



Children's Safety Network

National Injury and Violence Prevention Resource Center

State Rate Comparison to National Rate of Fatal Unintentional Motor Vehicle Deaths Ages 19-24 Years per 100,000 Population, 2006

The U.S. unintentional motor vehicle traffic death rate for young adults ages 19 - 24 years decreased from 29.23 per 100,000 population in 2002 to 28.74 per 100,000 population in 2006. In 2006, 24 States were below the national rate.

States below the national rate of 28.74 per 100,000 population for unintentional motor vehicle deaths, ages 19-24 years, 2006

Alaska	Hawaii	Minnesota	Ohio
California	Illinois	Nebraska	Pennsylvania
Connecticut	Iowa	New Hampshire	Rhode Island
Colorado	Maryland	New Jersey	Utah
Delaware	Massachusetts	New York	Washington
District of Columbia	Michigan	North Dakota	Vermont

In 2006, 28 States were above the national rate of 28.74 per 100,000 population. Of these 28 States, 9 have improved but remain above the 2006 national rate. In 12 States, the 2006 rate was higher than the 2002 rate. Six States that were below the 2002 national rate rose above the 2006 rate.

States above the 2006 national rate of 28.74 per 100,000 population but their State rate improved from 2002 to 2006.

Idaho	New Mexico	Texas
Kansas	North Carolina	West Virginia
Missouri	Oklahoma	Wyoming

States above the 2006 national rate of 28.74 per 100,000 population but their State 2006 rate increased above the State 2002 rate.

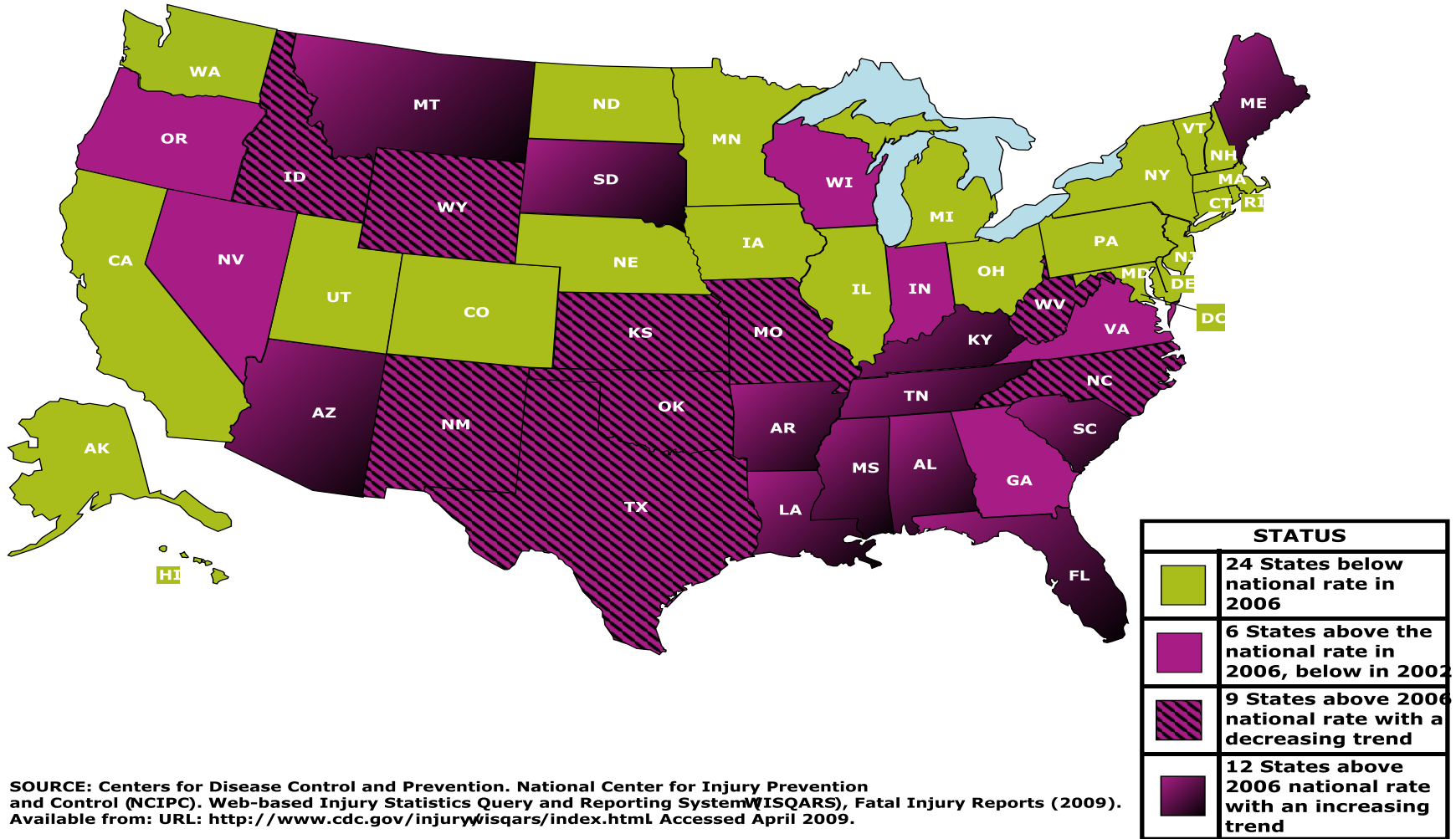
Alabama	Kentucky	Montana
Arizona	Louisiana	South Carolina
Arkansas	Maine	South Dakota
Florida	Mississippi	Tennessee

States above the 2006 national rate of 28.74 per 100,000 population that were below the national rate (29.23) in 2002.

Georgia	Virginia
Indiana	Wisconsin
Nevada	Oregon



**Fatal Unintentional Motor Vehicle Deaths, 19-24 Years, 2006
State Rate, Including DC, Comparison to National Rate - 28.74 per 100,000 Population**



SOURCE: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. National Center for Injury Prevention and Control (NCIPC). Web-based Injury Statistics Query and Reporting System (WISQARS). Fatal Injury Reports (2009). Available from: URL: <http://www.cdc.gov/injury/wisqars/index.html> Accessed April 2009.