

Yadkin County Violence Profile



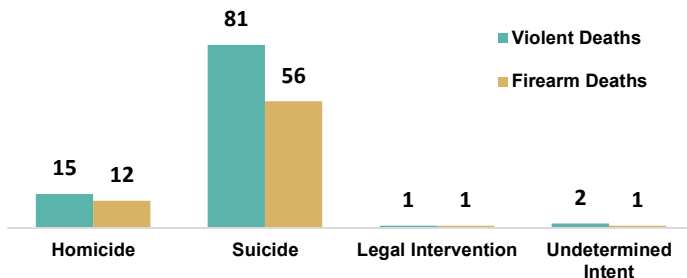
Yadkin County, located in western North Carolina, has a population of 38,308 and is predominantly rural. The largest city is Yadkinville with a population of 3,032. The closest trauma center is Atrium WFBH (24 miles from Yadkinville).

Violent Deaths

Yadkin County had 14 violent deaths* in 2022

80% of homicides and 69% of suicides in the past 10 years involved a firearm

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



Crime

In 2023, Yadkin County had a total crime count of 1,734 with 57 violent crimes*

Violent crime in Yadkin County has neither increased nor decreased in the past year

Violent Crimes per 100,000 people

156 312
Yadkin Statewide

The most common violent crimes were aggravated assault (64.9%) and rape (15.8%)

*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. Yadkin County had a reporting coverage of 98% 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 middle-aged adult residents have the highest rates of violent death in Yadkin County

In Yadkin County, 53% of all homicide deaths involved an argument or conflict

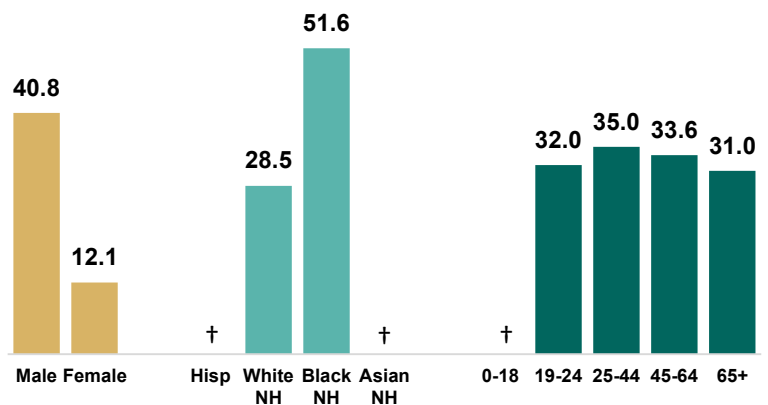
Homicide circumstances vary by sex of the victim

In Yadkin County...

More than
1 in 4
male homicide deaths involved intimate partner violence

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

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

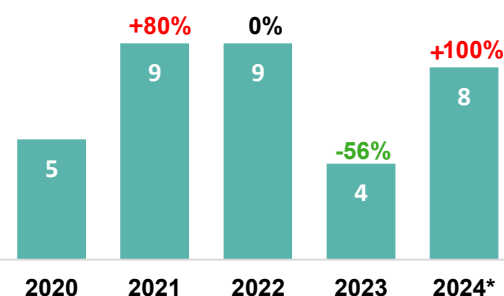


† indicates fewer than 5 deaths; rates based on fewer than 5 deaths are considered unstable

Source: VDRS 2013-2022.

*Violent deaths includes deaths due to homicide, suicide, unintentional firearm, legal intervention, and undetermined intent. Limited to NC residents. 100% 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; Yadkin County



Violent Injury

In 2024, a total of 8 Yadkin County residents visited the emergency department due to firearm injury

Emergency department visits due to firearm injury increased by 100% in the past year among Yadkin County residents

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

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



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