

POTENTIAL DATA SOURCES

SC Statistical Abstract—Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office (<http://www.rfa.sc.gov/>) provides this online publication regarding housing, income, and population: <http://abstract.sc.gov/>.

Population Estimates by Age, Race for County and State—Collected by the Missouri Data Center (<http://mcdc.missouri.edu/>) from data originating with the US Census Bureau (<http://www.census.gov/>): http://mcdc.missouri.edu/websas/estimates_by_age.shtml.

Topics—Provided by the US Census Bureau (<http://www.census.gov/>) as a way to organize statistics around the topics of business, economy, education, employment, family & living arrangements, health, housing, income & poverty, population, and the public sector: <http://www.census.gov/topics.html>.

Crime in South Carolina—A joint project between the South Carolina Law Enforcement Division (<http://www.sled.sc.gov/>) and the South Carolina Statistical Analysis Center (<http://www.scdps.gov/ohsjp/stats/whatsnew.html>) to publish general information about crime trends, provide crime data at the county level for the most recent year available, and provide descriptive information about crime:

<http://www.sled.sc.gov/SCCrimeBooks.aspx?MenuID=CrimeReporting>. *Note: this contains much of the information that was previously found in *South Carolina Criminal and Juvenile Justice Trends*.

Crime in the United States—Provided by the Federal Bureau of Investigation’s Uniform Crime Reporting Program (<https://ucr.fbi.gov/>) as a way to disseminate statistics about offenses, violent crime, property crime, clearances, and arrestees: <https://ucr.fbi.gov/crime-in-the-u.s.>

National Crime Victimization Survey (NCVS)—This is the nation’s primary source of information on criminal victimization drawn from a nationally representative sample of about 90,000 households on the frequency, characteristics, and consequences of criminal victimization in the United States, the Bureau of Justice Statistics: <https://www.bjs.gov/index.cfm?ty=dcdetail&iid=245>. There are many associated publication and products.

Statistics—Provided by the SC Department of Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Services (<http://www.daodas.state.sc.us/index.asp>) to analyze the data that county alcohol and drug abuse authorities submit through the Substance Abuse Agencies Management Information System (SAAMIS) on client demographics, services, and outcomes: <http://www.daodas.state.sc.us/statistics.asp>.

Kids Count Data Center and Kids Count Data Book—The Annie E. Casey Foundation (<http://www.aecf.org/>) provides basic demographic information, as well as information concerning economic well-being, education, family & community, health, safety & risky behaviors, and other life circumstances as these factors relate to child well-being: <http://datacenter.kidscount.org/data#SC/2/0> and <http://datacenter.kidscount.org/publications>.

Annual Statistical Reports and Statistical County Datasheets—Provided by the SC Department of Juvenile Justice (<http://www.state.sc.us/djj/index.php>) to focus on statewide trends and county-level tables for juvenile justice: <http://www.state.sc.us/djj/fact-sheets.php>.

Statistical Briefing Book—Provided by the US DOJ OJP Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (<http://www.ojjdp.gov/>) to give easy access to detailed statistics about juvenile crime and victimization: <http://www.ojjdp.gov/ojstatbb/>.