



Resources on Data

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If additional assistance is required to access data, please contact the Know the Signs Campaign team

Sources containing data on suicide death, attempts behaviors and help-seeking

- CDC: Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance Survey
 - <http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/pdf/ss/ss6104.pdf>
- SAMHSA: National Survey on Drug Use and Health
 - <http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/pdf/ss/ss6013.pdf>
- CDC: WISQARS
 - http://www.cdc.gov/injury/wisqars/fatal_injury_reports.html
- California Health Interview Survey
 - <http://ask.chis.ucla.edu/main/default.asp>
- CDPH: EpiCenter
 - <http://epicenter.cdph.ca.gov/ReportMenus/CustomTables.aspx>
- CDPH: County Health Status Profiles
 - <http://www.cdph.ca.gov/programs/ohir/Pages/CHSPCountySheets.aspx>
- California Suicide Prevention Program: County Data Profiles
 - <http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/MH/Pages/CountyDataFiles.aspx>
- National Suicide Prevention Lifeline data
 - Contact Carole Ludwig at cludwig@mhaofnyc.org
- California Poison Control System data
 - Contact Dr. Stuart Heard at seheard@calpoison.org

Sources containing data on suicide risk and protective factors

- CDC: Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System
 - <http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/BRFSS/index.asp>
- County Health Rankings and Roadmaps
 - www.countyhealthrankings.org

Considerations on data collection, interpretation and framing

- Suicide Prevention Resource Center Training Institute: Coroners and Medical Examiner
 - Contact *Know the Signs* team for a copy
- Suicide Prevention Resource Center Training Institute: Interpreting Data - Special Considerations for Small Populations
 - Contact *Know the Signs* team for a copy
- CDC: *Adding Power to Our Voices - A Framing Guide for Communication*
 - <http://www.cdc.gov/injury/CDCFramingGuide-a.pdf> (see Appendix A, Page 29 for information about using social math)

Lists of other data sources

- Partners in Information Access for the Public Health Workforce
 - http://phpartners.org/health_stats.html
- Suicide Prevention Resource Center: Finding data on suicidal behavior
 - <http://www.sprc.org/sites/sprc.org/files/library/datasources.pdf>