

**TABLE 8-12. Reasons Given for Suicide Attempts
by History of Previous Attempts, Oregon Minors, 2000**

Reasons	Total	Previous Attempts		
		Yes	No	N.S.
Total	705	267	312	126
Family Discord	410	159	191	60
School-Related Problems	184	80	90	14
Argument with Boy/Girlfriend	149	46	81	22
Substance Abuse	70	38	23	9
Rape or Sexual Abuse	53	31	16	6
Peer Pressure/Conflict	52	19	28	5
Problems with the Law	36	16	13	7
Move or New School	32	14	13	5
Physical Abuse	30	18	6	6
Death of Family Member/Friend	27	11	12	4
Suicide by Friend/Relative	14	5	7	2
Pregnancy	4	2	2	—
Other Reasons	217	86	91	40
		Row Percent		
Total	100.0	46.1	53.9	(*)
Family Discord	100.0	45.4	54.6	(*)
School-Related Problems	100.0	47.1	52.9	(*)
Argument with Boy/Girlfriend	100.0	36.2	63.8	(*)
Substance Abuse	100.0	62.3	37.7	(*)
Rape or Sexual Abuse	100.0	66.0	34.0	(*)
Peer Pressure/Conflict	100.0	40.4	59.6	(*)
Problems with the Law	100.0	55.2	44.8	(*)
Move or New School	100.0	51.9	48.1	(*)
Physical Abuse	100.0	75.0	25.0	(*)
Death of Family Member/Friend	100.0	47.8	52.2	(*)
Suicide by Friend/Relative	100.0	41.7	58.3	(*)
Pregnancy	100.0	50.0	50.0	(*)
Other Reasons	100.0	48.6	51.4	(*)

* Note: Percentages exclude cases with missing data. Cases lacking reason information are excluded from this table.

— Quantity is zero.