



WA-VDRS SUICIDE DATA FOR GRAYS HARBOR



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Homicide in WA and Grays Harbor, 2010-2020

Year	WA (count)	Grays Harbor(count)
2010	178	<10
2011	180	<10
2012	236	<10
2013	200	<10
2014	209	<10
2015	236	<10
2016	213	<10
2017	264	<10
2018	277	<10
2019	241	<10
2020*	309	<10
Rate (combined suicides from 2010 to 2019) 3 homicides per 100,000 in WA per year 4 homicides per 100,000 in Grays Harbor per year (29 deaths)		

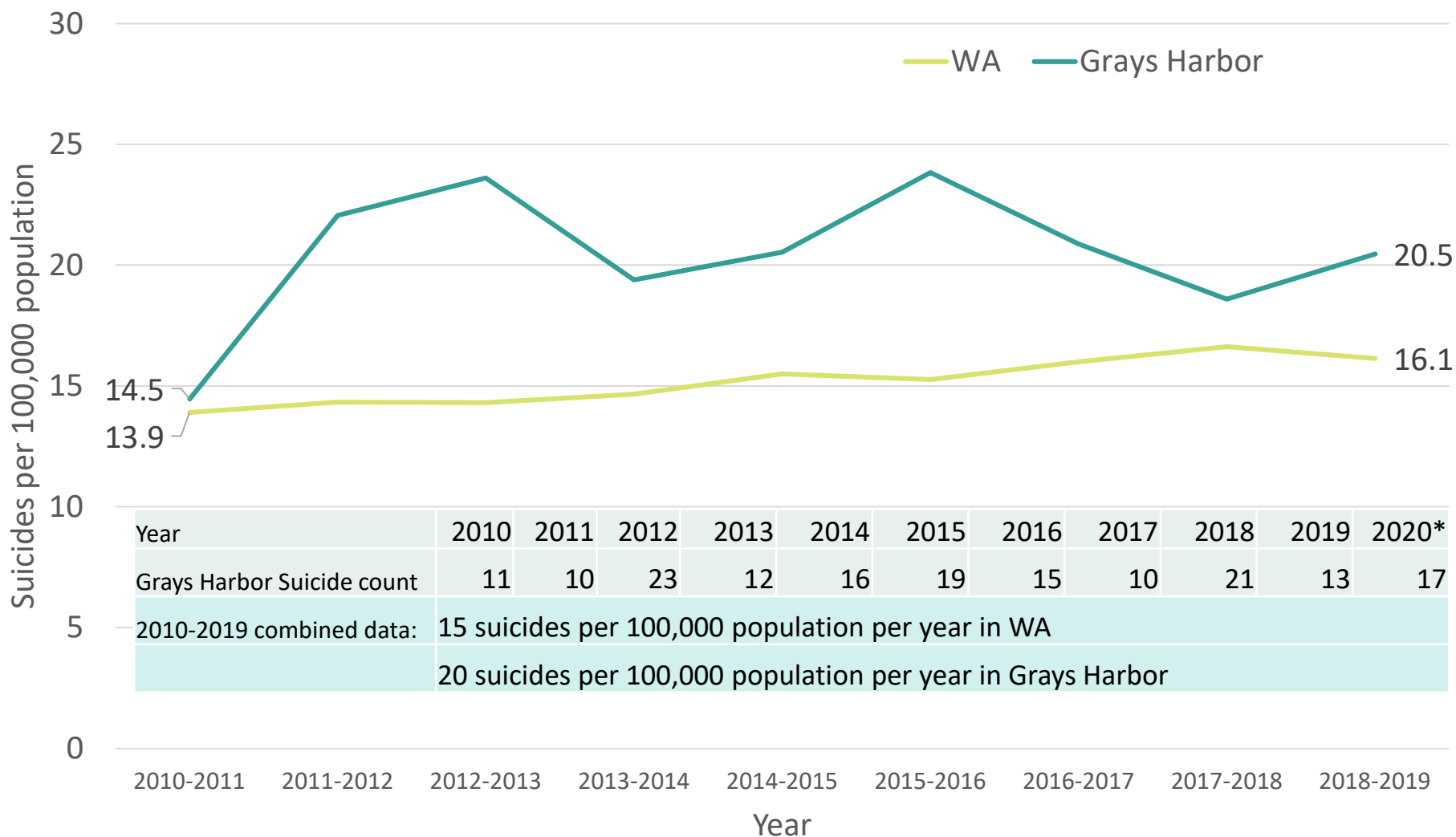
Source: WA death certificates

Homicide data provided here include Washington State residents only

<10: death count is suppressed in county with less than 10 deaths

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Suicide rate in Grays Harbor, WA 2010-2019

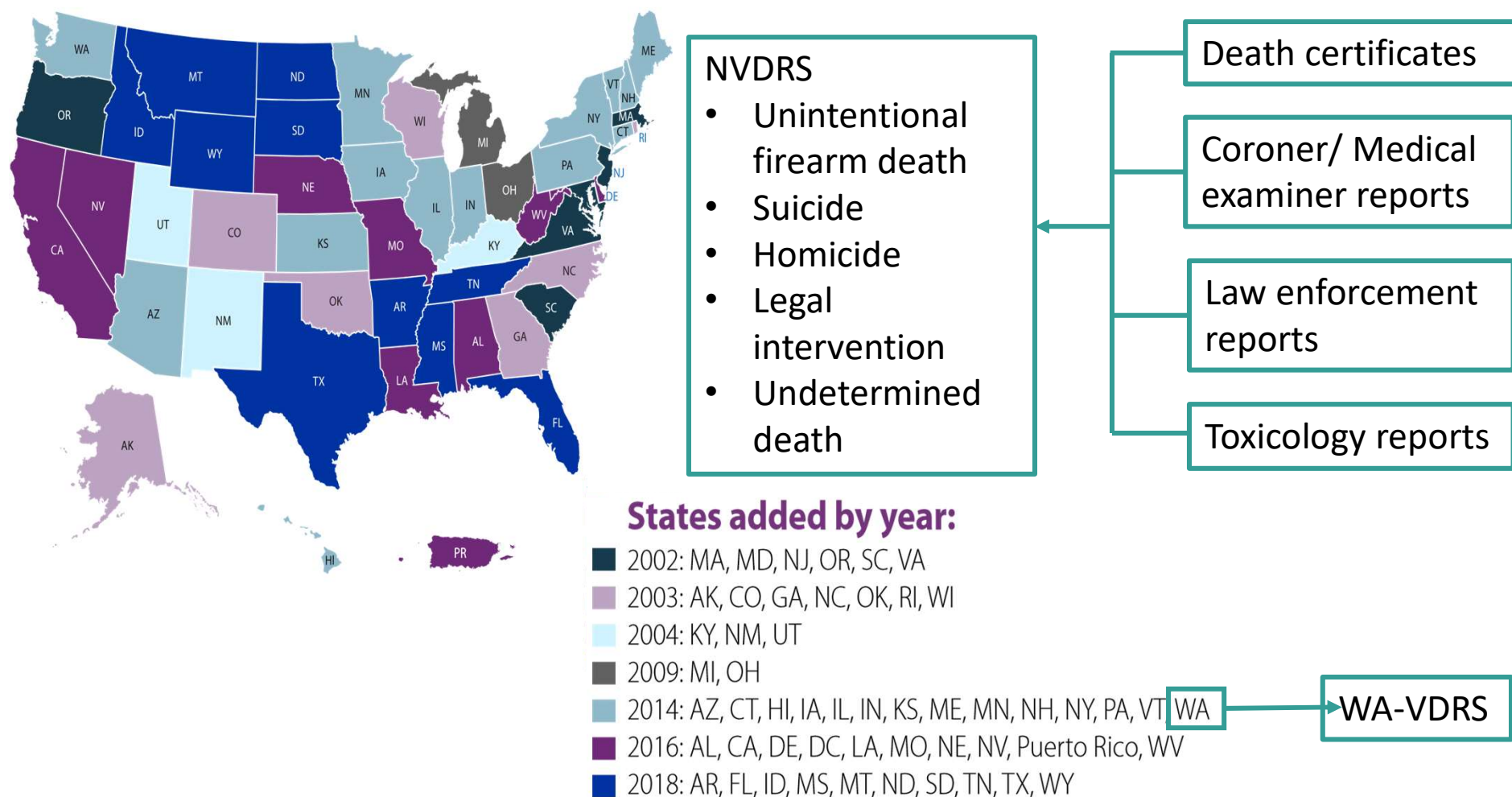


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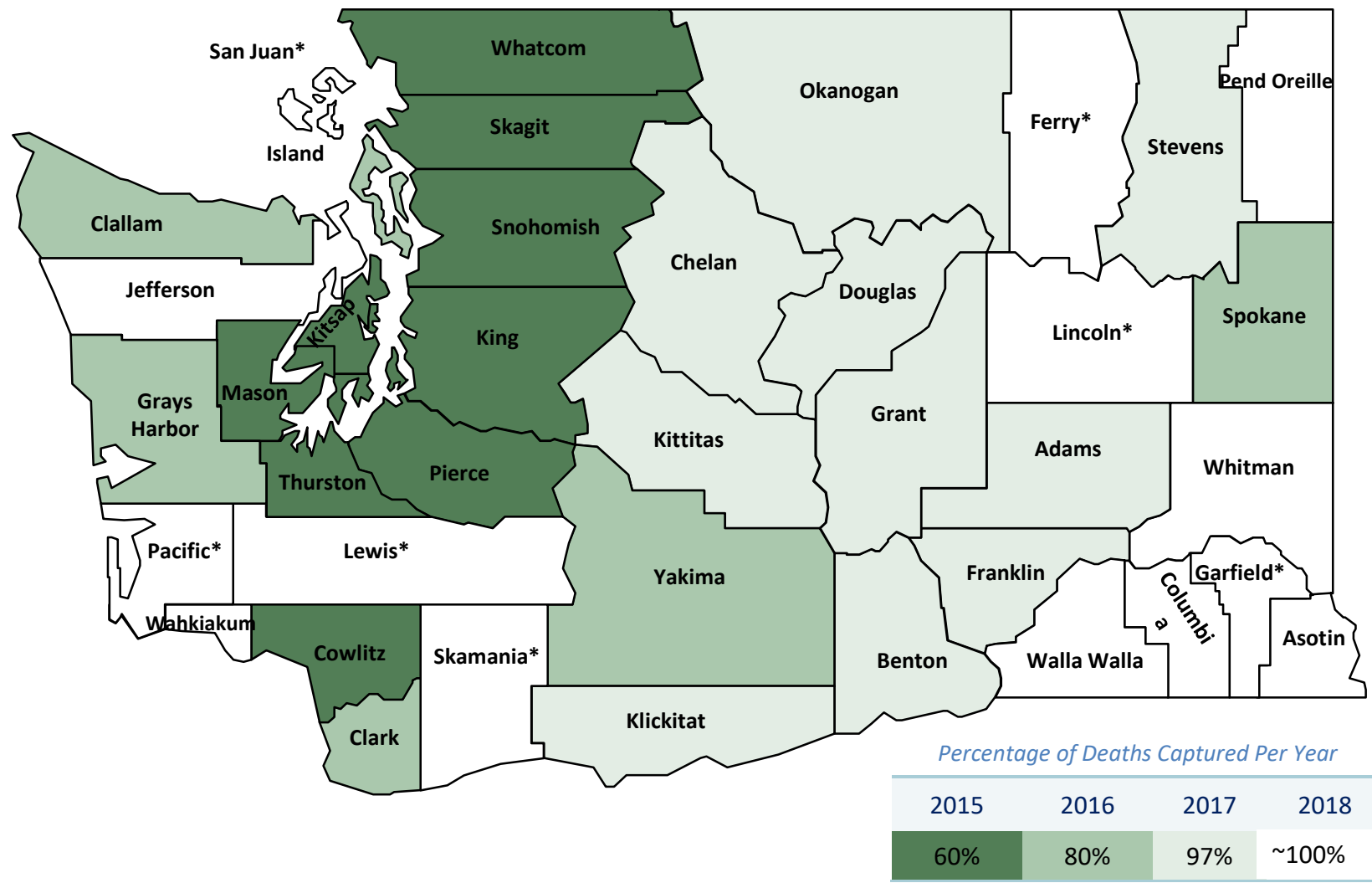
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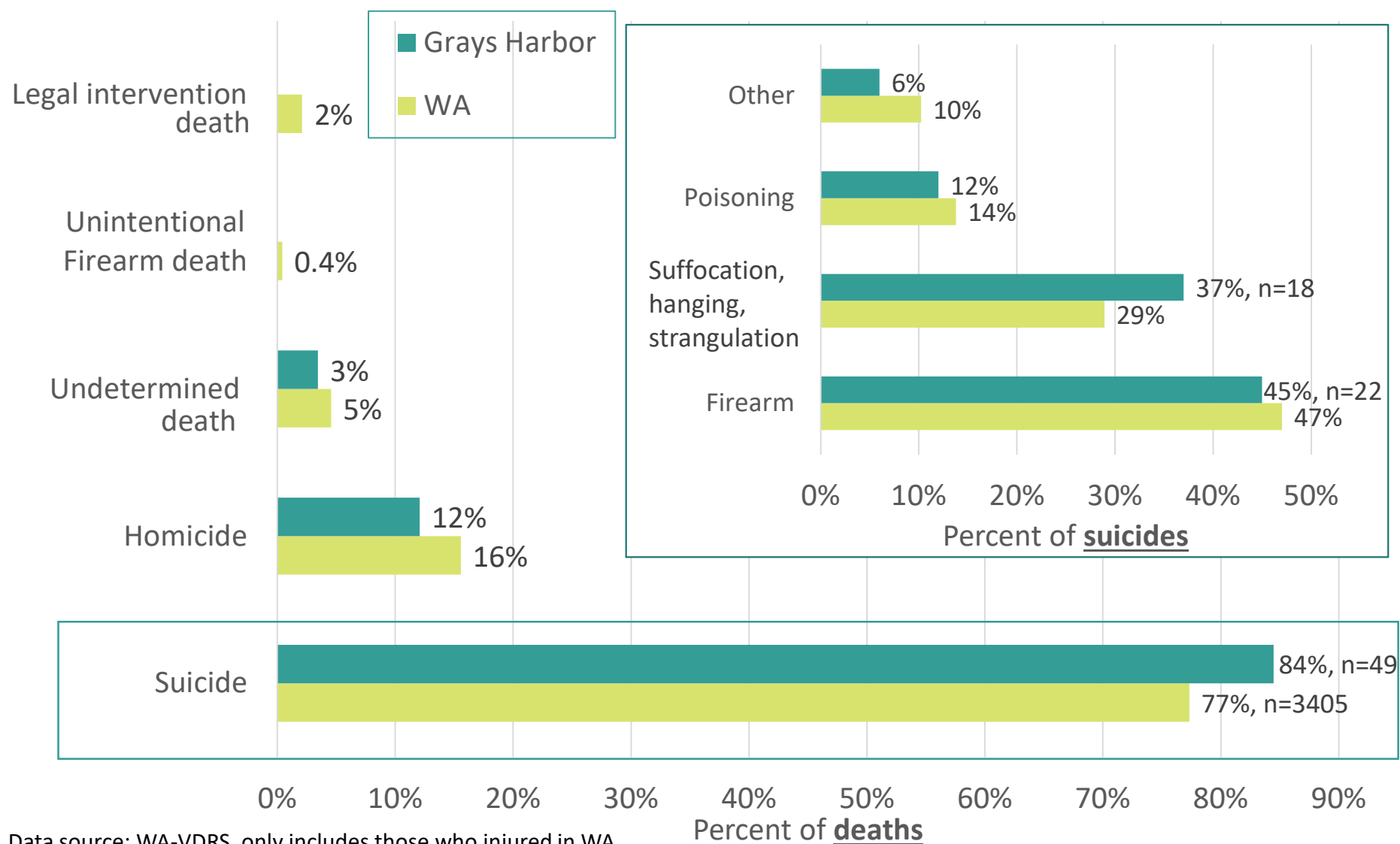
National Violent Death Report System (NVDRS), WA-VDRS



WA-Violent Death Reporting System Implementation Timeline



Grays Harbor County and WA, WA-VDRS 2016-2018



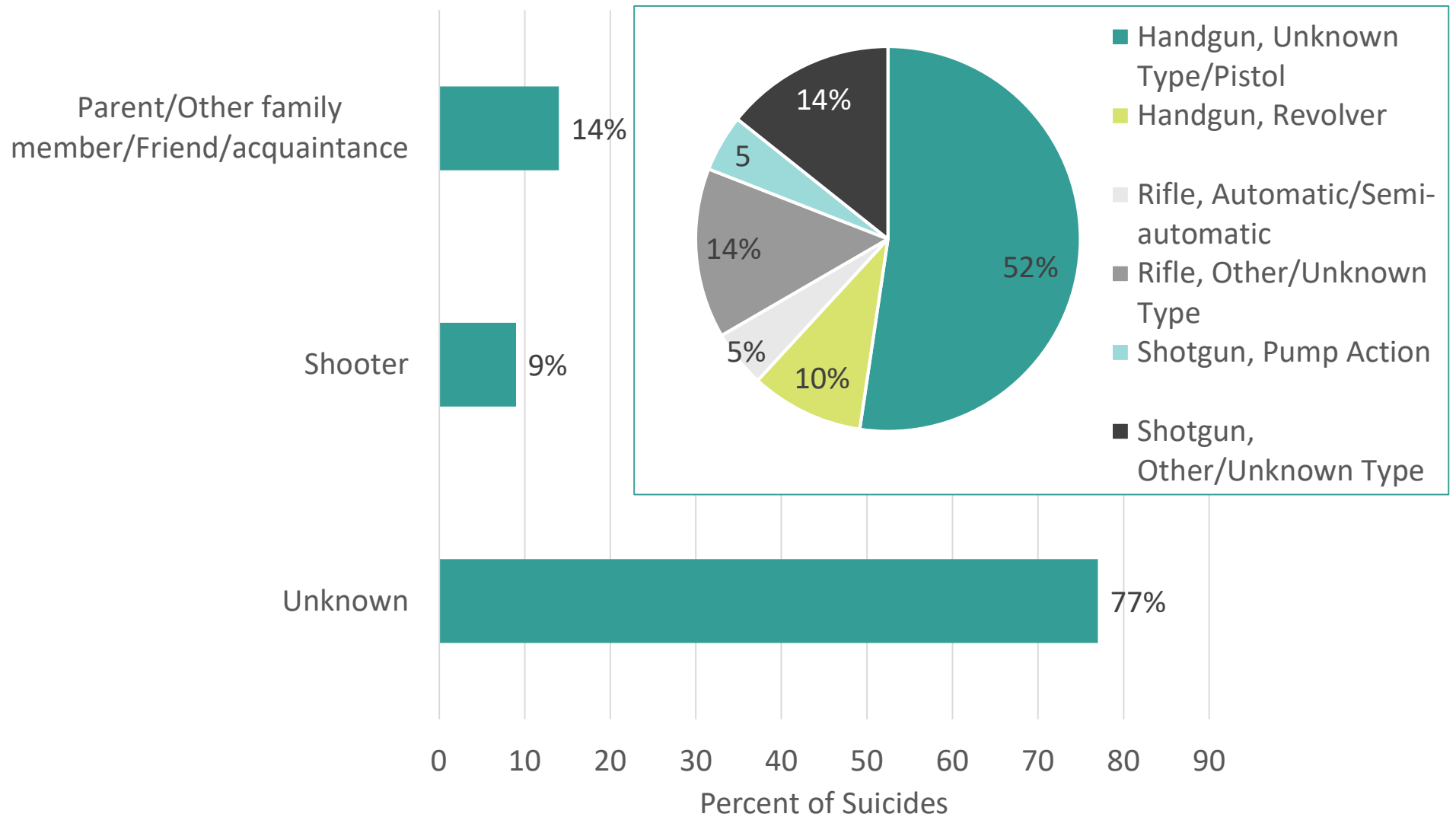
Data source: WA-VDRS, only includes those who injured in WA regardless of residency and location of death.



SUICIDE DATA, WA-VDRS 2016-2018

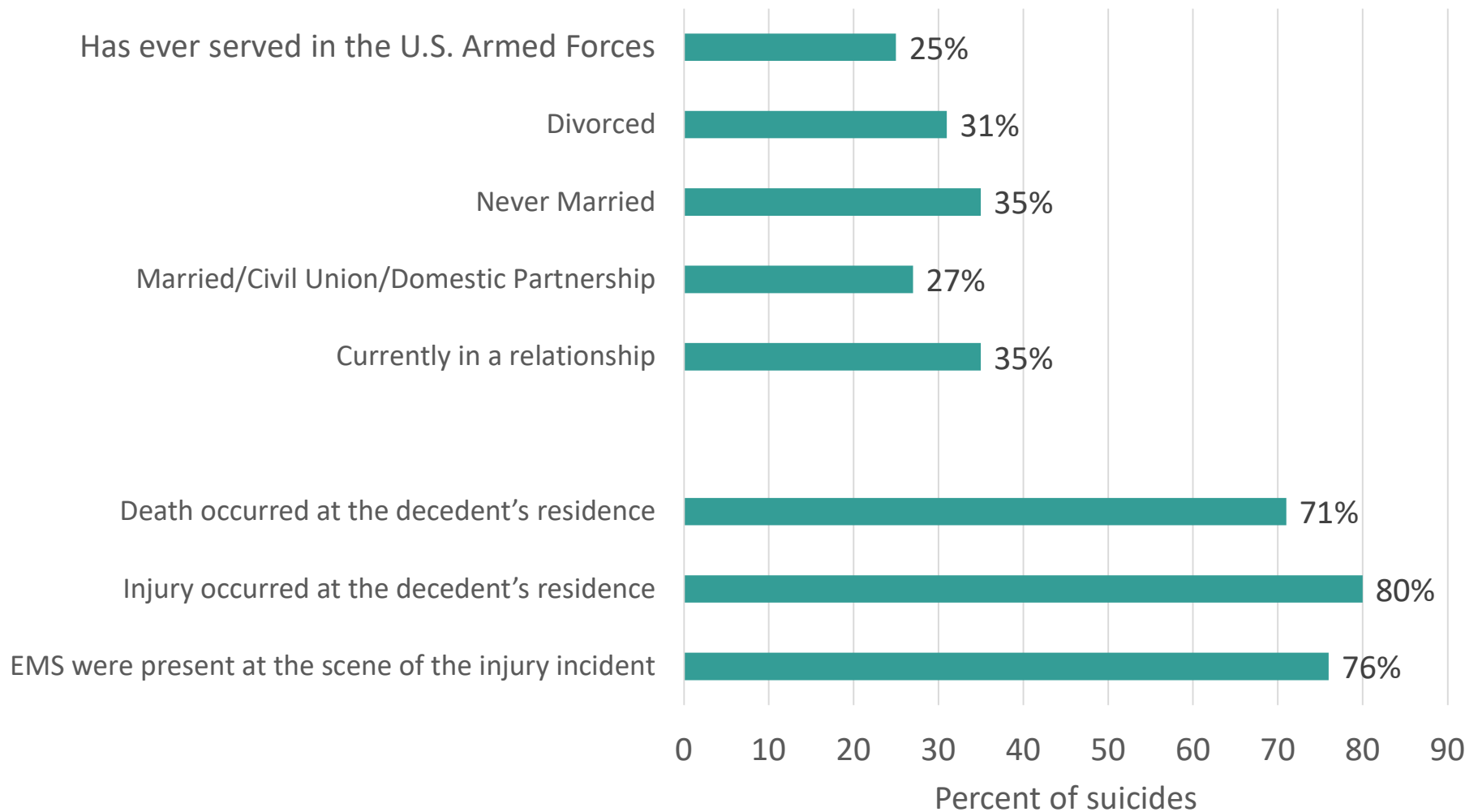
ALL WA-VDRS DATA INCLUDES INJURIES RELATED TO VIOLENT DEATHS, SUSTAINED IN WASHINGTON STATE, REGARDLESS OF RESIDENCY AND LOCATION OF DEATH.

Firearm ownership and type, Grays Harbor County 2016-2018



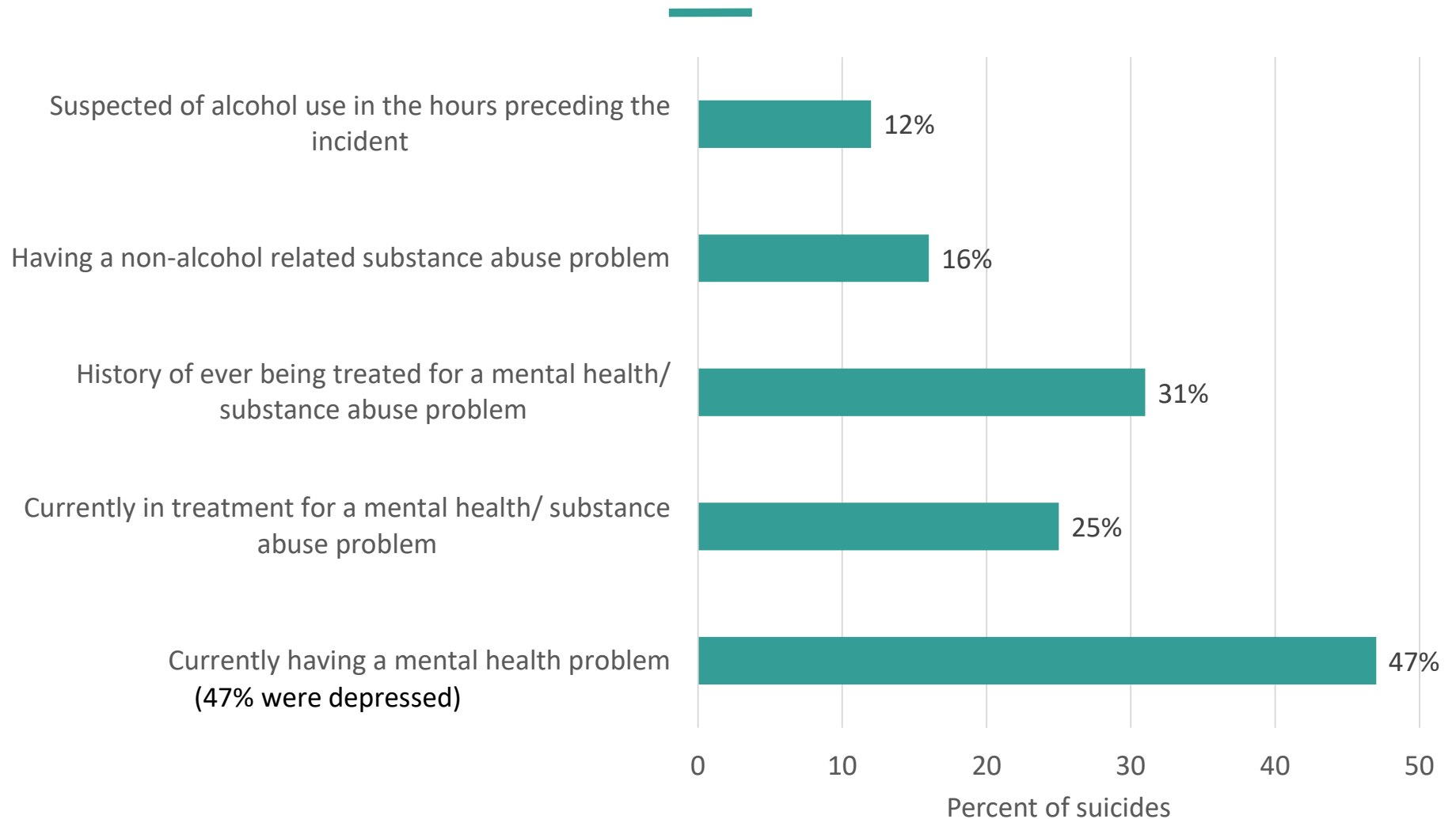
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Who? Marital, veteran status,
Where? Death and injury at decedent's residence,
Grays Harbor County 2016-2018



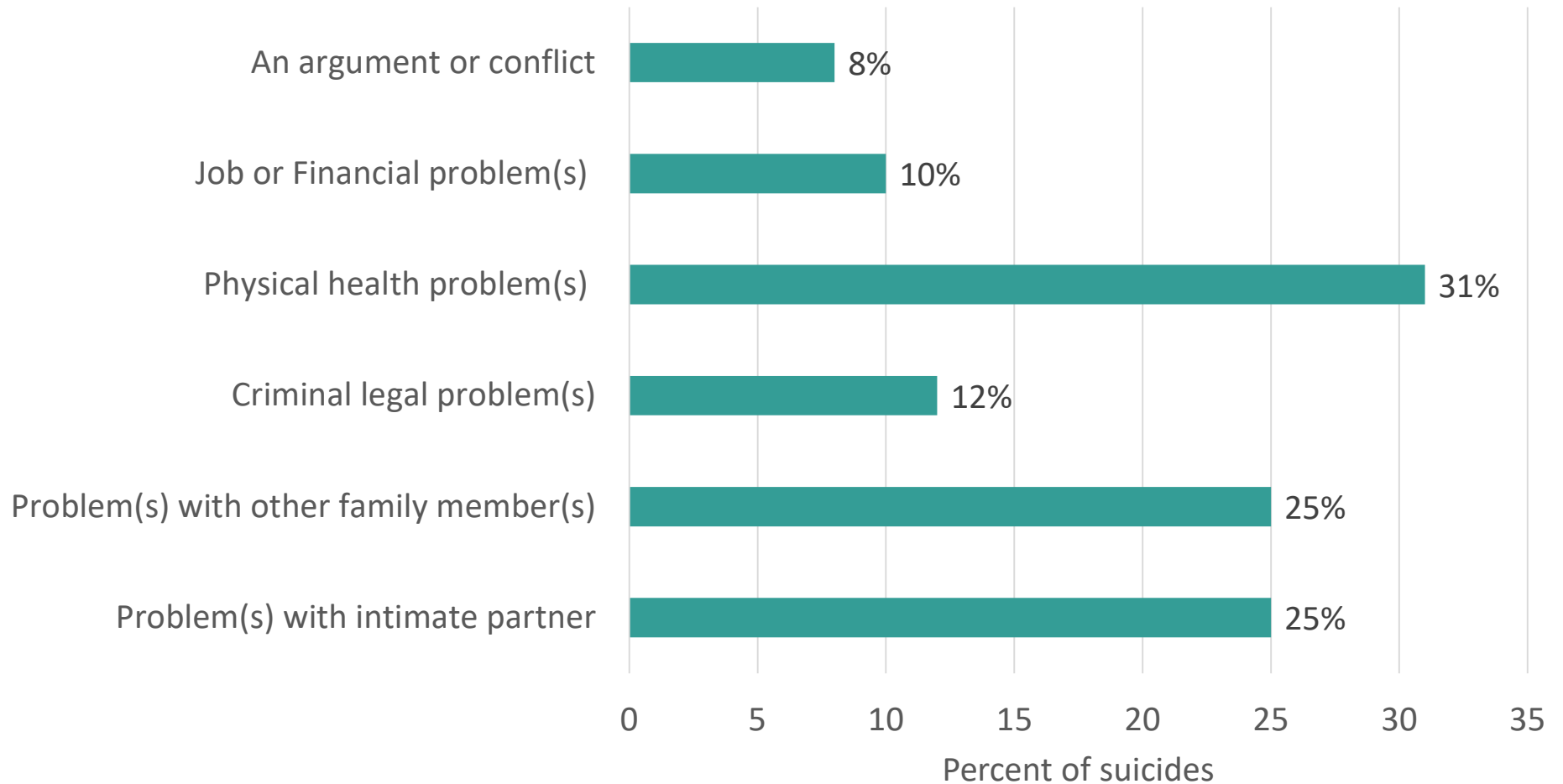
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Why? Mental/substance use problems, Grays Harbor County, 2016-2018



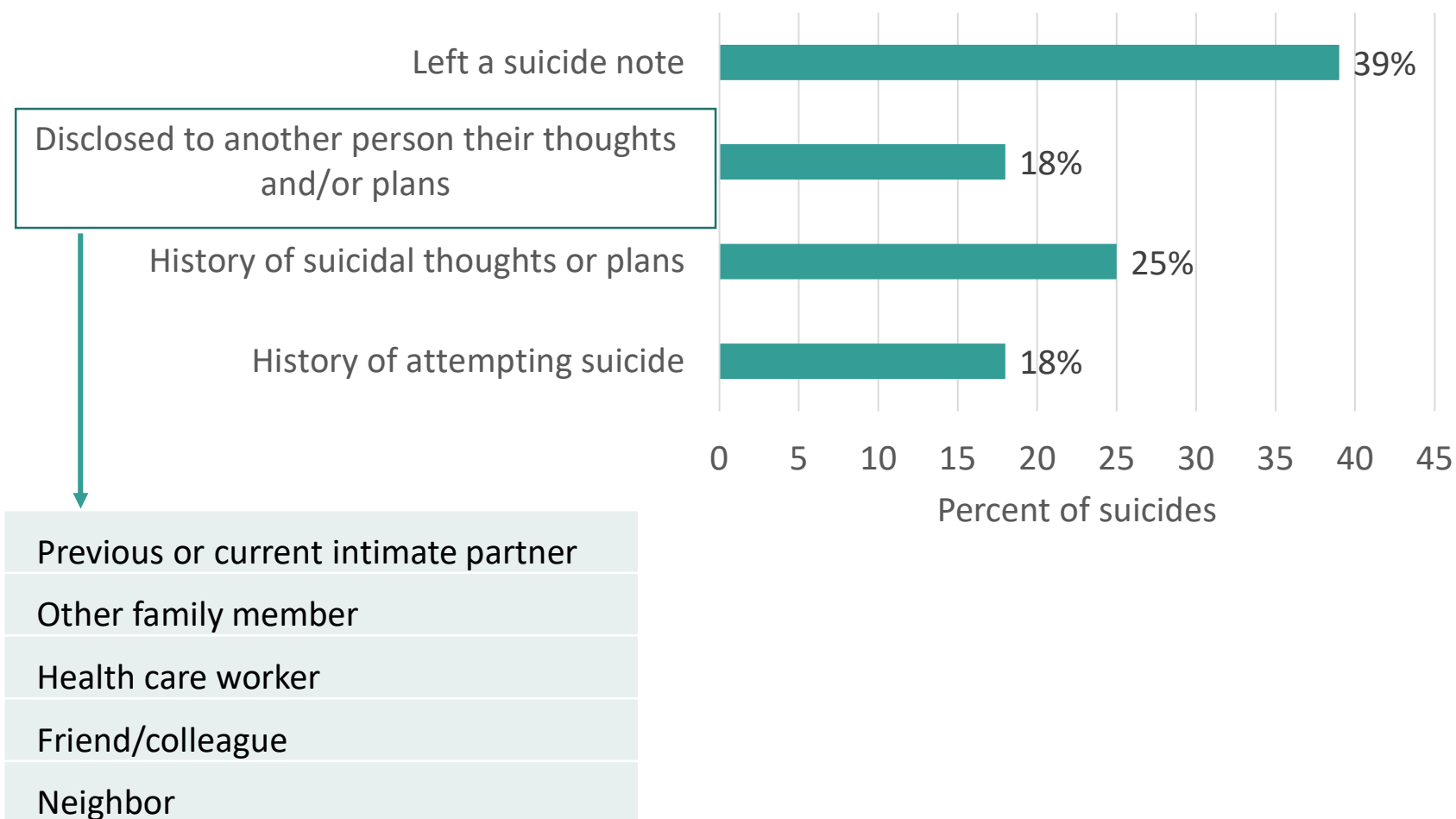
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Why? Family member ,financial/job, physical health, legal problems, or conflict contributed to the suicide, Grays Harbor County 2016-2018



Source: WA-VDRS

Why? History of suicide attempt, suicidal ideation, Grays Harbor County 2016-2018



Source: WA-VDRS

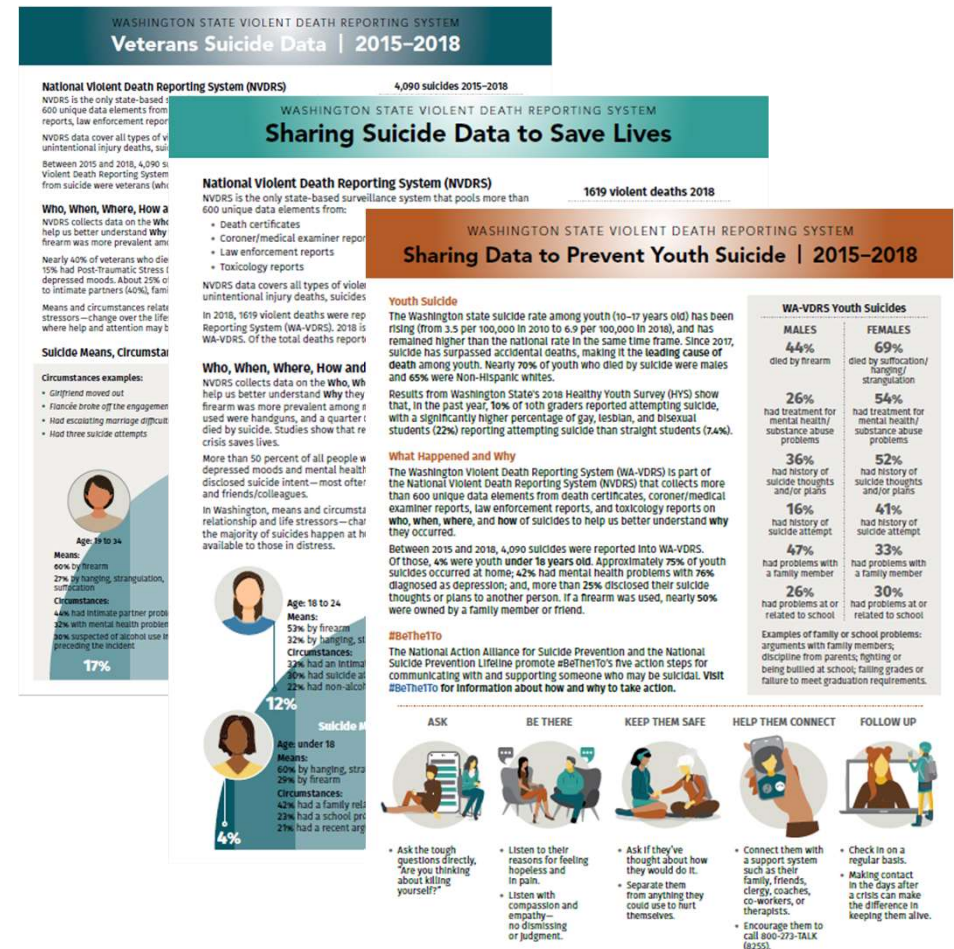
Factsheets

2015-2018 fact sheets available for:

- All Suicide data
- Suicide in Men in the middle years
- Suicide in Older Adult
- Suicide in Young Adult
- Suicide in Youth
- Suicide in Veterans

Download at:

<https://www.doh.wa.gov/YouandYourFamily/InjuryandViolencePrevention/SuicidePrevention>



Resources

Means: Reducing a suicidal person's access to highly lethal means is an important part of suicide prevention. Learn more about means reduction at [Harvard's Means Matters](#).

Location: The majority of Washington suicides occur in the home. Learn how to reduce access to lethal means before and during a crisis at [Washington's Safer Homes](#).

Circumstances: Suicide is complex and many factors contribute to thoughts of suicide. Learn more from [CDC's Vital Signs](#).

BeThe1To: If you think someone you know is considering suicide, talk to them and connect them to the support they need. [Learn 5 Steps](#) you can take to be a supportive and empathetic listener for them.

Lived Experience: If you are thinking of suicide or made a suicide attempt, please know that help is available. Along with supportive family and friends, people who have experienced thoughts of suicide and suicide attempt survivors have created strong peer communities. Learn more at [Now Matters Now](#).

Postvention: It's important to support the individuals, families, and communities affected by suicide loss, to reduce the cycle of trauma and increased suicide risk. Learn more at the [American Foundation for Suicide Prevention](#).

In Crisis?
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NATIONAL
SUICIDE
PREVENTION
LIFELINE
1-800-273-TALK (8255)
suicidepreventionlifeline.org

Chat: SuicidePreventionLifeline.org
Talk: 1-800-273-TALK (8255)

Crisis Help



Support for increased stress due to
COVID-19: WAlistens.org
Talk: 1-833-681-0211



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LGBTQ CRISIS HOTLINE
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