

**FIREARM DEATHS AND DEATH RATE (PER 100,000 POPULATION)  
BY STATE, 2006**

<b>STATE</b>	<b>Deaths</b>	<b>Death Rate</b>
Alabama	780	17.0
Alaska	111	16.4
Arizona	982	15.9
Arkansas	426	15.2
California	3,363	9.3
Colorado	497	10.4
Connecticut	173	5.0
Delaware	79	9.3
Florida	2,083	11.5
Georgia	1,144	12.3
Hawaii	33	2.6
Idaho	180	12.3
Illinois	1,036	8.1
Indiana	742	11.8
Iowa	193	6.5
Kansas	299	10.9
Kentucky	531	12.6
Louisiana	831	19.6
Maine	105	8.0
Maryland	678	12.1
Massachusetts	211	3.3
Michigan	1,157	11.5
Minnesota	329	6.4
Mississippi	475	16.4
Missouri	767	13.1
Montana	120	12.7
Nebraska	141	8.0
Nevada	405	16.3
New Hampshire	82	6.3
New Jersey	492	5.7
New Mexico	283	14.6
New York	1,002	5.2
North Carolina	1,133	12.8
North Dakota	46	7.2
Ohio	1,114	9.7
Oklahoma	482	13.5
Oregon	384	10.4
Pennsylvania	1,371	11.1
Rhode Island	47	4.4
South Carolina	616	14.2
South Dakota	77	9.8
Tennessee	943	15.5
Texas	2,422	10.4
Utah	224	8.7
Vermont	54	8.7
Virginia	816	10.7
Washington	546	8.6
West Virginia	253	14.0
Wisconsin	424	7.6
Wyoming	80	15.6