Rate of Allegations of Sexual Violence in State Prisons: 2006

National Rate = 3.7 Allegations per 1,000 Prisoners*

ALPHA ORDER

RANK	STATE	RATE
46	Alabama	0.4
49	Alaska	0.0
32	Arizona	2.4
27	Arkansas	3.2
42	California	1.0
15	Colorado	5.5
37	Connecticut	1.7
39	Delaware	1.4
13	Florida	5.6
13	Georgia	5.6
44	Hawaii	0.5
6	Idaho	10.8
40	Illinois	1.3
25	Indiana	3.7
3	Iowa	16.3
5	Kansas	11.7
36	Kentucky	1.8
8	Louisiana	9.4
33	Maine	2.0
38	Maryland	1.5
4	Massachusetts	11.8
10	Michigan	8.2
16	Minnesota	5.2
44	Mississippi	0.5
16	Missouri	5.2
7	Montana	10.2
12	Nebraska	6.4
29	Nevada	2.6
16	New Hampshire	5.2
47	New Jersey	0.2
49	New Mexico	0.0
21	New York	4.6
43	North Carolina	0.8
9	North Dakota	8.8
20	Ohio	4.7
29	Oklahoma	2.6
26	Oregon	3.6
40	Pennsylvania	1.3
24	Rhode Island	3.8
48	South Carolina	0.1
31	South Dakota	2.5
27	Tennessee	3.2
16	Texas	5.2
11	Utah	7.6
1	Vermont	34.6
33	Virginia	2.0
23	Washington	4.5
35	West Virginia	1.9
21	Wisconsin	4.6
2	Wyoming	25.2

RANK ORDER

RANK	STATE	RATE
1	Vermont	34.6
2	Wyoming	25.2
3	Iowa	16.3
4	Massachusetts	11.8
5	Kansas	11.7
6	Idaho	10.8
7	Montana	10.2
8	Louisiana	9.4
9	North Dakota	8.8
10	Michigan	8.2
11	Utah	7.6
12	Nebraska	6.4
13	Florida	5.6
13	Georgia	5.6
15	Colorado	5.5
16	Minnesota	5.2
16	Missouri	5.2
16	New Hampshire	5.2
16	Texas	5.2
20	Ohio	4.7
21	New York	4.6
21	Wisconsin	4.6
23	Washington	4.5
24	Rhode Island	3.8
25	Indiana	3.7
26	Oregon	3.6
27	Arkansas	3.2
27	Tennessee	3.2
29	Nevada	2.6
29	Oklahoma	2.6
31	South Dakota	2.5
32	Arizona	2.4
33	Maine	2.0
33	Virginia	2.0
35	West Virginia	1.9
36	Kentucky	1.8
37	Connecticut	1.7
38	Maryland	1.5
39	Delaware	1.4
40	Illinois	1.3
40	Pennsylvania	1.3
42	California	1.0
43	North Carolina	0.8
44	Hawaii	0.5
44	Mississippi	0.5
46	Alabama	0.4
47	New Jersey	0.2
48	South Carolina	0.1
49	Alaska	0.0
49	New Mexico	0.0
	District of Columbia**	NA

Source: CQ Press using data from U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics
"Sexual Violence Reported by Correctional Authorities, 2006" (August 2007, NCJ 218914, www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/prisons.htm)

*As of December 31, 2006. Does not include 242 allegations in federal prisons. Includes all allegations of inmate-on-inmate as well as staff-on-inmate sexual violence. Includes allegations that are substantiated, unsubstantiated, unfounded, and where the investigation is ongoing. Inmate-on-inmate sexual violence includes nonconsensual sexual acts and abusive sexual contacts. Staff-on-inmate sexual violence includes sexual misconduct and sexual harassment with inmates. **Not available.