

Alpha Order - Metro Area

6. Violent Crime Rate in 2005

National Rate = 469.2 Violent Crimes per 100,000 Population*

RANK	METROPOLITAN AREA	RATE	RANK	METROPOLITAN AREA	RATE	RANK	METROPOLITAN AREA	RATE
182	Abilene, TX	397.2	74	Chattanooga, TN-GA	589.2	168	Gadsden, AL	417.8
267	Akron, OH	266.4	318	Cheyenne, WY	178.4	15	Gainesville, FL	867.4
198	Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY	365.7	211	Chico, CA	350.8	281	Gainesville, GA	244.3
191	Albany, GA	374.8	197	Cincinnati-Middletown, OH-KY-IN	366.9	146	Goldsboro, NC	452.0
21	Albuquerque, NM	838.9	105	Clarksville, TN-KY	521.8	330	Grand Forks, ND-MN	148.2
8	Alexandria, LA	983.0	227	Coeur d'Alene, ID	324.3	265	Grand Junction, CO	271.3
245	Allentown-Bethlehem, PA-NJ	298.9	113	College Station-Bryan, TX	508.3	150	Grand Rapids-Wyoming, MI	447.0
268	Altoona, PA	265.4	134	Colorado Springs, CO	477.5	274	Great Falls, MT	256.8
43	Amarillo, TX	676.3	164	Columbia, MO	421.6	156	Greeley, CO	440.4
314	Ames, IA	187.1	33	Columbia, SC	725.9	308	Green Bay, WI	198.7
29	Anchorage, AK	753.7	163	Columbus, GA-AL	422.1	132	Greensboro-High Point, NC	480.5
328	Anderson, IN	152.3	333	Columbus, IN	144.4	87	Greenville, NC	559.1
60	Anderson, SC	621.4	154	Columbus, OH	441.5	38	Greenville, SC	705.6
214	Ann Arbor, MI	344.4	68	Corpus Christi, TX	601.7	244	Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV	302.5
342	Appleton, WI	111.6	335	Corvallis, OR	134.4	189	Hanford-Corcoran, CA	381.2
273	Asheville, NC	257.1	217	Cumberland, MD-WV	338.6	212	Harrisburg-Carlisle, PA	350.6
261	Athens-Clarke County, GA	280.0	91	Dallas (greater), TX	550.8	341	Harrisonburg, VA	117.8
124	Atlanta, GA	492.0	72	Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX M.D.	591.0	247	Hartford, CT	294.9
106	Atlantic City, NJ	516.2	252	Danville, VA	291.7	257	Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton, NC	283.3
180	Auburn-Opelika, AL	398.5	83	Daytona Beach, FL	568.2	194	Hinesville-Fort Stewart, GA	372.3
185	Augusta, GA-SC	392.3	241	Dayton, OH	305.1	311	Holland-Grand Haven, MI	194.4
213	Austin-Round Rock, TX	346.2	301	Decatur, AL	208.7	258	Honolulu, HI	282.9
102	Bakersfield, CA	527.1	152	Denver-Aurora, CO	444.3	47	Hot Springs, AR	663.2
23	Baltimore-Towson, MD	837.1	218	Des Moines-West Des Moines, IA	332.3	141	Houma, LA	459.2
347	Bangor, ME	82.7	32	Detroit (greater), MI	736.3	36	Houston, TX	712.6
173	Barnstable Town, MA	406.1	2	Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, MI M.D.	1,250.7	302	Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH	208.2
35	Baton Rouge, LA	719.2	195	Dothan, AL	369.7	125	Huntsville, AL	488.7
28	Battle Creek, MI	767.4	64	Dover, DE	605.2	298	Idaho Falls, ID	211.9
260	Bay City, MI	280.2	173	Dubuque, IA	406.1	81	Indianapolis, IN	574.4
92	Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	547.0	121	Durham, NC	497.7	283	Iowa City, IA	242.1
292	Bellingham, WA	229.5	337	Eau Claire, WI	125.4	31	Jacksonville, FL	741.9
297	Bend, OR	213.6	324	Edison, NJ M.D.	172.4	186	Jackson, MI	390.5
276	Bethesda-Frederick, MD M.D.	255.4	111	El Centro, CA	511.5	201	Jackson, MS	362.9
295	Billings, MT	218.7	171	El Paso, TX	408.9	7	Jackson, TN	989.0
322	Binghamton, NY	173.1	326	Elizabethtown, KY	160.5	263	Janesville, WI	277.8
344	Bismarck, ND	109.9	319	Elkhart-Goshen, IN	177.9	216	Jefferson City, MO	342.7
309	Blacksburg, VA	195.4	289	Elmira, NY	231.9	158	Johnson City, TN	431.6
315	Bloomington, IN	185.4	271	Erie, PA	260.5	65	Jonesboro, AR	604.8
181	Boston (greater), MA-NH	398.2	184	Essex County, MA M.D.	393.0	187	Joplin, MO	388.4
69	Boston-Quincy, MA M.D.	592.7	279	Eugene-Springfield, OR	247.4	172	Kalamazoo-Portage, MI	407.2
237	Bowling Green, KY	314.2	288	Evansville, IN-KY	232.6	61	Kansas City, MO-KS	614.7
166	Bremerton-Silverdale, WA	420.4	NA	Fairbanks, AK**	NA	286	Kennewick-Richland-Pasco, WA	238.1
255	Bridgeport-Stamford, CT	286.5	339	Fargo, ND-MN	120.7	189	Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood, TX	381.2
133	Brownsville-Harlingen, TX	479.7	NA	Farmington, NM**	NA	149	Kingsport, TN-VA	447.4
40	Brunswick, GA	702.8	250	Fayetteville, AR-MO	292.9	238	Kingston, NY	313.1
108	Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY	515.7	77	Fayetteville, NC	581.8	129	Knoxville, TN	482.9
115	Burlington, NC	505.1	75	Flagstaff, AZ	588.5	248	Kokomo, IN	294.8
285	Cambridge-Newton, MA M.D.	239.8	18	Flint, MI	859.1	331	La Crosse, WI-MN	147.7
210	Camden, NJ M.D.	351.3	1	Florence, SC	1,286.4	300	Lafayette, IN	210.9
84	Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	567.8	336	Fond du Lac, WI	126.1	55	Lafayette, LA	634.3
114	Carson City, NV	507.8	284	Fort Collins-Loveland, CO	241.4	71	Lake Charles, LA	591.9
287	Casper, WY	234.9	73	Fort Lauderdale, FL M.D.	590.5	123	Lakeland, FL	493.4
290	Cedar Rapids, IA	231.3	90	Fort Smith, AR-OK	550.9	325	Lancaster, PA	172.2
20	Charleston-North Charleston, SC	843.7	234	Fort Walton Beach, FL	317.4	135	Lansing-East Lansing, MI	476.7
188	Charleston, WV	382.8	294	Fort Wayne, IN	228.5	116	Laredo, TX	502.5
22	Charlotte-Gastonia, NC-SC	837.7	138	Fort Worth-Arlington, TX M.D.	469.8	162	Las Cruces, NM	425.4
253	Charlottesville, VA	288.3	54	Fresno, CA	638.8	44	Las Vegas-Paradise, NV	674.9

Note: All listings are for Metropolitan Statistical Areas (M.S.A.s) except for those ending with "M.D." Listings with "M.D." are Metropolitan Divisions which are smaller parts of ten large M.S.A.s. See explanatory note at beginning of metropolitan area section on page 23.

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239	Lawrence, KS	310.3	24	Orlando, FL	821.4	176	Seattle (greater), WA	405.4
52	Lawton, OK	647.9	313	Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	190.9	200	Seattle-Bellevue, WA M.D.	363.0
220	Lebanon, PA	331.9	323	Owensboro, KY	172.7	209	Sebastian-Vero Beach, FL	352.2
338	Lewiston-Auburn, ME	122.0	272	Oxnard-Thousand Oaks, CA	259.4	346	Sheboygan, WI	107.4
332	Lewiston, ID-WA	146.9	59	Palm Bay-Melbourne, FL	623.4	259	Sherman-Denison, TX	281.7
177	Lexington-Fayette, KY	403.5	49	Panama City-Lynn Haven, FL	661.2	4	Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	1,078.5
118	Lima, OH	501.3	266	Parkersburg-Marietta, WV-OH	269.8	226	Sioux City, IA-NE-SD	326.7
119	Lincoln, NE	501.0	282	Pascagoula, MS	243.6	270	Sioux Falls, SD	261.4
16	Little Rock, AR	863.5	63	Pensacola, FL	609.2	199	South Bend-Mishawaka, IN-MI	364.7
348	Logan, UT-ID	67.1	58	Philadelphia (greater) PA-NJ-DE	626.5	51	Spartanburg, SC	649.3
48	Longview, TX	662.7	34	Philadelphia, PA M.D.	720.3	178	Spokane, WA	402.2
236	Longview, WA	315.9	110	Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ	513.0	53	Springfield, MA	644.3
46	Los Angeles County, CA M.D.	663.3	26	Pine Bluff, AR	799.9	206	Springfield, MO	355.8
79	Los Angeles (greater), CA	575.5	203	Pittsburgh, PA	360.5	155	Springfield, OH	440.9
169	Louisville, KY-IN	412.6	159	Pittsfield, MA	430.7	345	State College, PA	108.0
12	Lubbock, TX	904.5	242	Pocatello, ID	303.7	10	Stockton, CA	909.4
306	Lynchburg, VA	202.2	97	Port St. Lucie-Fort Pierce, FL	537.8	310	St. Cloud, MN	194.7
117	Macon, GA	501.6	225	Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA	327.3	278	St. George, UT	249.1
104	Madera, CA	522.6	334	Portland, ME	139.5	280	St. Joseph, MO-KS	244.4
293	Madison, WI	229.4	264	Poughkeepsie, NY	274.3	94	St. Louis, MO-IL	544.4
327	Manchester-Nashua, NH	153.8	207	Prescott, AZ	353.1	9	Sumter, SC	939.6
317	Mansfield, OH	180.3	343	Provo-Orem, UT	110.7	215	Syracuse, NY	343.7
140	McAllen-Edinburg-Pharr, TX	463.8	128	Pueblo, CO	483.4	95	Tacoma, WA M.D.	543.3
243	Medford, OR	302.8	144	Punta Gorda, FL	456.8	25	Tallahassee, FL	819.7
3	Memphis, TN-MS-AR	1,196.8	291	Racine, WI	229.6	30	Tampa-St Petersburg, FL	749.7
57	Merced, CA	627.0	222	Raleigh-Cary, NC	330.9	19	Texarkana, TX-Texarkana, AR	847.6
27	Miami (greater), FL	784.5	232	Rapid City, SD	319.6	67	Toledo, OH	602.1
6	Miami-Dade County, FL M.D.	989.1	202	Reading, PA	361.4	179	Topeka, KS	399.9
305	Michigan City-La Porte, IN	203.0	136	Redding, CA	475.4	96	Trenton-Ewing, NJ	543.1
196	Midland, TX	368.7	100	Reno-Sparks, NV	532.3	50	Tucson, AZ	649.7
142	Milwaukee, WI	457.9	175	Richmond, VA	406.0	41	Tulsa, OK	701.4
230	Missoula, MT	321.1	131	Riverside-San Bernardino, CA	481.8	122	Tyler, TX	496.6
183	Mobile, AL	397.1	164	Roanoke, VA	421.6	275	Utica-Rome, NY	256.6
62	Modesto, CA	614.0	316	Rochester, MN	181.3	147	Valdosta, GA	450.6
66	Monroe, LA	602.2	254	Rochester, NY	288.2	208	Victoria, TX	352.9
299	Monroe, MI	211.6	340	Rockingham County, NH M.D.	117.9	13	Vineland, NJ	899.6
85	Montgomery, AL	565.0	107	Rocky Mount, NC	516.1	137	Virginia Beach-Norfolk, VA-NC	470.3
277	Morgantown, WV	253.8	205	Rome, GA	356.1	42	Visalia-Porterville, CA	682.9
167	Morristown, TN	418.8	82	Sacramento, CA	570.4	89	Waco, TX	552.0
296	Mount Vernon-Anacortes, WA	214.1	5	Saginaw, MI	1,037.6	223	Warner Robins, GA	330.3
251	Muncie, IN	292.2	231	Salem, OR	321.0	233	Warren-Farmington Hills, MI M.D.	317.6
86	Muskegon-Norton Shores, MI	562.6	151	Salinas, CA	445.2	130	Washington (greater) DC-VA-MD	482.0
17	Myrtle Beach, SC	860.5	11	Salisbury, MD	906.4	93	Washington, DC-VA-MD-WV M.D.	546.4
204	Napa, CA	358.1	218	Salt Lake City, UT	332.3	229	Waterloo-Cedar Falls, IA	321.7
153	Naples-Marco Island, FL	442.7	193	San Angelo, TX	373.9	329	Wausau, WI	148.8
14	Nashville-Davidson, TN	894.1	109	San Antonio, TX	514.6	303	Wenatchee, WA	208.0
307	Nassau-Suffolk, NY M.D.	201.7	139	San Diego, CA	469.3	45	West Palm Beach, FL M.D.	669.4
145	New York (greater), NY-NJ-PA	453.4	88	San Francisco (greater), CA	555.6	320	Wheeling, WV-OH	176.5
78	New York-W. Plains NY-NJ M.D.	576.1	101	San Francisco-S. Mateo, CA M.D.	527.5	103	Wichita Falls, TX	523.8
161	Newark-Union, NJ-PA M.D.	428.7	235	San Jose, CA	316.2	312	Williamsport, PA	193.7
127	Niles-Benton Harbor, MI	487.0	246	San Luis Obispo, CA	296.6	70	Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ M.D.	592.4
221	Norwich-New London, CT	331.4	248	Sandusky, OH	294.8	147	Wilmington, NC	450.6
80	Oakland-Fremont, CA M.D.	574.9	256	Santa Ana-Anaheim, CA M.D.	283.6	304	Winchester, VA-WV	207.4
39	Ocala, FL	703.9	170	Santa Barbara-Santa Maria, CA	412.3	99	Winston-Salem, NC	532.4
240	Ocean City, NJ	307.0	143	Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	457.8	192	Worcester, MA	374.4
120	Odessa, TX	499.5	37	Santa Fe, NM	706.6	224	Yakima, WA	329.5
321	Ogden-Clearfield, UT	174.2	112	Santa Rosa-Petaluma, CA	510.4	262	York-Hanover, PA	278.6
98	Oklahoma City, OK	532.7	56	Sarasota-Bradenton-Venice, FL	632.0	157	Yuba City, CA	440.3
269	Olympia, WA	261.7	76	Savannah, GA	582.9	126	Yuma, AZ	487.7
160	Omaha-Council Bluffs, NE-IA	430.4	228	Scranton-Wilkes-Barre, PA	323.4			

Source: Federal Bureau of Investigation

"Crime in the United States 2005" (Uniform Crime Reports, September 18, 2006)

*Violent crimes are offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

**Not available.