

Rank Order - City

50. Murder Rate in 2001 (continued)

National Rate = 5.6 Murders per 100,000 Population*

RANK	CITY	RATE	RANK	CITY	RATE	RANK	CITY	RATE
1	Gary, IN	79.4	58	Wilmington, NC	13.0	117	Athens-Clarke, GA	7.8
2	Compton, CA	48.3	60	Montgomery, AL	12.8	118	Riverside, CA	7.7
3	New Orleans, LA	44.0	61	Columbia, SC	12.7	118	Tuscaloosa, AL	7.7
4	St. Louis, MO	42.2	62	High Point, NC	12.6	120	Fontana, CA	7.6
5	Youngstown, OH	41.4	63	Pomona, CA	12.5	120	Tacoma, WA	7.6
6	Detroit, MI	41.3	63	Springfield, IL	12.5	122	Albuquerque, NM	7.5
7	Washington, DC	40.6	65	Fort Worth, TX	12.3	122	Allentown, PA	7.5
8	Baltimore, MD	38.7	65	Peoria, IL	12.3	122	Glendale, AZ	7.5
9	Richmond, VA	35.8	67	Stockton, CA	12.1	125	Rockford, IL	7.3
10	Atlanta, GA	33.8	68	Las Vegas, NV	11.9	126	Hayward, CA	7.0
11	Inglewood, CA	33.1	69	Portsmouth, VA	11.8	126	Santa Ana, CA	7.0
12	Flint, MI	32.6	70	Nashville, TN	11.5	128	Corpus Christi, TX	6.7
12	Newark, NJ	32.6	70	Ogden, UT	11.5	128	Hampton, VA	6.7
14	Camden, NJ	31.0	72	Bridgeport, CT	11.4	128	Lansing, MI	6.7
15	Birmingham, AL	29.9	72	Columbus, OH	11.4	128	Miami Beach, FL	6.7
16	Jackson, MS	27.0	74	Fort Wayne, IN	11.1	128	Norwalk, CA	6.7
17	Reading, PA	24.6	74	Minneapolis, MN	11.1	128	Palmdale, CA	6.7
18	Memphis, TN	24.1	76	Boston, MA	11.0	134	Springfield, MO	6.6
19	Kansas City, MO	23.2	77	Tampa, FL	10.9	135	Baldwin Park, CA	6.5
20	Chicago, IL	22.9	78	Amarillo, TX	10.7	135	Evansville, IN	6.5
21	Buffalo, NY	21.8	78	Longview, TX	10.7	135	Lawton, OK	6.5
22	West Palm Beach, FL	21.4	78	Rialto, CA	10.7	135	Springfield, MA	6.5
23	Milwaukee, WI	21.1	81	Paterson, NJ	10.6	135	Waterbury, CT	6.5
24	Oakland, CA	20.6	82	Charlotte, NC	10.4	140	Omaha, NE	6.4
25	Hartford, CT	20.4	82	Long Beach, CA	10.4	140	Southfield, MI	6.4
25	Philadelphia, PA	20.4	84	Jersey City, NJ	10.3	142	Albany, NY	6.3
27	Baton Rouge, LA	20.2	85	Syracuse, NY	10.2	143	Ontario, CA	6.2
28	Dallas, TX	19.7	86	Billings, MT	10.0	144	Aurora, CO	6.0
29	South Bend, IN	19.4	87	Fort Smith, AR	9.9	144	Grand Rapids, MI	6.0
30	Savannah, GA	19.3	87	Jacksonville, FL	9.9	144	Waco, TX	6.0
31	Fort Lauderdale, FL	18.5	89	Louisville, KY	9.7	147	Lancaster, CA	5.8
32	Little Rock, AR	18.4	89	Salinas, CA	9.7	148	Clarksville, TN	5.7
33	Rochester, NY	18.2	89	Salt Lake City, UT	9.7	148	Toledo, OH	5.7
34	Macon, GA	18.1	92	Sacramento, CA	9.6	150	Aurora, IL	5.6
35	Dayton, OH	18.0	93	Huntsville, AL	9.4	151	Des Moines, IA	5.5
36	Topeka, KS	17.9	94	Fresno, CA	9.2	151	Port St. Lucie, FL	5.5
37	Richmond, CA	17.8	94	Lexington, KY	9.2	153	Everett, WA	5.4
38	Miami, FL	17.7	96	Killeen, TX	9.0	154	Brockton, MA	5.3
39	Hammond, IN	16.8	97	Albany, GA	8.9	154	Independence, MO	5.3
40	Chattanooga, TN	16.6	97	Oklahoma City, OK	8.9	154	New Bedford, MA	5.3
40	Cincinnati, OH	16.6	99	Carson, CA	8.8	154	Simi Valley, CA	5.3
42	Mobile, AL	16.4	99	Greensboro, NC	8.8	158	El Cajon, CA	5.2
42	Newport News, VA	16.4	99	Modesto, CA	8.8	158	Kalamazoo, MI	5.2
42	North Las Vegas, NV	16.4	102	Antioch, CA	8.7	158	Roanoke, VA	5.2
45	Cleveland, OH	16.1	102	Bakersfield, CA	8.7	161	Greeley, CO	5.1
45	Pittsburgh, PA	16.1	104	Beaumont, TX	8.6	161	Irving, TX	5.1
47	San Bernardino, CA	15.9	104	Tulsa, OK	8.6	161	Santa Maria, CA	5.1
48	Los Angeles, CA	15.6	106	El Monte, CA	8.5	164	Lakeland, FL	5.0
49	Shreveport, LA	15.5	106	Knoxville, TN	8.5	165	Brownsville, TX	4.9
50	New Haven, CT	15.3	106	San Antonio, TX	8.5	165	Henderson, NV	4.9
50	Phoenix, AZ	15.3	109	Tucson, AZ	8.3	165	Hollywood, FL	4.9
52	Trenton, NJ	15.1	110	Hawthorne, CA	8.2	165	Lubbock, TX	4.9
53	Durham, NC	14.7	110	Sioux City, IA	8.2	165	Palm Bay, FL	4.9
54	Fayetteville, NC	14.6	110	St. Petersburg, FL	8.2	165	Racine, WI	4.9
55	Indianapolis, IN	14.0	113	New York, NY	8.1	165	Wichita, KS	4.9
56	Houston, TX	13.4	114	Denver, CO	7.9	172	Pueblo, CO	4.8
57	Providence, RI	13.1	114	Orlando, FL	7.9	172	Scottsdale, AZ	4.8
58	Norfolk, VA	13.0	114	Winston-Salem, NC	7.9	174	Columbia, MO	4.7
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RANK CITY	RATE	RANK CITY	RATE	RANK CITY	RATE
174 Daly City, CA	4.7	233 Tempe, AZ	3.0	288 Clifton, NJ	1.3
174 Federal Way, WA	4.7	235 Burbank, CA	2.9	288 Lake Forest, CA	1.3
174 Joliet, IL	4.7	235 Green Bay, WI	2.9	288 Redwood City, CA	1.3
174 Lakewood, CO	4.7	235 Madison, WI	2.9	288 Scranton, PA	1.3
180 Downey, CA	4.6	235 Pasadena, CA	2.9	296 Cranston, RI	1.2
180 Duluth, MN	4.6	235 Salem, OR	2.9	296 Farmington Hills, MI	1.2
180 Grand Prairie, TX	4.6	240 McAllen, TX	2.8	296 Parma, OH	1.2
183 Chula Vista, CA	4.5	240 Torrance, CA	2.8	296 Pompano Beach, FL	1.2
183 Lafayette, LA	4.5	240 Virginia Beach, VA	2.8	296 Redding, CA	1.2
183 Tallahassee, FL	4.5	243 Lincoln, NE	2.7	296 Roseville, CA	1.2
186 Arlington, TX	4.4	243 Peoria, AZ	2.7	296 San Leandro, CA	1.2
186 Kenosha, WI	4.4	243 Vancouver, WA	2.7	296 Thornton, CO	1.2
186 Laredo, TX	4.4	246 Canton Twnshp, MI	2.6	296 Upper Darby Twnshp, PA	1.2
186 Seattle, WA	4.4	247 Buena Park, CA	2.5	296 Yuma, AZ	1.2
190 Odessa, TX	4.3	247 Carlsbad, CA	2.5	306 Boise, ID	1.1
190 Visalia, CA	4.3	247 Cedar Rapids, IA	2.5	306 Hamilton Twnshp, NJ	1.1
192 Davenport, IA	4.1	247 Glendale, CA	2.5	306 Lynn, MA	1.1
192 Dearborn, MI	4.1	247 Kent, WA	2.5	306 San Mateo, CA	1.1
192 Elizabeth, NJ	4.1	247 Lakewood, CA	2.5	310 Berkeley, CA	1.0
192 Gainesville, FL	4.1	247 Roswell, GA	2.5	310 Cambridge, MA	1.0
192 Garland, TX	4.1	254 Anaheim, CA	2.4	310 Cary, NC	1.0
192 Mesa, AZ	4.1	254 Corona, CA	2.4	310 Livonia, MI	1.0
192 South Gate, CA	4.1	254 Denton, TX	2.4	314 Ann Arbor, MI	0.9
199 San Diego, CA	4.0	254 Oceanside, CA	2.4	315 Rancho Cucamon., CA	0.8
199 Worcester, MA	4.0	254 Plantation, FL	2.4	315 Stamford, CT	0.8
201 Austin, TX	3.9	254 San Jose, CA	2.4	315 Thousand Oaks, CA	0.8
201 Erie, PA	3.9	260 Bloomington, MN	2.3	318 Amherst, NY	0.0
201 Hialeah, FL	3.9	260 Fullerton, CA	2.3	318 Arvada, CO	0.0
201 Portland, OR	3.9	260 Honolulu, HI	2.3	318 Bellevue, WA	0.0
205 Anchorage, AK	3.8	260 Santa Monica, CA	2.3	318 Boulder, CO	0.0
205 Colorado Springs, CO	3.8	260 Warwick, RI	2.3	318 Brick Twnshp, NJ	0.0
205 Lowell, MA	3.8	265 San Angelo, TX	2.2	318 Cheektowaga, NY	0.0
205 Wichita Falls, TX	3.8	265 Sandy, UT	2.2	318 Colonie, NY	0.0
209 Clearwater, FL	3.6	265 Westminster, CA	2.2	318 Concord, CA	0.0
209 Costa Mesa, CA	3.6	268 Clinton Twnshp, MI	2.1	318 Danbury, CT	0.0
209 Raleigh, NC	3.6	268 Midland, TX	2.1	318 Davie, FL	0.0
209 Warren, MI	3.6	268 Moreno Valley, CA	2.1	318 Dover Twnshp, NJ	0.0
213 El Paso, TX	3.5	268 Norman, OK	2.1	318 Edison Twnshp, NJ	0.0
213 Oxnard, CA	3.5	268 Pasadena, TX	2.1	318 Fargo, ND	0.0
213 Rochester, MN	3.5	268 Pembroke Pines, FL	2.1	318 Fort Collins, CO	0.0
213 Spokane, WA	3.5	268 Richardson, TX	2.1	318 Fremont, CA	0.0
213 Whittier, CA	3.5	275 Santa Rosa, CA	2.0	318 Gilbert, AZ	0.0
218 Alhambra, CA	3.4	276 Cape Coral, FL	1.9	318 Huntington Beach, CA	0.0
218 Sunrise, FL	3.4	276 Santa Clarita, CA	1.9	318 Irvine, CA	0.0
218 Vallejo, CA	3.4	276 Ventura, CA	1.9	318 Lewisville, TX	0.0
218 Westland, MI	3.4	276 West Covina, CA	1.9	318 Manchester, NH	0.0
222 Gresham, OR	3.3	280 Carrollton, TX	1.8	318 Naperville, IL	0.0
222 Vista, CA	3.3	280 Plano, TX	1.8	318 Newton, MA	0.0
224 Fall River, MA	3.2	280 West Valley, UT	1.8	318 Orange, CA	0.0
224 Greece, NY	3.2	283 Abilene, TX	1.7	318 Orem, UT	0.0
224 Mission Viejo, CA	3.2	283 Coral Springs, FL	1.7	318 Provo, UT	0.0
224 Reno, NV	3.2	285 Sioux Falls, SD	1.6	318 Quincy, MA	0.0
224 Santa Barbara, CA	3.2	286 Escondido, CA	1.5	318 Santa Clara, CA	0.0
229 Fairfield, CA	3.1	287 Eugene, OR	1.4	318 Somerville, MA	0.0
229 Mesquite, TX	3.1	288 Beaverton, OR	1.3	318 Sterling Heights, MI	0.0
229 St. Paul, MN	3.1	288 Boca Raton, FL	1.3	318 Sunnyvale, CA	0.0
229 Yonkers, NY	3.1	288 Broken Arrow, OK	1.3	318 Troy, MI	0.0
233 Garden Grove, CA	3.0	288 Clarkstown, NY	1.3	318 Vacaville, CA	0.0
				318 Woodbridge Twnshp, NJ	0.0

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