

Greene County Violence Profile



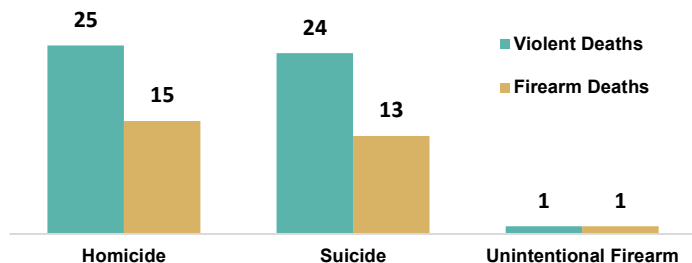
Greene County, located in eastern North Carolina, has a population of 20,856 and is predominantly rural. The largest city is Snow Hill with a population of 3,402. The closest trauma center is ECU Medical Center (23 miles from Snow Hill).

Violent Deaths

Greene County had 9 violent deaths* in 2022

60% of homicides and 54% of suicides in the past 10 years involved a firearm

All Violent Deaths and Firearm Deaths by Manner; Greene County, 2013-2022



In Greene County, 64% of all homicide deaths involved an argument or conflict

Homicide circumstances vary by sex of the victim

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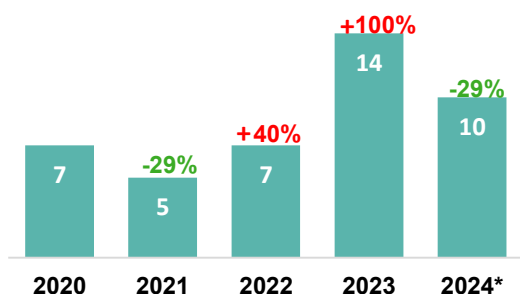
More than
1 in 4
male homicide deaths were precipitated by another crime

More than
2 in 5
female homicide deaths involved intimate partner violence

Source: VDRS 2013-2022.

*Violent deaths includes deaths due to homicide, suicide, unintentional firearm, legal intervention, and undetermined intent. Limited to NC residents. 92% of homicide victims had circumstance information. Suicide deaths are only reported for ages ≥10. For more detailed violent death data visit: [NC-VDRS Data Dashboard](#)

Firearm-related Injury Emergency Department Visits by Year; Greene County



Violent Injury

In 2024, a total of 10 Greene County residents visited the emergency department due to firearm injury

Emergency department visits due to firearm injury decreased by 29% in the past year among Greene County residents

provisional data. Source: NC DETECT, ED Visits 2020-2024

For more detailed firearm injury data visit: [NC FASTER Reports | NC DETECT](#)

Crime

In 2023, Greene County had a total crime count of 682 with 57 violent crimes*

Violent crime in Greene County has increased by 30% in the past year

Violent Crimes per 100,000 people

279 312
Greene Statewide

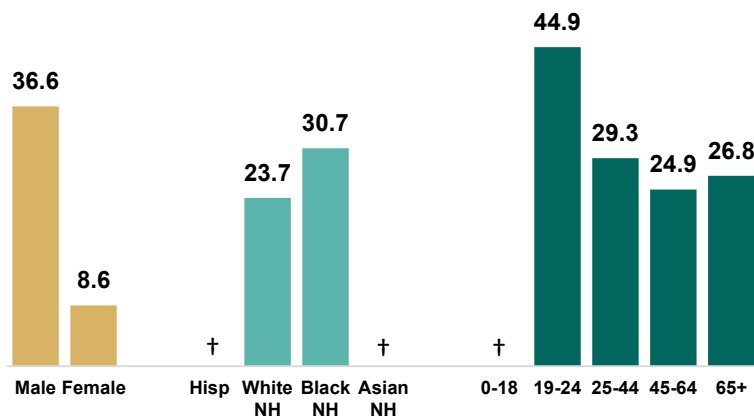
The most common violent crimes were aggravated assault (70.2%) and rape (10.5%)

*Violent Crimes include the offenses of homicide (murder and non-negligent manslaughter and negligent manslaughter), aggravated assault, rape (including sodomy and sexual assault with an object) and robbery. Greene County had a reporting coverage of 100% of the population compared to the statewide coverage of 98% (2021). Source: CJAC NIBRS 2023

For more detailed crime data visit: [NC Justice Data Portal](#)

Male, Non-Hispanic Black, and young adult residents have the highest rates of violent death in Greene County

Violent Death Rate by Demographics; Greene County, 2013-2022



† indicates fewer than 5 deaths; rates based on fewer than 5 deaths are considered unstable



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