

**Table 4. Personal crimes, 2008:**

**Victimization rates for persons age 12 or older,  
by sex and age of victims and type of crime**

| Sex and age   | Total population | Rate per 1,000 persons in each age group |                    |                               |                                  |         |             |                |         |            |        |       |
|---------------|------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------|-------------|----------------|---------|------------|--------|-------|
|               |                  | Crimes of violence                       |                    | Attempted/threatened violence | Rape/sexual assault <sup>a</sup> | Robbery |             |                | Assault |            |        |       |
|               |                  | Total                                    | Completed violence |                               |                                  | Total   | With injury | Without injury | Total   | Aggravated | Simple |       |
| <b>Male</b>   |                  |  |                    |                               |                                  |         |             |                |         |            |        |       |
| 12-15         | 8,393,320        | 48.9                                     | 15.3               | 33.6                          | 1.5 *                            | 8.5     | 3.5 *       | 5.1            | 38.8    | 6.4        | 32.4   | 2.5 * |
| 16-19         | 8,827,350        | 46.5                                     | 15.4               | 31.1                          | 0.0 *                            | 7.8     | 3.3 *       | 4.5            | 38.6    | 6.4        | 32.2   | 0.2 * |
| 20-24         | 10,358,850       | 33.9                                     | 10.3               | 23.6                          | 0.6 *                            | 5.6     | 1.9 *       | 3.7            | 27.7    | 8.2        | 20     | 1.2 * |
| 25-34         | 20,477,590       | 26.1                                     | 5.6                | 20.6                          | 0.0 *                            | 1.5 *   | 0.9 *       | 0.7 *          | 24.6    | 4.4        | 20     | 0.0 * |
| 35-49         | 32,296,390       | 16.2                                     | 3.0                | 13.2                          | 0.5 *                            | 2.1     | 0.6 *       | 1.5            | 13.6    | 3.3        | 10.3   | 0.3 * |
| 50-64         | 26,752,050       | 13.1                                     | 2.6                | 10.5                          | 0.2 *                            | 1.0 *   | 0.1 *       | 0.8 *          | 11.9    | 2.8        | 9.1    | 0.4 * |
| 65 or older   | 15,965,470       | 3.0                                      | 0.6 *              | 2.4                           | 0.0 *                            | 0.3 *   | 0.2 *       | 0.1 *          | 2.7     | 0.5 *      | 2.2 *  | 0.7 * |
| <b>Female</b> |                  |  |                    |                               |                                  |         |             |                |         |            |        |       |
| 12-15         | 8,021,230        | 35.2                                     | 9.3                | 25.9                          | 1.6 *                            | 2.3 *   | 0.6 *       | 1.7 *          | 31.3    | 5.9        | 25.5   | 0.3 * |
| 16-19         | 8,452,920        | 27.1                                     | 10.0               | 17.1                          | 4.5                              | 1.6 *   | 1.0 *       | 0.5 *          | 21.0    | 4.7        | 16.3   | 0.6 * |
| 20-24         | 10,188,780       | 41.7                                     | 20.0               | 21.7                          | 3.7 *                            | 5.2     | 1.8 *       | 3.4 *          | 32.9    | 9.3        | 23.6   | 0.0 * |
| 25-34         | 20,171,910       | 20.7                                     | 6.4                | 14.3                          | 1.3 *                            | 3.1     | 1.4 *       | 1.7 *          | 16.3    | 3.5        | 12.8   | 0.7 * |
| 35-49         | 32,826,640       | 17.3                                     | 5.4                | 11.9                          | 1.1 *                            | 1.7     | 0.6 *       | 1.1 *          | 14.5    | 2.1        | 12.4   | 1.0 * |
| 50-64         | 28,364,270       | 8.5                                      | 0.9 *              | 7.6                           | 0.2 *                            | 0.6 *   | 0.1 *       | 0.5 *          | 7.7     | 1.3 *      | 6.4    | 0.3 * |
| 65 or older   | 21,145,770       | 3.2                                      | 0.4 *              | 2.8                           | 0.4 *                            | 0.1 *   | 0.0 *       | 0.1 *          | 2.6     | 0.3 *      | 2.3    | 0.3 * |

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

\*Estimate is based on 10 or fewer sample cases.

<sup>a</sup>Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.