

Table 10.31C Had Serious Thoughts of Suicide in Past Year: Among People Aged 18 or Older; by Demographic Characteristics, Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2008-2020

Demographic Characteristic	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
TOTAL	299	299	311	299	305	340	281	280	267	289	282	300	499
AGE GROUP													
18-25	74	66	75	85	79	85	87	91	96	108	100	102	185
26 or Older	292	292	296	284	294	327	263	267	247	262	257	278	450
26-49	193	200	201	169	208	207	167	165	154	163	170	182	282
50 or Older	210	215	214	229	214	271	194	209	193	210	189	210	331
GENDER													
Male	206	204	235	194	208	241	202	197	198	207	198	202	318
Female	210	211	216	228	221	236	183	199	182	203	199	213	354
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE													
Not Hispanic or Latino	282	280	297	288	282	315	257	261	244	273	264	273	460
White	265	256	269	267	258	294	231	232	228	248	245	249	430
Black or African American	88	89	103	86	99	95	77	99	85	91	94	88	152
AIAN	9	13	24	55	20	15	18	19	12	13	18	22	35
NHOPI	18	*	14	*	6	15	5	10	11	31	13	8	10
Asian	44	38	72	69	79	87	64	55	52	77	52	70	71
Two or More Races	38	48	24	25	31	54	49	41	41	57	41	34	93
Hispanic or Latino	92	112	76	84	120	127	100	105	106	92	111	135	195

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Table 10.31D Had Serious Thoughts of Suicide in Past Year: Among People Aged 18 or Older; by Demographic Characteristics, Standard Errors of Percentages, 2008-2020

Demographic Characteristic	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
TOTAL	0.13	0.13	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.14	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.12	0.11	0.12	<i>0.20</i>
AGE GROUP													
18-25	0.23	0.20	0.22	0.25	0.23	0.24	0.25	0.26	0.28	0.32	0.30	0.31	<i>0.56</i>
26 or Older	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.14	0.15	0.16	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.13	<i>0.21</i>
26-49	0.19	0.20	0.20	0.17	0.21	0.21	0.17	0.17	0.16	0.16	0.17	0.18	<i>0.28</i>
50 or Older	0.23	0.23	0.22	0.23	0.21	0.26	0.18	0.19	0.17	0.19	0.17	0.18	<i>0.28</i>
GENDER													
Male	0.19	0.19	0.21	0.17	0.18	0.21	0.18	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	<i>0.26</i>
Female	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.19	0.18	0.19	0.15	0.16	0.14	0.16	0.16	0.17	<i>0.27</i>
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE													
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.15	0.14	0.15	0.15	0.14	0.16	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.13	0.13	0.13	<i>0.22</i>
White	0.16	0.16	0.17	0.17	0.16	0.18	0.15	0.15	0.14	0.15	0.15	0.15	<i>0.27</i>
Black or African American	0.34	0.32	0.38	0.32	0.36	0.34	0.28	0.34	0.28	0.30	0.30	0.29	<i>0.49</i>
AIAN	0.92	1.24	2.17	3.72	1.50	1.21	1.31	1.52	0.84	1.07	1.23	1.59	<i>2.47</i>
NHOPI	2.21	*	2.13	*	0.63	1.93	0.53	1.62	1.04	3.13	1.42	0.78	<i>1.15</i>
Asian	0.46	0.38	0.69	0.61	0.65	0.72	0.51	0.42	0.39	0.55	0.35	0.49	<i>0.49</i>
Two or More Races	1.48	1.87	0.96	0.78	0.90	1.45	1.26	1.05	1.01	1.34	0.94	0.80	<i>1.89</i>
Hispanic or Latino	0.30	0.36	0.24	0.25	0.35	0.36	0.27	0.28	0.28	0.23	0.28	0.33	<i>0.47</i>

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Table 10.34C Made Any Suicide Plans in Past Year: Among People Aged 18 or Older; by Demographic Characteristics, Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2008-2020

Demographic Characteristic	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
TOTAL	155	157	168	157	156	166	138	138	127	148	155	152	238
AGE GROUP													
18-25	39	41	41	44	47	50	49	54	56	67	58	62	<i>107</i>
26 or Older	148	150	164	148	152	156	130	127	114	131	147	142	<i>203</i>
26-49	99	94	91	102	120	120	85	78	85	90	100	91	<i>162</i>
50 or Older	108	117	134	111	101	98	98	101	78	94	105	107	<i>115</i>
GENDER													
Male	110	111	119	106	116	105	97	99	91	109	110	92	<i>160</i>
Female	113	100	117	115	106	124	99	94	95	108	109	121	<i>163</i>
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE													
Not Hispanic or Latino	143	149	164	149	146	151	127	129	118	138	144	129	<i>216</i>
White	134	140	145	126	131	136	117	121	102	114	122	113	<i>193</i>
Black or African American	42	48	64	43	50	60	52	39	51	42	63	45	<i>82</i>
AIAN	6	9	7	*	10	8	7	16	7	10	8	4	<i>12</i>
NHOPI	5	4	0	1	2	12	4	*	2	*	5	5	<i>5</i>
Asian	9	16	48	54	49	17	33	18	19	59	30	35	<i>17</i>
Two or More Races	26	15	14	14	15	16	20	19	29	21	27	18	<i>48</i>
Hispanic or Latino	59	48	31	52	64	67	48	54	46	50	59	77	<i>95</i>

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Table 10.34D Made Any Suicide Plans in Past Year: Among People Aged 18 or Older; by Demographic Characteristics, Standard Errors of Percentages, 2008-2020

Demographic Characteristic	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
TOTAL	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.06	<i>0.09</i>
AGE GROUP													
18-25	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.16	0.16	0.20	0.17	0.19	<i>0.32</i>
26 or Older	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.07	0.07	<i>0.09</i>
26-49	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.10	0.12	0.12	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.09	<i>0.16</i>
50 or Older	0.12	0.12	0.14	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.09	<i>0.10</i>
GENDER													
Male	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.08	<i>0.13</i>
Female	0.10	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.10	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.09	<i>0.13</i>
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE													
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.06	<i>0.10</i>
White	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.07	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.07	<i>0.12</i>
Black or African American	0.16	0.18	0.24	0.16	0.18	0.22	0.19	0.13	0.18	0.14	0.21	0.15	<i>0.27</i>
AIAN	0.61	0.83	0.65	*	0.72	0.61	0.55	1.26	0.50	0.81	0.55	0.30	<i>0.86</i>
NHOPI	0.68	0.49	0.02	0.16	0.22	1.58	0.41	*	0.21	*	0.59	0.50	<i>0.54</i>
Asian	0.09	0.17	0.46	0.48	0.42	0.14	0.26	0.13	0.14	0.43	0.21	0.24	<i>0.12</i>
Two or More Races	1.03	0.62	0.55	0.44	0.45	0.45	0.56	0.49	0.72	0.50	0.63	0.42	<i>1.01</i>
Hispanic or Latino	0.20	0.16	0.10	0.15	0.18	0.19	0.13	0.14	0.12	0.13	0.15	0.19	<i>0.23</i>

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Table 10.36C Attempted Suicide in Past Year: Among People Aged 18 or Older; by Demographic Characteristics, Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2008-2020

Demographic Characteristic	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
TOTAL	105	91	108	110	103	118	76	100	96	97	101	93	<i>131</i>
AGE GROUP													
18-25	32	31	30	35	41	35	36	44	45	48	44	45	<i>77</i>
26 or Older	100	85	103	103	95	112	67	90	84	87	91	83	<i>105</i>
26-49	67	63	59	64	75	83	54	57	53	53	59	58	<i>89</i>
50 or Older	76	57	81	81	64	72	40	73	65	68	66	56	<i>52</i>
GENDER													
Male	62	60	74	65	71	66	51	71	64	58	61	53	<i>78</i>
Female	86	69	77	88	72	93	63	73	71	77	78	74	<i>101</i>
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE													
Not Hispanic or Latino	97	88	106	104	90	103	68	92	89	90	86	81	<i>113</i>
White	86	72	88	79	78	85	56	88	69	73	65	70	<i>100</i>
Black or African American	37	44	55	31	35	55	36	26	38	32	44	33	<i>31</i>
AIAN	3	7	7	*	9	6	7	6	2	4	5	2	<i>*</i>
NHOPI	*	1	0	1	2	*	4	*	5	*	2	3	<i>6</i>
Asian	5	22	9	53	28	9	31	14	40	30	20	17	<i>11</i>
Two or More Races	20	13	9	8	11	7	11	10	10	14	18	14	<i>26</i>
Hispanic or Latino	41	22	23	36	50	52	33	38	34	36	52	44	<i>66</i>

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Demographic Characteristic	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
TOTAL	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	<i>0.05</i>
AGE GROUP													
18-25	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.12	0.10	0.10	0.13	0.13	0.14	0.13	0.14	<i>0.23</i>
26 or Older	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	<i>0.05</i>
26-49	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.06	<i>0.09</i>
50 or Older	0.08	0.06	0.08	0.08	0.06	0.07	0.04	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05	<i>0.04</i>
GENDER													
Male	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.04	<i>0.06</i>
Female	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.06	0.08	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	<i>0.08</i>
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE													
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	<i>0.05</i>
White	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.04	<i>0.06</i>
Black or African American	0.14	0.16	0.21	0.12	0.13	0.20	0.13	0.09	0.13	0.11	0.15	0.11	<i>0.10</i>
AIAN	0.30	0.68	0.65	*	0.66	0.45	0.55	0.47	0.15	0.34	0.36	0.17	*
NHOPI	*	0.14	0.05	0.16	0.21	*	0.41	*	0.48	*	0.17	0.31	<i>0.62</i>
Asian	0.05	0.22	0.09	0.48	0.24	0.07	0.24	0.10	0.30	0.22	0.14	0.12	<i>0.08</i>
Two or More Races	0.78	0.54	0.36	0.26	0.33	0.22	0.31	0.25	0.26	0.34	0.43	0.32	<i>0.57</i>
Hispanic or Latino	0.14	0.07	0.07	0.11	0.14	0.15	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.13	0.11	<i>0.16</i>

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