

Facts about Mental Health in Florida

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Florida – Mental Health Statistics



Access to Care Ranking

61.7% of adults with Any Mental Illness in Florida did not receive treatment
National average – **55.8%**

The Access Ranking indicates how much access to mental health care exists within a state. The access measures include access to insurance, access to treatment, quality and cost of insurance, access to special education, and workforce availability. A ranking of 1 indicates that a state provides the most access to insurance and mental health treatment. A ranking of 50 indicates the least level of access to insurance and mental health treatment in the U.S.

Florida Ranks 44th

Source: *The State of Mental Health in America 2018*, Mental Health America

1 in 6



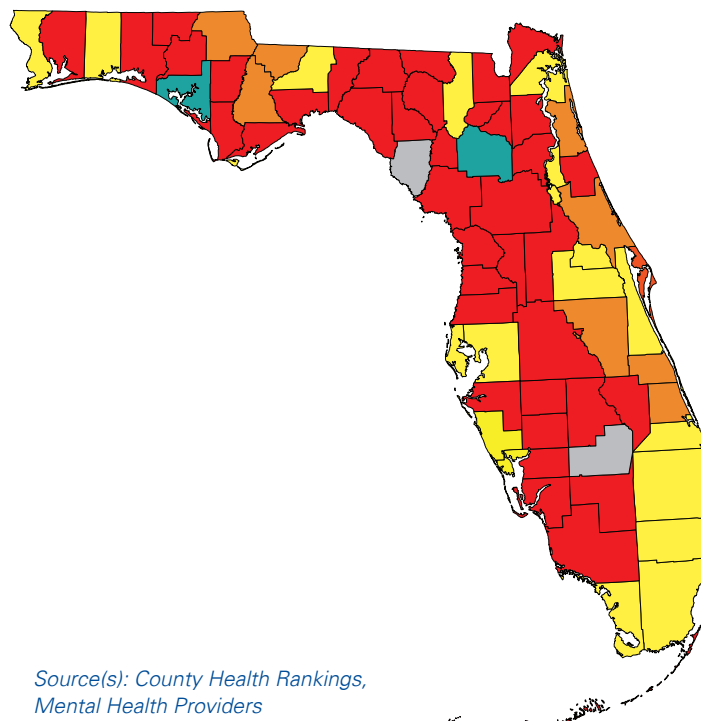
1 in 6 adults in the U.S. experience any mental illness within a given year

Source: *2016 National Survey on Drug Use and Health (NSDUH)* by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)

Ratio of Population to Mental Health Providers, 2016

Key:

- Red = 1:1,001+
- Orange = 1:751-1,000
- Yellow = 1:501-750
- Green = 1:1-500
- Grey = NA



Source(s): *County Health Rankings, Mental Health Providers*

Suicide counts are higher than homicides in **62** of Florida's **67** counties. **93%** of the state experienced more suicides than homicides in 2016.

Resident deaths by selected causes, by county, Florida, 2016

	Suicide	Homicide		Suicide	Homicide		Suicide	Homicide
Florida	3122	1292	Gulf	2	0	Okaloosa	42	13
Alachua	32	8	Hamilton	2	0	Okeechobee	8	6
Baker	5	1	Hardee	6	0	Orange	126	118
Bay	45	7	Hendry	5	6	Osceola	36	20
Bradford	1	4	Hernando	38	6	Palm Beach	230	89
Brevard	134	30	Highlands	24	6	Pasco	104	14
Broward	243	104	Hillsborough	163	84	Pinellas	214	54
Calhoun	2	0	Holmes	4	1	Polk	87	46
Charlotte	38	3	Indian River	29	5	Putnam	15	7
Citrus	29	4	Jackson	3	2	Saint Johns	43	8
Clay	38	11	Jefferson	2	2	Saint Lucie	51	15
Collier	45	8	Lafayette	0	0	Santa Rosa	43	7
Columbia	9	9	Lake	52	13	Sarasota	91	12
Miami-Dade	241	214	Lee	113	46	Seminole	71	28
Desoto	8	0	Leon	26	12	Sumter	19	1
Dixie	2	0	Levy	5	3	Suwannee	6	3
Duval	131	111	Liberty	1	1	Taylor	4	3
Escambia	61	23	Madison	0	2	Union	6	4
Flagler	20	2	Manatee	81	25	Volusia	103	26
Franklin	2	1	Marion	64	29	Wakulla	7	2
Gadsden	3	7	Martin	34	8	Walton	15	2
Gilchrist	3	0	Monroe	19	3	Washington	8	1
Glades	4	1	Nassau	21	6			

Source(s): Florida Life Course Indicator Report: Mental Health, Florida Health; USA Suicide: 2015 Official Final Data

Florida ranked last in the U.S. Per Capita Mental Health Support, FY14

U.S. **125.9**

Florida **36.05**

Florida's per capita support for mental health services ranks last among the states

Source(s): National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors Inc. (NRI-inc). 2014. SMHA Mental Health Actual Dollar and Per Capita Expenditures by State. FY 2014 (Using Civilian Population).

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