14.4	25 9.4	31 11.6	29 10.8	41 15.3	31 12.0	35 13.8	21 8.4	62 7.8	87 11.4	 †46.2
Idaho																						
Number	35 11.3	47 14.8	33 10.3	36 11.1	34 10.4	31 9.4	35 10.5	47 13.9	39 11.5	36 10.6	38 11.2	50 14.5	59 17.1	48 13.8	53 15.2	56 15.9	56 15.7	59 16.3	87 23.5	122 12.0	202 18.6	;;; †55.0
Illinois																						
Number Rate	155 5.8	172 6.4	168 6.2	131 4.8	160 5.9	139 5.1	135 5.0	173 6.4	144 5.3	151 5.6	151 5.6	182 6.8	160 6.0	180 6.8	187 7.1	211 8.1	184 7.2	235 9.3	201 8.1	468 5.8	620 8.2	 †41.4
Indiana																						
Number Rate	112 8.5	98 7.3	104 7.7	80 5.9	99 7.2	114 8.3	98 7.1	104 7.6	94 6.8	115 8.3	107 7.8	95 6.9	127 9.2	127 9.1	128 9.2	137 9.9	157 11.4	165 12.0	179 13.0	313 7.6	501 12.1	†59.2
Iowa																						
Number		64 9.9	54 8.3	58 8.9	59 9.0	57 8.8	57 8.8	47 7.4	56 8.8	61 9.6	52 8.2	58 9.1	65 10.2	65 10.1	70 10.8	78 12.0	67 10.3	79 12.1	72 11.1	164 8.6	218 11.2	†30.2
Kansas																						
Number	53 8.8	63 10.3	65 10.5	47 7.6	60 9.7	48 7.8	52 8.4	63 10.3	68 11.2	48 7.9	62 10.2	70 11.4	84 13.7	59 9.5	61 9.8	70 11.2	79 12.8	99 16.1	111 18.1	179 9.8	289 15.7	†60.2
Kentucky																						
Number		60 6.9	73 8.4	81 9.3	75 8.6	62 7.1	75 8.6	77 8.9	58 6.7	79 9.1	62 7.1	76 8.7	97 11.0	92 10.4	76 8.6	105 12.0	103 11.8	92 10.5	114 13.0	214 8.2	309 11.8	;;; †43.9
Louisiana Number Rate	79 7.6	73 7.0	90 8.6	81 7.7	92 8.7	96 9.2	72 7.5	79 8.2	79 8.2	61 6.3	74 7.6	81 8.3	69 7.1	83 8.6	92 9.6	96 10.1	101 10.8	98 10.6	103 11.3	219 7.5	302 10.9	 †45.3
Maine																						
Number		26 10.2	18	15 *	28 10.7	14	14	31 12.1	17 *	16 *	26 10.5	26 10.6	23 9.5	30 12.6	31 13.2	21 9.0	36 15.6	24 10.5	30 13.3	64 8.4	90 13.1	 †56.0
Maryland																						
Number		68 6.2	81 7.2	80 7.0	64 5.5	67 5.7	76 6.4	70 5.9	65 5.5	76 6.5	65 5.5	69 5.9	76 6.5	86 7.4	80 6.8	64 5.5	73 6.3	85 7.4	93 8.2	211 6.0	251 7.3	 †21.7

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Area	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2009	2018	and 2016–2018
Massachusetts																						
Number	56	58	56	51	52	56	46	54	48	55	81	72	80	84	65	82	90	86	82	157	258	
Rate	4.5	4.5	4.3	3.9	3.9	4.2	3.5	4.0	3.6	4.1	6.0	5.4	6.0	6.3	4.8	6.1	6.7	6.4	6.1	3.9	6.4	†64.1
Michigan Number	138	143	150	132	148	140	124	138	146	143	182	169	199	196	211	209	217	212	251	427	680	
Rate	6.5	6.6	6.9	6.0	6.7	6.4	5.7	6.4	6.9	6.8	8.7	8.1	9.6	9.5	10.3	10.3	10.8	10.7	12.8	6.7	11.4	†70.1
Minnesota																						
Number	76	87	92	95	92	105	89	86	90	92	93	101	95	101	119	116	111	123	120	268	354	
Rate	7.1	8.0	8.3	8.5	8.2	9.4	8.0	7.8	8.2	8.5	8.6	9.4	8.9	9.4	11.0	10.7	10.2	11.3	11.0	8.2	10.9	†32.9
Mississippi																						
Number		54 8.1	61 9.1	41 6.1	52 7.8	57 8.6	38 5.8	51 7.8	57 8.8	46 7.1	40 6.2	46 7.1	44 6.8	48 7.5	48 7.5	68 10.8	58 9.3	62 10.0	66 10.7	154 7.9	186 10.0	 †26.6
	0.1	0.1	3.1	0.1	7.0	0.0	5.0	7.0	0.0	7.1	0.2	7.1	0.0	1.5	1.5	10.0	3.3	10.0	10.7	1.5	10.0	120.0
Missouri	104	115	90	93	100	00	111	100	106	06	106	123	122	110	122	140	170	182	185	322	537	
Number		115 9.4	89 7.2	93 7.5	8.0	98 7.8	111 8.9	100 8.0	126 10.2	96 7.8	106 8.6	10.0	9.9	118 9.6	10.0	11.5	14.1	15.2	15.5	322 8.7	14.9	†71.3
Montana																						•
Number	26	21	29	29	27	35	30	23	33	39	34	28	25	42	37	33	47	47	46	95	140	
Rate	13.1	10.4	14.2	14.1	13.1	17.0	14.6	11.4	16.5	19.8	17.4	14.2	12.7	21.0	18.4	16.4	23.5	23.5	22.8	15.9	23.2	†45.9
Nebraska																						
Number		31	27	32	36	30	46	34	36	28	26	27	38	30	40	50	49	53	40	98	142	
Rate	10.7	8.0	6.9	8.1	9.1	7.6	11.7	8.8	9.4	7.3	6.8	7.0	9.9	7.7	10.1	12.5	12.2	13.2	9.9	8.5	11.8	†38.8
Nevada																						
Number		38 9.0	42 9.6	62 13.7	40 8.4	58 11.8	64 12.5	48 9.1	52 9.7	38 7.0	49 9.0	67 12.3	39 7.1	50 9.1	58 10.5	63 11.4	65 11.8	80 14.4	78 13.9	138 8.6	223 13.4	 +EE 0
Rate	10.0	9.0	9.0	13.7	0.4	11.0	12.5	9.1	9.7	7.0	9.0	12.3	7.1	9.1	10.5	11.4	11.0	14.4	13.9	0.0	13.4	†55.8
New Hampshire	40	00	0.5	00	40	47	40	10	47	00	00	07	40	04	00	00	00	40	07	50	444	
Number		29 11.3	25 9.5	22 8.2	18	17	12	16	17	23 8.7	22 8.4	27 10.3	18	21 8.1	32 12.4	20 7.8	32 12.6	42 16.6	37 14.7	56 7.0	111 14.7	†110.0
New Jersey																						1
Number	65	65	53	65	84	75	65	77	66	68	92	85	93	88	94	95	81	108	102	211	291	
Rate	4.1	4.0	3.2	3.9	4.9	4.4	3.8	4.5	3.8	3.9	5.3	4.9	5.4	5.1	5.4	5.5	4.8	6.3	6.1	4.1	5.7	†39.0
New Mexico																						
Number		44	55	59	84	70	68	67	78	75	62	63	67	62	70	80	59	99	90	220	248	
Rate	16.2	10.4	12.8	13.6	19.2	16.0	15.6	15.4	18.0	17.4	14.3	14.5	15.4	14.3	16.2	18.7	13.9	23.4	21.4	16.9	19.6	16.0

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Area	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2009	2018	and 2016–2018
New York																						
Number		179 4.5	194 4.9	161 4.0	179 4.5	173 4.3	152 3.8	153 3.8	154 3.9	190 4.8	189 4.7	230 5.8	219 5.6	187 4.8	205 5.3	191 5.0	224 5.9	218 5.8	213 5.9	497 4.1	655 5.9	;;; †43.9
North Carolina																						
Number		144 8.4	95 5.4	142 8.1	140 7.8	121 6.7	151 8.1	123 6.5	141 7.4	139 7.2	138 7.1	149 7.5	154 7.7	145 7.2	176 8.7	165 8.1	188 9.3	200 9.8	202 9.9	403 7.0	590 9.7	 †38.6
North Dakota																						
Number		10	11	21 13.6	20 12.8	30 19.3	28 18.0	18	16	23 15.7	28 19.1	19	22 14.4	36 22.5	31 19.0	13	28 17.2	32 20.2	28 17.7	57 12.8	88 18.3	†43.0
Ohio																						
Number		165 6.8	168 6.9	139 5.7	199 8.2	187 7.7	183 7.6	178 7.5	202 8.5	157 6.6	193 8.2	211 9.0	197 8.4	180 7.7	197 8.5	224 9.7	215 9.4	268 11.8	271 12.0	537 7.5	754 11.1	†48.0
Oklahoma																						
Number		71 9.1	81 10.3	75 9.5	78 9.9	73 9.3	74 9.4	62 7.9	78 10.0	73 9.3	81 10.3	93 11.7	117 14.6	88 10.9	109 13.5	105 12.9	130 16.1	138 17.1	108 13.4	213 9.1	376 15.5	;;; †70.3
Oregon																						
Number		49 6.7	63 8.5	63 8.4	70 9.4	62 8.3	74 9.9	59 7.9	64 8.5	61 8.1	54 7.2	74 9.8	74 9.8	92 12.2	97 12.9	90 12.0	98 13.0	107 14.1	129 16.9	184 8.2	334 14.7	†79.3
Pennsylvania																						
Number		164 6.6	197 7.8	191 7.5	179 7.0	177 6.9	185 7.2	174 6.7	171 6.6	185 7.2	231 9.0	207 8.1	207 8.2	226 9.0	192 7.8	219 9.0	242 10.0	268 11.2	256 10.8	530 6.9	766 10.6	;;; †53.6
Rhode Island																						
Number		16	11	†† *	15	11	†† *	11	†† *	15 *	12	12	†† *	†† *	16	15	12	18	7 *	35 5.1	37 5.9	 15.7
South Carolina																						
Number		58 6.5	51 5.7	46 5.1	67 7.3	76 8.3	61 6.6	54 5.8	89 9.4	70 7.3	81 8.4	82 8.5	75 7.8	88 9.1	94 9.7	96 9.9	111 11.5	108 11.1	122 12.5	213 7.5	341 11.7	†56.0
South Dakota Number	22	26	24	22	28	27	32	27	36	43	35	29	25	38	32	44	36	45	44	106	125	
Rate		14.8	13.6	12.4	15.8	15.4	18.3	15.7	21.1	25.3	20.7	17.0	14.7	21.9	18.3	25.2	20.4	25.6	24.7	20.7	23.6	14.0
Tennessee																						
Number		89 7.4	74 6.1	86 7.0	103 8.3	92 7.4	98 7.8	86 6.8	103 8.1	117 9.2	111 8.7	91 7.1	97 7.5	116 8.9	128 9.8	131 10.0	134 10.3	142 10.9	139 10.7	306 8.0	415 10.7	 †33.8

Table. Suicide death rates among persons aged 10–24: United States, each state and the District of Columbia, 2000–2018 and 3-year averages for 2007–2009 and 2016–2018—Con.

										Year										2007–	2016–	Percent change between 2007–2009
Area	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2009	2018	and 2016–2018
Texas																						
Number		354 7.2	345 6.8	372 7.3	355 6.8	390 7.4	371 7.0	365 6.8	345 6.3	442 8.0	420 7.5	426 7.5	452 7.9	449 7.7	492 8.3	504 8.4	570 9.5	662 10.9	635 10.4	1,152 7.0	1,867 10.3	 †47.1
Utah																						
Number		65 10.0	61 9.4	80 12.3	66 10.2	66 10.2	60 9.2	71 10.8	78 11.8	71 10.6	78 11.5	77 11.1	87 12.4	95 13.3	109 15.1	123 16.7	111 14.8	135 17.8	133 17.1	220 11.1	379 16.6	; †49.5
Vermont Number Rate	12	12	11	10	†† *	†† *	†† *	12	11 *	†† *	13	17	†† *	15	23 18.3	15	11 *	14	13	30.0 7.7	38.0 10.3	 33.8
Virginia Number Rate		108 7.2	96 6.3	109 7.0	102 6.4	104 6.5	109 6.7	101 6.2	133 8.2	108 6.6	102 6.2	141 8.6	134 8.1	133 8.0	149 9.0	152 9.2	175 10.6	170 10.3	203 12.3	342 7.0	548 11.1	 †58.6
Washington Number		90 7.0	102 7.8	106 8.0	109 8.2	105 7.9	122 9.1	106 7.9	108 8.0	119 8.7	122 9.0	130 9.5	143 10.4	136 9.9	136 9.9	161 11.7	164 11.9	207 15.0	195 14.0	333 8.2	566 13.7	 †67.1
West Virginia Number Rate		20 5.5	51 14.1	36 10.0	41 11.4	32 9.0	22 6.3	33 9.5	30 8.7	29 8.4	22 6.4	38 10.9	42 12.1	26 7.5	48 14.0	30 8.9	34 10.2	33 10.1	46 14.2	92 8.8	113 11.5	 †30.7
Wisconsin Number		100 8.4	112 9.3	103 8.5	111 9.2	104 8.6	71 5.9	110 9.2	80 6.8	104 8.9	113 9.7	124 10.7	108 9.4	107 9.3	127 11.0	122 10.5	143 12.4	126 11.0	114 10.0	294 8.3	383 11.1	 33.7
Wyoming Number		17	24 20.8	19	12	17	13	15	20 17.4	19	26 22.7	19	22 18.9	23 19.5	22 18.7	27 23.2	18	27 23.9	25 22.0	54 15.6	70 20.5	 †31.4

<sup>...</sup> Category not applicable.

<sup>†</sup> Difference in rates is statistically significant at p < 0.05.

<sup>††</sup> Number of deaths fewer than 10.

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate does not meet National Center for Health Statistics standards of reliability or precision; based on fewer than 20 deaths in the numerator.

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