

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

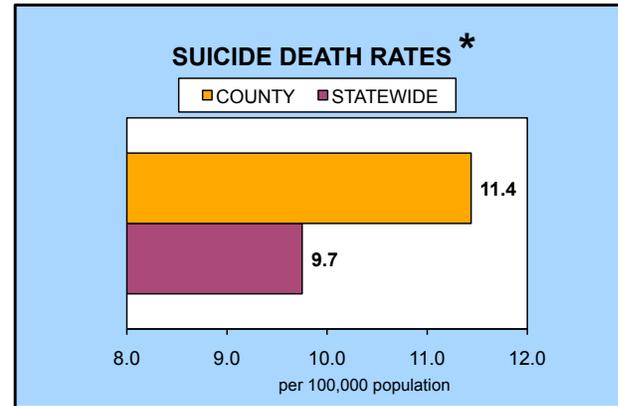
YEAR 2008

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: SAN DIEGO

POPULATION	3,138,382
SUICIDE DEATHS	359
SUICIDE DEATH RATE	11.4
NONFATAL SELF-INFLICTED INJURIES	1,352
NONFATAL SELF-INFLICTED INJURY RATE	43.1



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	444,328	456,174	408,311	469,706	475,708	325,106	171,990	115,159	51,354
SUICIDE DEATHS	1	29	47	73	84	69	22	19	15
SUICIDE DEATH RATE	0.2	6.4	11.5	15.5	17.7	21.2	12.8	16.5	29.2

GENDER	FEMALES	MALES
POPULATION	1,561,961	1,576,421
SUICIDE DEATHS	86	273
SUICIDE DEATH RATE	5.5	17.3

RACE/ETHNICITY	AMERICAN INDIAN / ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN	BLACK	HISPANIC	HAWAIIAN / PACIFIC ISLANDER	WHITE	TWO OR MORE RACES
POPULATION	26,675	295,477	140,930	906,152	17,222	1,684,467	67,459
SUICIDE DEATHS	1	16	8	46	0	282	6
SUICIDE DEATH RATE	3.7	5.4	5.7	5.1	0.0	16.7	8.9

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.