

TABLE 6-34. Deaths due to firearms by manner, sex, age, race/ethnicity, county of residence, and weapon type, Oregon residents, 2016

Characteristics	Total		Unintended injuries		Suicide		Homicide		Legal interven. ²		Undeterm. manner	
	All guns	Hand-guns ¹	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Total	510	337	5	2*	353	59	62	15	11	-	3	-
Age												
<1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1-4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-9	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
10-14	4	2	-	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
15-17	8	4	1	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
18-19	10	1	-	-	5	-	3	1	1	-	-	-
20-21	18	9	-	-	10	1	3	2	-	-	2	-
22-24	27	15	1	-	11	4	9	1	1	-	-	-
25-34	70	44	-	-	42	5	18	2	2	-	-	-
35-44	72	43	1	-	47	9	9	2	4	-	-	-
45-54	83	57	1	-	52	14	9	4	2	-	1	-
55-64	83	55	1	-	63	10	8	1	-	-	-	-
65-74	62	52	-	-	53	8	-	-	1	-	-	-
75-84	49	33	-	-	41	4	1	2	-	-	-	-
85+	23	21	-	-	20	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Single mention race/ethnicity												
White	450	303	3	-	329	54	36	14	10	-	2	-
Black	11	4	-	-	1	1	8	-	1	-	-	-
American Indian	6	4	1	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Asian ³	6	4	-	-	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
HI & Pac. Is. ⁴	4	3	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other & not stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Multiple races	5	3	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	1	-
Hispanic ⁵	28	16	1	-	10	1	15	1	-	-	-	-
County of residence												
Baker	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Benton	6	4	-	-	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Clackamas	43	23	-	-	33	1	5	-	2	-	1	-
Clatsop	9	3	-	-	7	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Columbia	9	6	-	-	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coos	12	11	-	-	9	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Crook	6	6	-	-	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Curry	8	6	-	-	5	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Deschutes	17	9	-	-	13	1	-	1	2	-	-	-
Douglas	20	13	-	-	12	3	3	1	-	-	1	-
Gilliam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grant	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

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	All guns	Hand-guns ¹	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
County of residence												
Harney	3	2	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hood River	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jackson	31	16	—	—	18	6	5	—	1	—	1	—
Jefferson	3	1	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—
Josephine	20	14	1	—	11	3	5	—	—	—	—	—
Klamath	17	14	1	—	10	3	2	1	—	—	—	—
Lake	2	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lane	53	40	—	—	42	7	3	1	—	—	—	—
Lincoln	16	13	—	—	11	3	1	1	—	—	—	—
Linn	15	11	—	—	14	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Malheur	4	3	—	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Marion	33	23	2	—	18	4	6	1	1	—	—	—
Morrow	3	2	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Multnomah	79	46	—	—	52	9	13	3	2	—	—	—
Polk	7	3	—	—	4	1	1	—	1	—	—	—
Sherman	2	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tillamook	7	5	—	—	5	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
Umatilla	19	9	—	—	13	—	6	—	—	—	—	—
Union	2	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wallowa	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wasco	4	3	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Washington	41	29	1	—	25	5	4	4	2	—	—	—
Wheeler	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Yamhill	15	14	—	—	14	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Weapon type												
Handgun	337	337	3	—	257	52	18	3	—	—	3	—
Long gun ⁶	96	—	2	—	80	5	8	1	—	—	—	—
Other & not stated ^{7,8} ...	77	—	—	—	16	2	36	11	11	—	—	—

— Quantity is zero.

* Some categories are suppressed for confidentiality.

¹ The 10th revision of the International Classification of Disease (ICD-10) does not distinguish between the types of firearms involved in legal intervention deaths. Although handguns were used in nearly all such deaths, they are not included in this column.

² Legal intervention is the intentional or unintentional death of a person resulting from the actions of a law enforcement agent. This category may not include all such deaths if the certifying medical examiner failed to note (on the death certificate) the involvement of a law enforcement agent.

³ Includes Asian Indian, Chinese, Filipino, Japanese, Korean, Vietnamese and other Asian.

⁴ Includes Guamanian, Hawaiian, Samoan and other Pacific Islander.

⁵ Decedents of Hispanic ethnicity may belong to any race but have been removed from all race categories in this table.

⁶ The ICD-10, unlike ICD-9, does not distinguish between rifles, shotguns, and military (assault) weapons.

⁷ Because the ICD-10 does not include codes for the specific types of guns involved in legal intervention deaths, all such deaths are included here. However, nearly all legal intervention gunshot deaths involve handguns.

⁸ It is the Oregon Medical Examiner's policy not to specify the type of firearm used in a homicide on the death certificate.