

Table 6. Percent of arrest-related deaths, by selected characteristics and cause of death, 2003-2006

Selected characteristics	All causes	Homicide	Drug/alcohol intoxication	Suicide	Accident	Illness	Other/ Don't know
All deaths	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
Gender							
Male	95.8 %	96.6 %	94.6 %	95.2 %	97.3 %	91.4 %	94.0 %
Female	4.2	3.4	5.4	4.8	2.7	8.6	6.0
Race/Hispanic origin							
White, non-Hispanic	43.3 %	44.2 %	33.9 %	56.2 %	36.0 %	45.5 %	37.4 %
Black, non-Hispanic	31.8	29.7	39.6	15.5	42.7	40.3	44.5
Hispanic	21.1	21.3	22.8	25.4	19.7	11.9	17.0
Other ^a	3.8	4.7	3.8	2.8	1.7	2.2	1.1
Age^b							
Under 18	2.6 %	3.4 %	1.3 %	2.1 %	2.8 %	0.0 %	0.5 %
18-24	19.2	23.9	9.6	17.3	20.0	2.9	10.4
25-34	29.7	30.8	35.5	25.8	27.8	15.8	29.0
35-44	27.4	23.6	35.5	32.2	28.9	23.7	39.3
45-54	14.9	12.7	16.0	14.8	16.1	33.1	15.8
55 or older	6.2	5.5	2.2	7.8	4.4	24.5	4.9
Number of deaths	2,686	1,553	317	289	182	139	206

^aIncludes American Indians, Alaska Natives, Asians, Native Hawaiians, other Pacific Islanders, and persons of two or more races.

^bIncludes 64 cases in which only year of birth was reported, and age was estimated based on an imputed date of birth of June 30th.