

Appendix Two: Number of Black Homicide Victims and Rates by State in 2015

State Ranking by Rate	State	Number of Homicides	Homicide Rate per 100,000
	Alabama	N/A	N/A
4	Alaska	8	29.22
28	Arizona	53	16.21
22	Arkansas	89	19.09
15	California	549	21.64
20	Colorado	50	20.56
38	Connecticut	51	12.25
14	Delaware	47	22.18
	Florida	N/A	N/A
33	Georgia	439	13.52
44	Hawaii	2	6.68
43	Idaho	1	7.38
18	Illinois ⁷	394	20.88
8	Indiana	168	26.44
16	Iowa	24	21.63
9	Kansas	45	25.02
13	Kentucky	83	22.80
11	Louisiana	360	23.71
47 (tie)	Maine	1	5.13
17	Maryland	389	21.24
41	Massachusetts	58	10.08
6	Michigan	388	27.56
23	Minnesota	63	18.92
40	Mississippi	118	10.49
1	Missouri	332	46.24
26	Montana	1	17.24
5	Nebraska	27	28.93
21	Nevada	55	20.42
47 (tie)	New Hampshire	1	5.13
24	New Jersey	242	18.19
25	New Mexico	9	17.44
39	New York	39	11.35

⁷ Chicago and Rockford were the only two reporting agencies in Illinois to submit SHR data to the FBI for 2015. Beginning in 2016, all Illinois law enforcement agencies will be required by state law to report SHR data to the FBI.

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34	North Carolina	299	13.43
30	North Dakota	3	15.21
19	Ohio	304	20.57
3	Oklahoma	91	30.10
46	Oregon	5	5.98
7	Pennsylvania	405	27.04
31	Rhode Island	12	14.33
27	South Carolina	231	17.08
45	South Dakota	1	6.14
12	Tennessee	265	23.50
29	Texas	530	15.43
42	Utah	3	7.57
37	Vermont	1	12.62
32	Virginia	226	13.68
35	Washington	39	13.34
10	West Virginia	16	24.32
2	Wisconsin	140	36.77
36	Wyoming	1	12.86
	U.S. Total	7,014	18.68