



The information presented here represents data specific to Florence County, Wisconsin from 2001-2006, and is meant to complement the report, *The Burden of Suicide in Wisconsin*. Please refer to this report for technical notes and suicide prevention strategies. For counties with fewer than 20 suicides each year, data are aggregated for 2001-2006 and findings are presented in bullets rather than tables.

### KEY FINDINGS

The suicide rate in Florence County for all years was lower than the state rate for all years (9.7 versus 11.8).

Firearms were the most frequently used method in Florence County suicides (63%).

Numbers and rates (per 100,000 population) of suicides, inpatient hospitalizations, and emergency department visits due to self-inflicted injuries, Florence County, 2001-2006.

	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate</i>
Suicides	3	17.9
Inpatient Hospitalizations	12	40.5
Emergency Department Visits	2	8.1

*\*Emergency department data are not available for 2001.*

*Rates based on numbers of 20 or less are considered unstable due to random chance and should be interpreted with caution.*