

Table 8.58C Had Serious Thoughts of Suicide, Made Any Suicide Plans, and Attempted Suicide in Past Year: Among People Aged 18 or Older; by Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics, Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2019 and 2020

Demographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	Had Serious Thoughts of Suicide (2019)	Had Serious Thoughts of Suicide (2020)	Made Any Suicide Plans ¹ (2019)	Made Any Suicide Plans ¹ (2020)	Attempted Suicide ¹ (2019)	Attempted Suicide ¹ (2020)
TOTAL	300	499	152	238	93	131
AGE GROUP						
18-25	102	185	62	107	45	77
26 or Older	278	450	142	203	83	105
26-49	182	282	91	162	58	89
50 or Older	210	331	107	115	56	52
GENDER						
Male	202	318	92	160	53	78
Female	213	354	121	163	74	101
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	273	460	129	216	81	113
White	249	430	113	193	70	100
Black or African American	88	152	45	82	33	31
AIAN	22	35	4	12	2	*
NHOPI	8	10	5	5	3	6
Asian	70	71	35	17	17	11
Two or More Races	34	93	18	48	14	26
Hispanic or Latino	135	195	77	95	44	66
HEALTH INSURANCE²						
Private	224	356	101	166	67	88
Medicaid/CHIP	153	232	93	125	58	67
Other ³	165	275	82	105	51	67
No Coverage	96	159	47	79	31	49
EMPLOYMENT STATUS						
Full-Time	187	278	84	114	43	71
Part-Time	124	187	68	90	41	50
Unemployed	82	151	50	95	38	58
Other ⁴	193	344	100	146	54	76

* = low precision; -- = not available; da = does not apply; nc = not comparable due to methodological changes; nr = not reported due to measurement issues.

NOTE: Estimates in the 2020 column are italicized to indicate caution should be used when comparing estimates between 2020 and prior years because of methodological changes for 2020. Due to these changes, significance testing between 2020 and prior years was not performed. See the *2020 National Survey on Drug Use and Health: Methodological Summary and Definitions* for details.

NOTE: Estimates in this table for 2020 exclude a subset of respondents who did not complete the questionnaire. The analysis weights and estimates were adjusted for the reduced sample size. See the *2020 National Survey on Drug Use and Health: Methodological Summary and Definitions* for details.

NOTE: Respondents with unknown suicide information were excluded.

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² Respondents could indicate multiple types of health insurance; thus, these response categories are not mutually exclusive.

³ Other Health Insurance is defined as having Medicare, military-related health care, or any other type of health insurance.

⁴ Other Employment includes students, persons keeping house or caring for children full time, retired or disabled persons, or other persons not in the labor force.

Definitions: Measures and terms are defined in Appendix A.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2019 and Quarters 1 and 4, 2020.

Table 8.58D Had Serious Thoughts of Suicide, Made Any Suicide Plans, and Attempted Suicide in Past Year: Among People Aged 18 or Older; by Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics, Standard Errors of Percentages, 2019 and 2020

Demographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	Had Serious Thoughts of Suicide (2019)	Had Serious Thoughts of Suicide (2020)	Made Any Suicide Plans ¹ (2019)	Made Any Suicide Plans ¹ (2020)	Attempted Suicide ¹ (2019)	Attempted Suicide ¹ (2020)
TOTAL	0.12	0.20	0.06	0.09	0.04	0.05
AGE GROUP						
18-25	0.31	0.56	0.19	0.32	0.14	0.23
26 or Older	0.13	0.21	0.07	0.09	0.04	0.05
26-49	0.18	0.28	0.09	0.16	0.06	0.09
50 or Older	0.18	0.28	0.09	0.10	0.05	0.04
GENDER						
Male	0.17	0.26	0.08	0.13	0.04	0.06
Female	0.17	0.27	0.09	0.13	0.06	0.08
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.13	0.22	0.06	0.10	0.04	0.05
White	0.15	0.27	0.07	0.12	0.04	0.06
Black or African American	0.29	0.49	0.15	0.27	0.11	0.10
AIAN	1.59	2.47	0.30	0.86	0.17	*
NHOPI	0.78	1.15	0.50	0.54	0.31	0.62
Asian	0.49	0.49	0.24	0.12	0.12	0.08
Two or More Races	0.80	1.89	0.42	1.01	0.32	0.57
Hispanic or Latino	0.33	0.47	0.19	0.23	0.11	0.16
HEALTH INSURANCE²						
Private	0.13	0.22	0.06	0.11	0.04	0.06
Medicaid/CHIP	0.41	0.57	0.26	0.32	0.16	0.17
Other ³	0.24	0.37	0.12	0.14	0.07	0.09
No Coverage	0.36	0.58	0.18	0.29	0.12	0.18
EMPLOYMENT STATUS						
Full-Time	0.15	0.24	0.07	0.10	0.04	0.06
Part-Time	0.37	0.59	0.21	0.28	0.13	0.16
Unemployed	0.80	1.13	0.50	0.73	0.39	0.44
Other ⁴	0.23	0.37	0.12	0.16	0.07	0.08

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