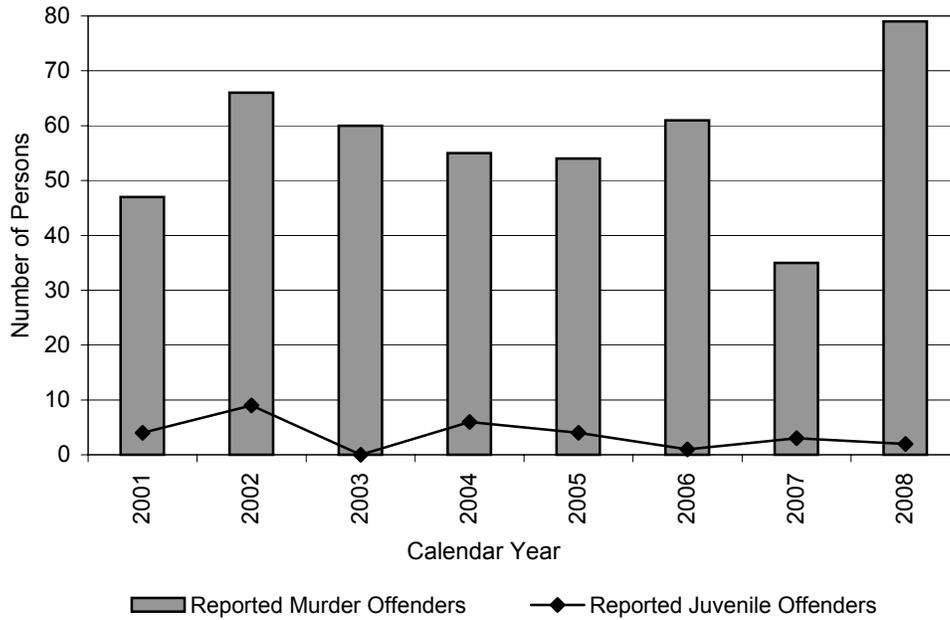


MURDERS IN IOWA



- Iowa's 2008 murder rate was 2.6 murders per 100,000 population. The murder rate for the Midwest region was 4.8, and nationally was 5.4.
- Iowa's 2008 murder rate ranked 38th nationally.

Calendar Year	Total Victims	Reported Murder Offenders	Reported Juvenile Offenders	Juveniles as a Percent of Total
2001	50	47	4	8.5
2002	50	66	9	13.6
2003	51	60	0	0.0
2004	45	55	6	10.9
2005	42	54	4	7.4
2006	59	61	1	1.6
2007	38	35	3	8.6
2008	76	79	2	3.4

Note:

There are unresolved cases with no reported murder offenders.

Sources: Department of Public Safety and Federal Bureau of Investigation, "Crimes in the United States"

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