

**TABLE 5. Deaths due to firearms by manner, sex, age, race/ethnicity, county of residence, and weapon type, Oregon residents, 2021**

Characteristics	Total		Unintended injuries		Suicide		Homicide		Legal intervention <sup>1</sup>		Undeterm. manner	
	All guns	Hand-guns	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Total	670	398	2	1	428	76	120	26	12	–	3	1
<b>Age</b>												
<1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1-4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5-9	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
10-14	4	3	–	–	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
15-17	13	3	–	–	5	–	7	1	–	–	–	–
18-19	16	8	–	–	8	–	6	2	–	–	–	–
20-21	24	9	–	–	15	2	5	2	–	–	–	–
22-24	36	14	–	–	23	1	9	1	2	–	–	–
25-34	129	61	–	–	59	13	41	8	7	–	–	–
35-44	103	64	1	1	54	13	29	3	1	–	1	–
45-54	96	52	1	–	62	13	15	4	1	–	–	–
55-64	105	73	–	–	75	19	6	2	1	–	1	1
65-74	76	59	–	–	61	11	2	2	–	–	–	–
75-84	46	39	–	–	41	4	–	–	–	–	1	–
85+	22	13	–	–	21	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
<b>Single mention race/ethnicity</b>												
White	546	339	2	1	386	69	57	17	9	–	3	1
Black	37	19	–	–	4	1	27	5	–	–	–	–
American Indian	7	3	–	–	3	1	3	–	–	–	–	–
Asian <sup>2</sup>	4	1	–	–	3	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
HI & Pac. Is <sup>3</sup>	2	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
Other & not stated	5	4	–	–	4	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Two or more races	15	7	–	–	9	2	4	–	–	–	–	–
Hispanic <sup>4</sup>	54	25	–	–	19	3	25	4	3	–	–	–
<b>County of residence</b>												
Baker	4	1	–	–	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Benton	10	6	–	–	6	1	1	1	1	–	–	–
Clackamas	57	37	1	–	41	2	12	1	–	–	–	–
Clatsop	2	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Columbia	7	4	–	–	6	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Coos	16	11	–	–	11	2	1	1	1	–	–	–
Crook	6	5	–	–	5	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Curry	8	8	–	–	4	4	–	–	–	–	–	–
Deschutes	21	13	–	–	17	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
Douglas	31	23	–	–	20	6	4	1	–	–	–	–
Gilliam	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Grant	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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	All guns	Hand-guns	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
<b>County of residence (cont.)</b>												
Harney	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hood River	4	–	–	–	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jackson	43	22	–	–	26	6	8	2	1	–	–	–
Jefferson	9	5	–	–	7	–	1	–	–	–	1	–
Josephine	28	14	–	–	20	2	4	–	1	–	–	1
Klamath	20	13	–	–	14	2	1	2	–	–	1	–
Lake	5	3	–	–	2	2	–	1	–	–	–	–
Lane	78	62	–	–	58	13	5	1	1	–	–	–
Lincoln	12	10	–	–	9	1	1	1	–	–	–	–
Linn	24	15	–	–	16	5	3	–	–	–	–	–
Malheur	9	6	–	–	5	1	2	–	1	–	–	–
Marion	47	24	1	–	24	8	7	3	3	–	1	–
Morrow	4	1	–	–	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	–
Multnomah	111	55	–	–	45	6	51	8	–	–	–	–
Polk	14	9	–	–	14	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sherman	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tillamook	7	6	–	–	2	3	2	–	–	–	–	–
Umatilla	8	1	–	–	4	2	2	–	–	–	–	–
Union	4	1	–	–	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wallowa	3	1	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wasco	6	2	–	–	4	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
Washington	57	34	–	–	38	4	10	4	1	–	–	–
Wheeler	2	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
Yamhill	12	5	–	–	10	1	–	–	1	–	–	–
<b>Weapon type</b>												
Handgun	398	398	–	1	296	55	37	8	–	–	–	–
Long gun	79	–	1	–	66	4	4	3	–	–	1	–
Other & not stated <sup>5,6</sup>	193	–	1	–	66	17	79	15	12	–	2	1

– Quantity is zero.

<sup>1</sup> Legal intervention is the intentional or unintentional death of a person resulting from the actions of a law enforcement agent. This category may not include all such deaths if the certifying medical examiner failed to note (on the death certificate) the involvement of a law enforcement agent.

<sup>2</sup> Includes Asian Indian, Chinese, Filipino, Japanese, Korean, Vietnamese, and other Asian.

<sup>3</sup> Includes Guamanian, Hawaiian, Samoan, and other Pacific Islander.

<sup>4</sup> Decedents of Hispanic ethnicity may belong to any race but have been removed from all race categories in this table.

<sup>5</sup> Because the ICD-10 does not include codes for the specific types of guns involved in legal intervention deaths, all such deaths are included here. However, nearly all legal intervention gunshot deaths involve handguns.

<sup>6</sup> It is the Oregon Medical Examiner's policy not to specify the type of firearm used in a homicide on the death certificate