The Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals publishes annual reports, including the most recent data on mental health. Here are the stats from the most recent studies.

Suicides and Violent Deaths

In 2014, Louisiana ranked 12th for self-harm related deaths (suicides) among all states at 12.5 deaths per 100,000 people. This number is lower than that of the US rate of 12.9 deaths per 100,000 people. As it related to homicide and violent deaths, Region 1 had the highest rates of this type of deaths. Evangeline parish reported the highest violent deaths rate in the state, at 59.3 deaths per 100,000 people.

The term “suicide” includes the following causes of death:
- Intentional self-harm
- Intentional self-harm by discharge of firearms
- Intentional self-harm by other means

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Source: America’s Health Rankings

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