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December 11, 2023 Q4 2023 Suicide Deaths

OOC: Represents cases where the individual died at a hospital within our jurisdiction, but the injury occurred out of county.

<u>Confirmed Suicide</u>: A case where the investigation is complete, and the Pathologist has ruled the death a suicide.

<u>Suspected Suicide</u>: A case that is still under investigation but has strong evidence suggesting that the case is a suicide.

Suicide Deaths by Gender:

	Confirmed Suicide	Confirmed Suicide OOC	Total
Male	17	1	18
Female	2	1	3
Total	19	2	21

	Suspected Suicide	Suspected Suicide OOC	Total
Male	22	3	25
Female	2	1	3
Total	24	4	28

Suicide by Race and Ethnicity:

	Confirmed Suicide	Confirmed Suicide OOC	Total
Non-Hispanic White	17	2	19
Non-Hispanic African American	2	-	2
Other	-	-	-

	Suspected Suicide	Suspected Suicide OOC	Total
Non-Hispanic White	19	4	23
Non-Hispanic African American	4	-	4
Other	1	-	1

Suicide by Race and Gender:

	Confirmed Suicide	Confirmed Suicide OOC	Total
Non-Hispanic White Male	15	1	16
Non-Hispanic White Female	2	1	3
Non-Hispanic African American Male	2	-	2
Non-Hispanic African American Female	-	-	-

Source: MDILog 2021-2022



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	Suspected Suicide	Suspected Suicide OOC	Total
Non-Hispanic White Male	18	3	21
Non-Hispanic White Female	1	1	2
Non-Hispanic African American Male	3	-	3
Non-Hispanic African American Female	1	-	1

Suicide by Age Range:

	Confirmed Suicide	Confirmed Suicide OOC	Total
≤19	1	-	1
20-39	7	-	7
40-59	8	2	10
60-79	2	-	2
80+	1	-	1

	Suspected Suicide	Suspected Suicide OOC	Total
≤19	2	1	3
20-39	6	2	8
40-59	8	1	9
60-79	5	-	5
80+	3	-	3

Suicide by Method:

	Confirmed Suicide	Confirmed Suicide OOC
Firearm	11	-
Hanging	1	1
Other	7	1

	Suspected Suicide	Suspected Suicide OOC
Firearm	7	3
Hanging	-	-
Other	18	-

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