

**Number and Rate per 100,000 of Homicides by Year,  
Los Angeles County Residents, 2008-2012**

Category		2008		2009		2010		2011		2012		2008-2012	
		Num	Rate	Num	Rate	Num	Rate	Num	Rate	Num	Rate	Total Num	Avg Annual Rate
Sex	Male	710	13.5	619	11.9	545	10.4	514	9.9	517	10.0	2905	11.1
	Female	128	2.5	105	2.0	106	2.1	97	1.9	82	1.6	518	2.0
Race/Ethnic	White	83	2.8	64	2.1	76	2.5	61	2.0	69	2.3	353	2.3
	Black	250	28.3	227	25.5	219	25.1	193	22.2	200	23.2	1089	24.9
	Latino	458	8.6	398	7.8	328	6.2	334	6.3	307	5.8	1825	6.9
	Asian/PI/Other/Unk	47	3.1	35	2.1	28	1.6	23	1.3	23	1.4	156	1.9
Age Group	0-14 Years	48	2.3	33	1.7	30	1.5	29	1.5	24	1.3	164	1.7
	15-19 Years	144	19.2	133	17.7	113	15.0	99	13.2	77	10.4	566	15.1
	20-24 Years	178	23.8	152	20.3	128	17.0	103	14.0	112	15.2	673	18.0
	25-29 Years	106	13.8	90	11.8	103	13.6	100	13.3	100	13.4	499	13.2
	30-34 Years	91	12.3	78	10.7	74	10.3	65	9.0	64	8.8	372	10.2
	35-44 Years	132	9.1	97	6.7	92	6.4	87	6.1	96	6.8	504	7.0
	45-54 Years	73	5.5	80	5.9	62	4.5	73	5.3	75	5.5	363	5.3
	55-64 Years	41	4.3	33	3.3	27	2.7	34	3.2	28	2.6	163	3.2
	65+ Years/Unknown	25	2.2	28	2.5	22	2.0	21	1.8	23	2.0	119	2.1
Service Planning Area	SPA 1: Antelope Valley	26	6.4	31	8.0	23	6.0	26	6.5	17	--	123	6.2
	SPA 2: San Fernando	91	4.2	79	3.7	71	3.3	54	2.4	74	3.4	369	3.4
	SPA 3: San Gabriel	108	6.0	69	3.9	71	4.0	66	3.7	59	3.3	373	4.2
	SPA 4: Metro	102	8.5	82	7.1	73	6.2	62	5.3	69	5.7	388	6.6
	SPA 5: West	18	--	14	--	12	--	17	--	10	--	71	2.1
	SPA 6: South	233	21.4	194	17.8	189	17.1	184	17.0	180	16.8	980	18.0
	SPA 7: East	99	7.1	101	7.4	88	6.4	82	6.2	72	5.4	442	6.5
	SPA 8 : South Bay	140	8.9	144	9.1	120	7.6	117	7.5	113	7.2	634	8.1
	Unknown	21	--	10	--	*	--	*	--	5	--	43	--
Injury Type	Cut/Pierce	76	0.7	69	0.7	53	0.5	58	0.6	70	0.7	326	0.6
	Firearms	642	6.2	539	5.2	504	4.8	449	4.3	415	4.0	2549	4.9
	Suffocation	14	--	22	0.2	15	--	20	0.2	15	--	86	0.2
	All Other Injuries	106	1.1	94	0.9	79	0.8	84	0.8	99	1.0	462	0.9
<b>All LA County</b>		<b>838</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>724</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>3423</b>	<b>6.6</b>

Homicides were identified using International Classification of Disease 10th Revision codes X85-Y09 and Y87.1.

-- No rate calculated because population data unavailable or the number of deaths was too small (<20) to calculate a reliable rate

\* Small number of deaths in cell are not reported.

Rates for age group are per 100,000 population. All other rates are per 100,000 population and age adjusted to the 2000 US population.

Deaths with unknown race/ethnicity are combined with Asian/Pacific Islanders and with unknown age are combined with 65+ year olds.

Sources: Mortality Data -- California Dept of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics, Death Statistical Master File

Population Data --

2010-2012 Population Estimates, prepared by Hedderson Demographic Services for Los Angeles County ISD

2008-2009 Smoothed Population Estimates, prepared by the Office of Health Assessment and Epidemiology, Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, released 7/18/2013

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