



NEW GILLIBRAND REPORT: CAR ACCIDENTS NUMBER ONE KILLER OF AMERICAN TEENS

According to data from the New York State Department of Transportation and the Institute for Traffic Safety Management and Research (ITSMR), 288 New Yorkers died in car accidents involving 16 and 17-year-old drivers from 2005 to 2009, in addition to 46,963 New Yorkers that were injured.

County Statistics for New York City:

In New York City, 32 people died in accidents involving 16 and 17-year-old drivers, in addition to the 5,065 were injured, from 2005 to 2009.

County	Died In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers	Injured In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers
Bronx	2	750
Kings	7	1,217
New York	0	234
Queens	18	1,713
Richmond	5	1,151

County Statistics for Western New York:

In Western New York, 18 people died in accidents involving 16 and 17-year-old drivers, in addition to the 4,922 were injured, from 2005 to 2009.

County	Died In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers	Injured In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers
Allegany	3	122
Cattaraugus	0	274
Chautauqua	1	433
Erie	8	3,174
Niagara	5	733
Wyoming	1	186

County Statistics for Rochester-Finger Lakes Region:

In the Rochester-Finger Lakes region, 37 people died in accidents involving 16 and 17-year-old drivers, in addition to the 4,233 were injured, from 2005 to 2009.

County	Died In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers	Injured In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers
Genesee	5	285
Livingston	2	226
Monroe	13	2,442
Ontario	10	401
Orleans	1	142
Seneca	0	69
Tompkins	2	242
Wayne	4	349
Yates	0	77

County Statistics for Central New York:

In Central New York, 33 people died in accidents involving 16 and 17-year-old drivers, in addition to the 3,512 were injured, from 2005 to 2009.

County	Died In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers	Injured In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers
Cayuga	4	304
Cortland	3	161
Herkimer	5	230
Madison	0	262
Oneida	5	584
Onondoga	9	1,394
Otsego	1	198
Oswego	6	379

County Statistics for the Southern Tier:

In the Southern Tier, 14 people died in accidents involving 16 and 17-year-old drivers, in addition to the 1,849 were injured, from 2005 to 2009.

County	Died In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers	Injured In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers
Broome	0	604
Chemung	2	294
Chenango	2	173
Delaware	2	122
Schuyler	0	141
Steuben	5	321
Tioga	3	194

County Statistics for the Capital Region:

In the Capital Region, 36 people died in accidents involving 16 and 17-year-old drivers, in addition to the 4,462 were injured, from 2005 to 2009.

County	Died In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers	Injured In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers
Albany	4	1,007
Columbia	1	246
Fulton	3	244
Greene	0	197
Montgomery	2	129
Rensselear	7	670
Saratoga	8	369
Schenectady	5	835
Schoharie	1	514
Washington	5	251

County Statistics for the North Country:

In the North County, 25 people died in accidents involving 16 and 17-year-old drivers, in addition to the 1,539 were injured, from 2005 to 2009.

County	Died In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers	Injured In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers
Clinton	8	331
Essex	3	102
Franklin	2	162
Hamilton	0	19
Jefferson	8	354
Lewis	1	80
St. Lawrence	3	175
Warren	0	316

County Statistics for the Hudson Valley:

In the Hudson Valley, 45 people died in accidents involving 16 and 17-year-old drivers, in addition to the 9,008 were injured, from 2005 to 2009.

County	Died In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers	Injured In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers
Dutchess	9	1,546
Orange	14	1,881
Putnam	3	572
Rockland	1	1,154
Sullivan	3	362
Ulster	10	930
Westchester	5	2,563

County Statistics for Long Island:

On Long Island, 48 people died in accidents involving 16 and 17-year-old drivers, in addition to the 12,143 were injured, from 2005 to 2009.

County	Died In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers	Injured In Accidents Involving 16-17 Year Old Drivers
Nassau	17	5,531
Suffolk	31	6,612

Source: New York State Department of Transportation and the Institute for Traffic Safety Management and Research (ITSMR).