



Suicide rates in the United States continue to increase

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This data brief describes trends in suicide deaths by sex, age group and means of suicide from the years 2000-2016. During that period the suicide rate for males increased by 21% while the rate for females showed a much higher increase at 50%. Data were obtained from the National Vital Statistics System.

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[1] <https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/products/databriefs/db309.htm>

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