Unresolved Missing Persons Cases Published in NamUs
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21,259 Missing from 55 States and Territories

Top 10 States
- California 2,945
- Texas 1,886
- Florida 1,601
- Alaska 1,182
- Arizona 1,047
- New York 1,039
- Washington 775
- Oklahoma 738
- Michigan 622
- Tennessee 586

Top 10 Cities
- Los Angeles (CA) 323
- Houston (TX) 269
- Phoenix (AZ) 253
- San Francisco 218
- Dallas (TX) 200
- McAllen (TX) 179
- Miami (FL) 179
- Oklahoma City (OK) 165
- Detroit (MI) 153
- Tulsa (OK) 152

Demographics

Age of Case
- <90 Days: 1%
- 3-12 mo: 5%
- 1-2 yrs: 5%
- 2-5 yrs: 13%
- 5-10 yrs: 14%
- 10-20 yrs: 22%
- >20 yrs: 40%

Average Years Missing: 18.2 years

Sex Assigned at Birth
- Male: 39%
- Female: 61%

Age at Time Reported Missing
- <18: 16%
- 18-20: 7%
- 21-30: 24%
- 31-40: 21%
- 41-50: 14%
- >50: 18%
- Unknown: <1%

Race/Ethnicity
- White: 59%
- Black: 16%
- Hispanic: 11%
- Multiracial: 7%
- AI/AN: 3%
- Asian: 2%
- Pacific Islander: <1%
- Uncertain: <1%
- Other: <1%

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12,492 Unclaimed from 42 States and Territories

Top 10 States
- New York 5,864
- California 2,040
- Washington 1,116
- Massachusetts 472
- Tennessee 452
- Texas 401
- Hawaii 399
- Georgia 276
- Nevada 185
- Idaho 170

Top 10 Cities
- Bronx (NY) 1,389
- Brooklyn (NY) 959
- Queens (NY) 713
- Manhattan (NY) 711
- New York (NY) 541
- Houston (TX) 289
- Tacoma (WA) 266
- Knoxville (TN) 244
- Atlanta (GA) 177
- Honolulu (HI) 177

Demographics

Age of Case
- 0-1 yrs 13%
- 1-5 yrs 44%
- 5-10 yrs 20%
- 10-20 yrs 13%
- 20+ yrs 2%
- Unknown 8%

Race/Ethnicity
- White 38%
- Black 21%
- Hispanic 11%
- Multiracial 3%
- AI/AN <1%
- Asian 3%
- Other 2%
- Pacific Islander <1%
- Uncertain 21%

Average Years of Unclaimed Cases
- 5.3 years

Sex Assigned at Birth
- Female 72%
- Male 20%
- Unsure/Unknown 8%