

## Sexual Violence Prevention Data Resources

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### Sexual Violence Specific Data Sources

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National Level [National Intimate Partner Violence Survey](#) (NISVS) is an ongoing, nationally representative telephone survey that collects detailed information on intimate partner violence, sexual violence, and stalking victimization of adult women and men ages 18 and older in the United States. The survey collects data on past-year and lifetime experiences of violence. Findings are generally available on a national level, although the CDC released state level estimates using 2010–2012 data in its [The National Intimate Partner Violence Survey State Report \(2010-2012\)](#).

[Campus Climate Survey on Sexual Assault and Misconduct](#) by the Association of American Universities examines the prevalence of, and assesses the campus climate regarding, sexual assault and misconduct at colleges and universities. The goal of these surveys is to gather data to help inform schools as they create policies and strategies to combat sexual assault and misconduct on their campuses. Twenty-seven schools participated in the 2015 survey and 33 schools participated in the 2019 survey. While the AAU report provides aggregate data, participating schools often post their own findings. No schools in Nebraska participated in the survey.

State Level [Youth Risk Behavior Survey](#) (YRBS) includes national, state, territorial, tribal government, and local school-based surveys of representative samples of 9th through 12th grade students. These surveys are conducted every two years, usually during the spring semester. The YRBS monitors six categories of health-related behaviors that contribute to the leading causes of death and disability among youth and adults, including physical, dating, and sexual violence. You can interact with national and state-level YRBS data through an [online application](#).

State, Agency, School Level [Campus Safety and Security](#) offers statewide and school-level data on criminal offenses (by type), hate crimes, VAWA offenses, arrests, disciplinary actions, unfounded crimes, and fire statistics on campus. Keep in mind, these are reported offenses only.

[Uniform Crime Reporting](#) offers crime estimates by type of crime, by agency for some police departments and statewide. Keep in mind, these are reported offenses only.

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### Other Helpful Data Resources (Not Specific to Sexual Violence)

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National, State, County Level [United States Census Bureau](#) provides current facts and figures about America’s people, places, and economy down to the county level. It conducts numerous censuses and surveys and provides population estimates and projections. It also offers online data tools and apps for you to use to analyze social, economic, and demographic data at the county level.

State, County Level [County Health Rankings & Roadmaps](#) measure health factors, including high school graduation rates, smoking, unemployment, air quality, income inequality, and teen births in every county in America. Roadmaps provide guidance and tools to understand the data, and strategies that communities can use to move into action. You can use their [interactive tool](#) to view your state and counties’ health.

[DHHS Community Health Dashboard](#) presents a comprehensive review of the health and well-being for Nebraskans within 24 focus areas, including mental health, substance abuse, social determinants of health, and other areas.

KIDS COUNT is a project of the Annie E. Casey Foundation. The KIDS COUNT network collects and reports data on the [KIDS COUNT Data Center](#). Each year, Voices for Children provides [Nebraska County Fact Sheets](#) with a summary of KIDS COUNT data.

[Nebraska Community Opportunity Map](#) offers local data on community wellbeing for strong families and safe children, by county and statewide.

School District Level National Center for Education Statistics [Education Demographic and Geographic Estimates](#) (EDGE) offers snapshots of communities by school district, including population, income, race, ethnicity, disability, type of household, education, etc.

[Nebraska Department of Education](#) offers basic demographic data (race, gender, and grade) of students in Nebraska schools, by school, school district, and statewide.

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### State and County Level Data by [Sexual Violence Risk Factors](#)

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Individual  
Level

*ADHERENCE TO TRADITIONAL GENDER ROLE NORMS*

*ALCOHOL & DRUG USE*

- [Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System \(BRFSS\)](#)
  - Binge drinking among adults, statewide
- [KIDS COUNT](#)
  - Youth, 12–17 years of age, who abused alcohol or drugs in the past year, statewide
  - Marijuana use, by age, statewide
  - Illicit drug use (other than marijuana), by age, statewide
  - Binge alcohol drinking among youth, by age, statewide
  - Cigarette use in the past month, by age, statewide
- [National Survey on Drug Use and Health](#)
  - Alcohol, cigarette, marijuana use among youth 12–17 year of age, statewide
  - Heroin use in the past 12 months among people 12 years and older, statewide
  - Alcohol use disorder in the past 12 months among people 12 years and older, statewide
- [Youth Risk Behavioral Survey \(YRBS\)](#)
  - Various measures on alcohol, tobacco, and drug use among youth, by race, sex, grade, sexual orientation, and substance, statewide

*COERCIVE SEXUAL FANTASIES*

*DELINQUENCY*

- ED.gov [Civil Rights Data Collection](#)
  - In-school and out-of-school suspensions, expulsions, referrals to law enforcement, school-related arrests, and corporal punishment, by school district and statewide
- [KIDS COUNT](#)
  - Juvenile arrests, by county and statewide
  - Juveniles tried in adult court, by county and statewide
  - Youth in juvenile detention, correctional, and residential facilities, statewide
- [Nebraska Community Opportunity Map](#)
  - Juvenile arrests, by county and statewide

*EARLY SEXUAL INITIATION*

- [YRBS](#)
  - Percent of youth who had sex before age 13, statewide

*EXPOSURE TO SEXUALLY EXPLICIT MEDIA*

*GENERAL AGGRESSIVENESS AND ACCEPTANCE OF VIOLENCE*

*HOSTILITY TOWARDS WOMEN*

*HYPER-MASCULINITY*

*LACK OF EMPATHY*

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### State and County Level Data by [Sexual Violence Risk Factors](#) (continued)

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- Individual Level (cont.)
- PREFERENCE FOR IMPERSONAL SEX & SEXUAL-RISK TAKING*
    - [YRBS](#)
      - Various measures on sexual risk taking among youth, by race, sex, grade, and sexual orientation, statewide
  - PRIOR SEXUAL VICTIMIZATION OR PERPETRATION*
    - [YRBS](#)
      - Various measures on sexual and dating violence among youth, by race, sex, grade, and sexual orientation, statewide
  - SUICIDAL BEHAVIOR*
    - [National Survey on Drug Use and Health](#)
      - Thoughts of suicide among adults, statewide
    - [YRBS](#)
      - Various measures on suicide among youth, by race, sex, grade, and sexual orientation, statewide
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- Relationship Level
- ASSOCIATION WITH SEXUALLY AGGRESSIVE, HYPERMASCULINE, & DELINQUENT PEERS*
  - CHILDHOOD HISTORY OF PHYSICAL, SEXUAL, OR EMOTIONAL ABUSE*
    - [KIDS COUNT](#)
      - Child maltreatment victims confirmed by Child Protective Services, by county
      - Child maltreatment victims confirmed by Child Protective Services, by age, gender, and maltreatment type, statewide
    - [Nebraska Community Opportunity Map](#)
      - Child maltreatment victims confirmed by Child Protective Services, by county and statewide
  - EMOTIONALLY UNSUPPORTIVE FAMILY ENVIRONMENT*
  - FAMILY ENVIRONMENT CHARACTERIZED BY PHYSICAL VIOLENCE & CONFLICT POOR INVOLVEMENT IN A VIOLENT OR ABUSIVE INTIMATE RELATIONSHIP*
  - PARENT-CHILD RELATIONSHIPS, PARTICULARLY WITH FATHERS*
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- Community Level
- GENERAL TOLERANCE OF SEXUAL VIOLENCE WITHIN THE COMMUNITY*
  - LACK OF EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES*
    - [American Community Survey](#)
      - Employment status, by county and statewide
    - [Bureau of Labor Statistics](#) county level unemployment
      - Various employment data, including point-in-time (month/year) unemployment rate, by county and statewide
    - [KIDS COUNT](#)
      - Various measures on household and teen employment, by race, ethnicity, and age, by county and statewide
  - LACK OF INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT FROM POLICE & JUDICIAL SYSTEM*

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### State and County Level Data by [Sexual Violence Risk Factors](#) (*continued*)

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- Community Level (cont.)
- POVERTY*
- [American Community Survey](#)
    - Income (by type), by county and statewide
    - Percent of people and families whose income was below poverty level in the last 12 months, by county and statewide
  - [KIDS COUNT](#)
    - Various measures on poverty (and income, food and housing insecurities, and public assistance), by race, ethnicity, and age, by county and statewide
  - [Nebraska Department of Education](#)
    - Free and reduced lunch counts for Nebraska students, by school
  - [Nebraska Community Opportunity Map](#)
    - Number of children, 5 and under and 18 and under, living below poverty level, by county and statewide
  - [Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates](#)
    - Number of people in poverty, under age 18, ages 5–17 years, and under age 5, by school district, county, and statewide
    - Median household income, by county and statewide
- WEAK COMMUNITY SANCTIONS AGAINST SEXUAL VIOLENCE PERPETRATORS*
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- Society Level
- HIGH LEVELS OF CRIME & OTHER FORMS OF VIOLENCE*
- [Uniform Crime Reporting](#)
    - Crime estimates by type of crime, by agency for some police departments and statewide
- SOCIETAL NORMS THAT MAINTAIN WOMEN'S INFERIORITY & SEXUAL SUBMISSIVENESS*
- SOCIETAL NORMS THAT SUPPORT MALE SUPERIORITY & SEXUAL ENTITLEMENT*
- SOCIETAL NORMS THAT SUPPORT SEXUAL VIOLENCE*
- WEAK LAWS AND POLICIES RELATED TO SEXUAL VIOLENCE & GENDER EQUITY*
- [The World Bank](#)
    - [Women, Business, and the Law Annual Index Scores](#) on gender equality in the law is a national score based on women going places, starting a job, getting paid, getting married, having children, running a business, managing assets, and getting a pension, national level data only

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### State and County Level Data by [Sexual Violence Protective Factors](#)

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#### *ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT*

- [American Community Survey](#)
  - School enrollment by school level, by county and statewide
  - Educational attainment by grade completion and/or degree, by county and statewide
- [KIDS COUNT](#)
  - High school graduation, by county and statewide
  - Dropouts, 7<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grades, by county and statewide
  - Young adults, ages 18–24 years, enrolled in or have completed college, statewide
  - Educational attainment of population, ages 25–34 years, statewide
  - Educational attainment of working age populations, 25–64 years, statewide
  - Fourth grade reading and math levels, statewide
- [Nebraska Community Opportunity Map](#)
  - High school graduation, by county and statewide

#### *EMPATHY AND CONCERN FOR HOW ONE'S ACTIONS AFFECT OTHERS*

#### *EMOTIONAL HEALTH AND CONNECTEDNESS*

- [American Community Survey](#)
  - Number of people who have lived in the same residence or moved to a new residence in the past year, by county and statewide
  - Number of households with computers and Internet access, by county and statewide
- ED.gov [Civil Rights Data Collection](#)
  - In-school and out-of-school suspensions, expulsions, referrals to law enforcement, school-related arrests, and corporal punishment, by school district and statewide
- [KIDS COUNT](#)
  - Teen, ages 16–19 years of age, not attending school and not working, statewide
  - Youth not attending school and not working, by age group, statewide
  - Children who have been expelled from school, statewide
  - Children who have been suspended from school, statewide
- [Measure of America on the Social Science Research Council](#)
  - Percent of youth, 16–24 years of age, who are “disconnected” (e.g., not working or in school), by county (if large enough sample) and statewide

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### State and County Level Data by [Sexual Violence Protective Factors](#) (*continued*)

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#### *EMOTIONAL HEALTH AND CONNECTEDNESS (CONTINUED)*

- [National Survey on Children's Health](#)<sup>i</sup> examines community and school activities, family health and activities, statewide, including
  - Youth, ages 6–17 years, who participated in at least one organized activity or lesson outside of school in past 12 months, statewide
  - Parents attendance at these activities, statewide
  - Youth, ages 6–17 years, who participated in volunteer service through school, church, or community, statewide
  - Youth, ages 6–17 years, with an adult mentor, statewide
  - Youth, ages 12–17 years, working for pay
  - Youth, ages 6–17 years, in families that share ideas
  - Youth, ages 0–5 years, in families that read to children
  - Youth in families that eat meals together
  - Family resilience
  - Youth, ages 6–17 years, who make and keep friends

#### *PARENTAL USE OF REASONING TO RESOLVE FAMILY CONFLICT*

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<sup>i</sup> The National Survey on Children's Health collects some Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACES) data as well as data on neighborhood safety and support, statewide. While these topics have not been identified as a risk or protective factor to sexual violence, it may be worthwhile to consider this data in sexual violence prevention strategies.