

Table 13. Percent of arrest-related deaths, by characteristics of the law enforcement agency involved and cause of death, 2003-2006

| | All causes | Homicide | Drug/alcohol intoxication | Suicide | Accident | Illness | Other/ Don't know |
|---|--------------|--------------|------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|----------------------|
| All deaths | 100 % | 100 % | 100 % | 100 % | 100 % | 100 % | 100 % |
| Type of agency involved in arrest* | | | | | | | |
| Sheriff's office | 20.2 % | 21.0 % | 14.5 % | 21.2 % | 22.1 % | 12.3 % | 25.6 % |
| Local police department | 73.0 | 71.4 | 81.4 | 71.2 | 70.2 | 81.2 | 71.9 |
| State police/highway patrol | 5.6 | 6.4 | 2.8 | 7.3 | 6.1 | 3.6 | 2.5 |
| Special jurisdiction police | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 0.3 | 1.7 | 2.2 | 0.0 |
| Constables | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.7 | 0.0 |
| Number of full-time sworn personnel employed by the agency involved* | | | | | | | |
| 1-9 | 2.5 % | 2.1 % | 1.3 % | 4.5 % | 2.7 % | 4.3 % | 3.4 % |
| 10-24 | 4.9 | 4.0 | 4.7 | 10.8 | 3.8 | 5.1 | 3.9 |
| 25-49 | 8.1 | 7.8 | 4.7 | 15.6 | 8.2 | 8.7 | 4.9 |
| 50-99 | 9.1 | 8.6 | 8.8 | 10.4 | 11.5 | 9.4 | 9.4 |
| 100-249 | 14.3 | 13.9 | 17.7 | 11.1 | 16.5 | 13.8 | 15.3 |
| 250-499 | 12.2 | 12.6 | 12.3 | 8.3 | 12.6 | 10.9 | 14.8 |
| 500-999 | 10.9 | 11.0 | 11.4 | 11.8 | 13.2 | 5.8 | 8.9 |
| 1,000 or more | 38.0 | 39.9 | 39.1 | 27.4 | 31.3 | 42.0 | 39.4 |
| Number of deaths | 2,686 | 1,553 | 317 | 289 | 182 | 139 | 206 |

* In cases involving multiple arresting agencies, the characteristics of the largest agency are reported.