

**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH
OFFICE OF SUICIDE PREVENTION
DATA SUMMARY SHEET ON SUICIDE DEATHS AND NONFATAL SELF-INFLICTED INJURIES
IMPERIAL COUNTY**

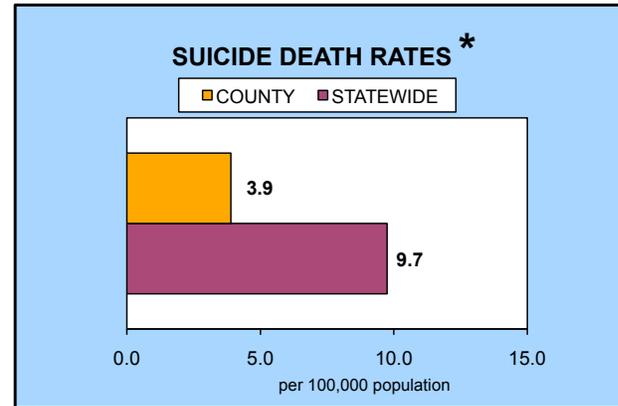
YEAR 2008

CALIFORNIA DATA

POPULATION	38,246,598
SUICIDE DEATHS	3,729
SUICIDE DEATH RATE	9.7
NONFATAL SELF-INFLICTED INJURIES	16,225
NONFATAL SELF-INFLICTED INJURY RATE	42.4

COUNTY: IMPERIAL

POPULATION	179,798
SUICIDE DEATHS	7
SUICIDE DEATH RATE	3.9
NONFATAL SELF-INFLICTED INJURIES	19
NONFATAL SELF-INFLICTED INJURY RATE	10.6



**ADDITIONAL COUNTY DATA
SUICIDE DEATHS BY AGE, GENDER & RACE/ETHNICITY**

AGE GROUPS	5-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85+
POPULATION	22,814	32,559	22,655	28,115	25,061	15,107	9,470	7,006	2,190
SUICIDE DEATHS	0	1	1	1	1	2	0	1	0
SUICIDE DEATH RATE	0.0	3.1	4.4	3.6	4.0	13.2	0.0	14.3	0.0

GENDER	FEMALES	MALES
POPULATION	84,541	95,257
SUICIDE DEATHS	1	6
SUICIDE DEATH RATE	1.2	6.3

RACE/ETHNICITY	AMERICAN INDIAN / ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN	BLACK	HISPANIC	HAWAIIAN / PACIFIC ISLANDER	WHITE	TWO OR MORE RACES
POPULATION	2,284	4,325	6,191	137,841	98	28,089	970
SUICIDE DEATHS	0	0	0	2	0	5	0
SUICIDE DEATH RATE	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	0.0	17.8	0.0

* 1) Use caution when analyzing small numbers and rates derived from them; 2) Rates calculated from small numbers of deaths or from small populations tend to be **unreliable** and are subject to significant variation between years; 3) Rates may not provide statistically valid methods for comparison, particularly among smaller children.