

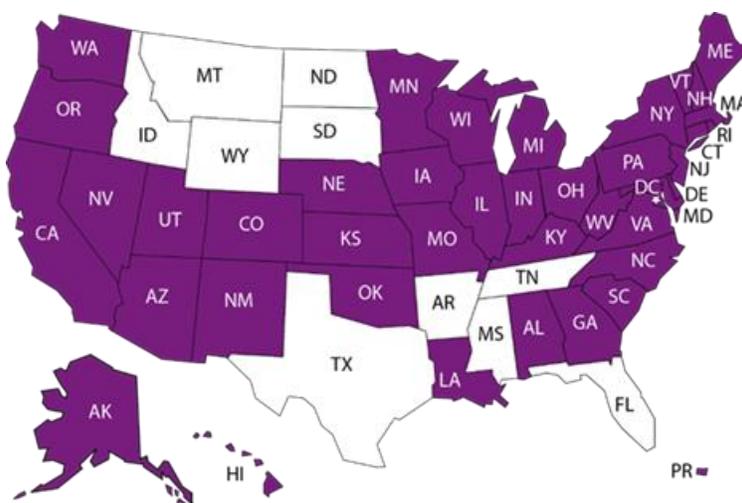


CDC Expands Data Collection on Violent Deaths

Announcing Newly-funded Awardees for the National Violent Death Reporting System

On September 1st, 2016, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announced new awardees for the National Violent Death Reporting System (NVDRS). The additional \$2.1 million in funding will expand NVDRS from 32 to 42 participating states and territories, enabling greater collection of critical data on violent deaths.

Health departments in the following 42 states and territories will collect state-level data on violent deaths over the next five years:



The 42 states and territories participating in NVDRS include Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Georgia, Hawaii, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Maryland, Maine, Mississippi, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, North Carolina, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Utah, Virginia, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia, and Wisconsin.

As CDC expands NVDRS across states and territories, the standardized data collection will enhance CDC's ability to monitor and track trends nationally, as well as inform prevention efforts. Participating states will be better able to use state-level data to develop prevention and intervention efforts to stop violent deaths and help people live life to their full potential.

About NVDRS

NVDRS collects information on who dies violently, where victims are killed, when they are killed, and what factors were perceived to contribute or precipitate the death. NVDRS is the first system to provide detailed information on circumstances precipitating all types of violent deaths including brief narratives, to combine information across multiple data sources, and to link multiple deaths that are related to one another (e.g., multiple homicides, suicide pacts, and cases of homicide followed by the suicide of the suspect).

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