

Firearm Mortality by State

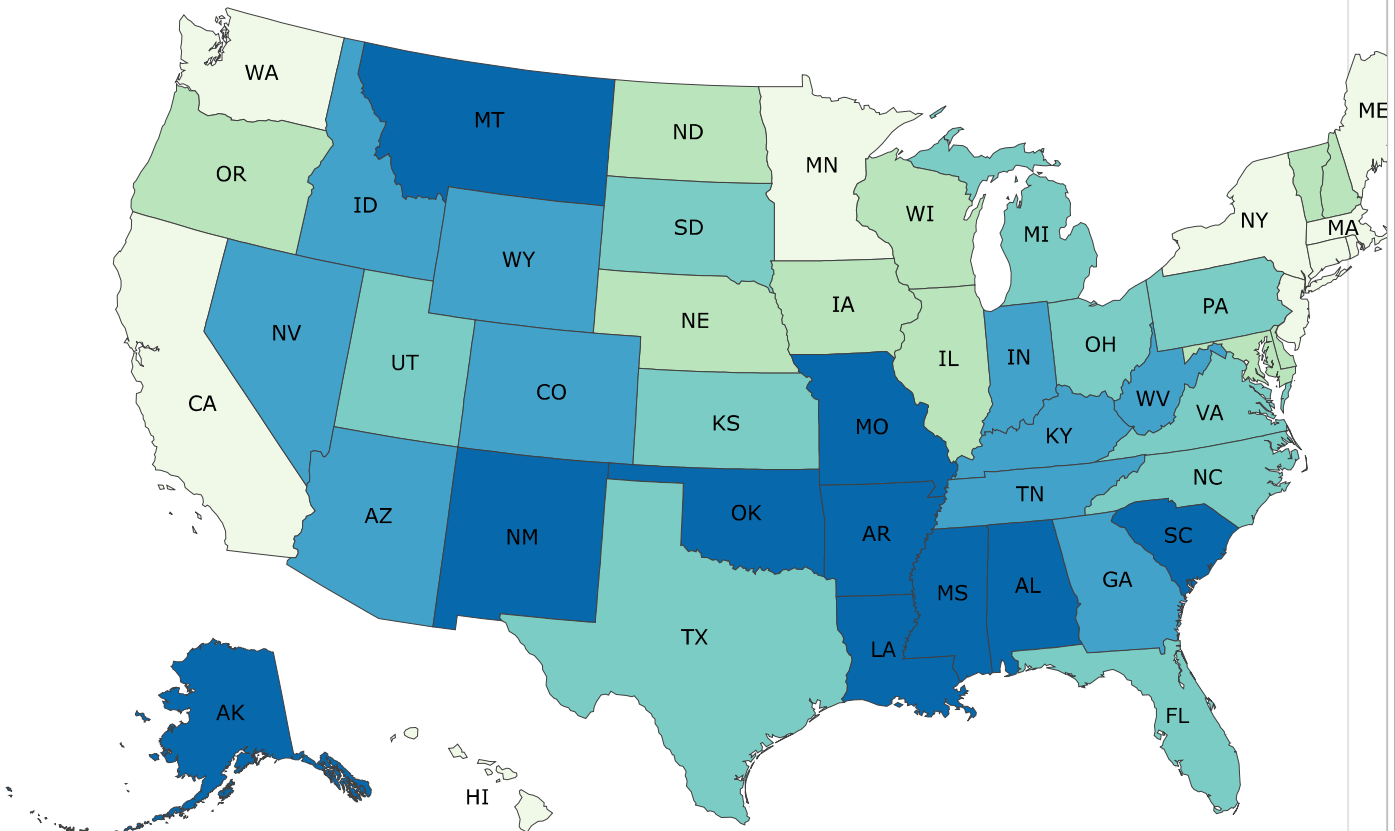
2016

2015

2014

2005

Firearm Mortality by State: 2016



Age-Adjusted Death Rates¹

United States 11.8

- 3.4 - 9
- 9.1 - 11.9
- 12 - 13.7
- 14.3 - 17.5
- 17.7 - 23.3

Data Table

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Location	Firearm Death Rate (Click for Rankings) ^	Deaths (Click
<input type="checkbox"/> Massachusetts	3.4	2
<input type="checkbox"/> Rhode Island	4.1	,
<input type="checkbox"/> New York	4.4	9
<input type="checkbox"/> Hawaii	4.5	(
<input type="checkbox"/> Connecticut	4.6	1
<input type="checkbox"/> New Jersey	5.5	4
<input type="checkbox"/> Minnesota	7.6	4
<input type="checkbox"/> California	7.9	3,
<input type="checkbox"/> Maine	8.3	1
<input type="checkbox"/> Washington	9.0	6
<input type="checkbox"/> Nebraska	9.1	1
<input type="checkbox"/> Iowa	9.2	2
<input type="checkbox"/> New Hampshire	9.3	1
<input type="checkbox"/> Delaware	11.0	1
<input type="checkbox"/> Vermont	11.1	:
<input type="checkbox"/> Wisconsin	11.4	6
<input type="checkbox"/> Illinois	11.7	1,
<input type="checkbox"/> Maryland	11.9	7
<input type="checkbox"/> North Dakota	11.9	9
<input type="checkbox"/> Oregon	11.9	5
<input type="checkbox"/> Pennsylvania	12.0	1,
<input type="checkbox"/> Texas	12.1	3,
<input type="checkbox"/> Virginia	12.1	1,
<input type="checkbox"/> Michigan	12.3	1,
<input type="checkbox"/> Florida	12.6	2,
<input type="checkbox"/> Ohio	12.9	1,
<input type="checkbox"/> Utah	12.9	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Kansas	13.4	3
<input type="checkbox"/> South Dakota	13.4	1
<input type="checkbox"/> North Carolina	13.7	1,
<input type="checkbox"/> Colorado	14.3	8
<input type="checkbox"/> Idaho	14.6	2
<input type="checkbox"/> Georgia	15.0	1,

Location	Firearm Death Rate (Click for Rankings) ^	Deaths (Click
<input type="checkbox"/> Indiana	15.0	9
<input type="checkbox"/> Arizona	15.2	1,
<input type="checkbox"/> Nevada	16.8	4
<input type="checkbox"/> Tennessee	17.1	1,
<input type="checkbox"/> Wyoming	17.4	1
<input type="checkbox"/> Kentucky	17.5	7
<input type="checkbox"/> West Virginia	17.5	3
<input type="checkbox"/> South Carolina	17.7	8
<input type="checkbox"/> Arkansas	17.8	5
<input type="checkbox"/> New Mexico	18.1	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Montana	18.9	1
<input type="checkbox"/> Missouri	19.0	1,
<input type="checkbox"/> Oklahoma	19.6	7
<input type="checkbox"/> Mississippi	19.9	5
<input type="checkbox"/> Louisiana	21.3	9
<input type="checkbox"/> Alabama	21.5	1,
<input type="checkbox"/> Alaska	23.3	1

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¹The number of deaths per 100,000 total population.

Source: <https://wonder.cdc.gov> (<https://wonder.cdc.gov>)

States are categorized from highest rate to lowest rate. Although adjusted for differences in age-distribution and population size, rankings by state do not take into account other state specific population characteristics that may affect the level of mortality. When the number of deaths is small, rankings by state may be unreliable due to instability in death rates.

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