

TABLE 8-8.
SUICIDE ATTEMPTS BY METHOD AND AGE,
OREGON MINORS, 1996

METHOD OF ATTEMPT	TOTAL	AGE		
		<=12	13-14	15-17
TOTAL	778	52	209	517
POISONING, DRUGS	604	34	174	396
POISONING, SOLIDS & LIQUIDS	14	5	4	5
POISONING, GAS	1	-	-	1
SUFFOCATION & HANGING	39	7	5	27
DROWNING	-	-	-	-
FIREARMS	1	-	-	1
CUTTING & PIERCING	59	2	16	41
JUMPING FROM A HIGH PLACE	-	-	-	-
OTHER	39	1	6	32
IDEATION ONLY	21	3	4	14
<i>ROW PERCENT</i>				
TOTAL	100.0	6.7	26.9	66.5
POISONING, DRUGS	100.0	5.6	28.8	65.6
POISONING, SOLIDS & LIQUIDS	100.0	35.7	28.6	35.7
POISONING, GAS	100.0	-	-	100.0
SUFFOCATION & HANGING	100.0	17.9	12.8	69.2
DROWNING	-	-	-	-
FIREARMS	100.0	-	-	100.0
CUTTING & PIERCING	100.0	3.4	27.1	69.5
JUMPING FROM A HIGH PLACE	-	-	-	-
OTHER	100.0	2.6	15.4	82.1
IDEATION ONLY	100.0	14.3	19.0	66.7
<i>COLUMN PERCENT</i>				
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
POISONING, DRUGS	77.6	65.4	83.3	76.6
POISONING, SOLIDS & LIQUIDS	1.8	9.6	1.9	1.0
POISONING, GAS	.1	-	-	.2
SUFFOCATION & HANGING	5.0	13.5	2.4	5.2
DROWNING	-	-	-	-
FIREARMS	.1	-	-	.2
CUTTING & PIERCING	7.6	3.8	7.7	7.9
JUMPING FROM A HIGH PLACE	-	-	-	-
OTHER	5.0	1.9	2.9	6.2
IDEATION ONLY	2.7	5.8	1.9	2.7