

**TABLE 8-9. Suicide Attempts by Sex, Age, and Method,
Oregon Minors, 2005**

Method of Attempt	Total	Sex		Age		
		Male	Female	≤12	13-14	15-17
Total	773	188	585	45	177	551
Poisoning, Drugs	457	84	373	19	93	345
Poisoning, Other Substances	12	5	7	2	4	6
Hanging & Suffocation	30	19	11	9	9	12
Drowning	—	—	—	—	—	—
Firearms	2	1	1	—	—	2
Fire & Smoke	1	—	1	—	1	—
Cutting & Piercing	166	47	119	5	52	109
Jumping from a High Place	2	2	—	—	—	2
Other Single Method	29	13	16	7	5	17
Drugs & Other Substances	26	6	20	1	2	23
Drugs/Other Subs & Cutting	36	7	29	1	8	27
Other Multiple Methods	12	4	8	1	3	8
Row Percent						
Total	100.0	24.3	75.7	5.8	22.9	71.3
Poisoning, Drugs	100.0	18.4	81.6	4.2	20.4	75.5
Poisoning, Other Substances ...	100.0	41.7	58.3	16.7	33.3	50.0
Hanging & Suffocation	100.0	63.3	36.7	30.0	30.0	40.0
Drowning	—	—	—	—	—	—
Firearms	100.0	50.0	50.0	—	—	100.0
Fire & Smoke	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—
Cutting & Piercing	100.0	28.3	71.7	3.0	31.3	65.7
Jumping from a High Place	100.0	100.0	—	—	—	100.0
Other Single Method	100.0	44.8	55.2	24.1	17.2	58.6
Drugs & Other Substances	100.0	23.1	76.9	3.8	7.7	88.5
Drugs/Other Subs & Cutting	100.0	19.4	80.6	2.8	22.2	75.0
Other Multiple Methods	100.0	33.3	66.7	8.3	25.0	66.7
Column Percent						
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Poisoning, Drugs	59.1	44.7	63.8	42.2	52.5	62.6
Poisoning, Other Substances ...	1.6	2.7	1.2	4.4	2.3	1.1
Hanging & Suffocation	3.9	10.1	1.9	20.0	5.1	2.2
Drowning	—	—	—	—	—	—
Firearms	0.3	0.5	0.2	—	—	0.4
Fire & Smoke	0.1	—	0.2	—	0.6	—
Cutting & Piercing	21.5	25.0	20.3	11.1	29.4	19.8
Jumping from a High Place	0.3	1.1	—	—	—	0.4
Other Single Method	3.8	6.9	2.7	15.6	2.8	3.1
Drugs & Other Substances	3.4	3.2	3.4	2.2	1.1	4.2
Drugs/Other Subs & Cutting	4.7	3.7	5.0	2.2	4.5	4.9
Other Multiple Methods	1.6	2.1	1.4	2.2	1.7	1.5

— Quantity is zero.