

ROCK COUNTY

The information presented here represents data specific to Rock 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 Rock County for all years was lower than the state rate for all years (4.9 versus 11.8).
- ◆ Suicide represented a total of 2,862 years of potential life lost, at a rate of 326.0 for 2001-2006. This was less than the state rate (394.1 YPLL) for the same time period.
- ◆ The greatest number of suicides occurred in individuals aged 35-44 and the greatest number of emergency