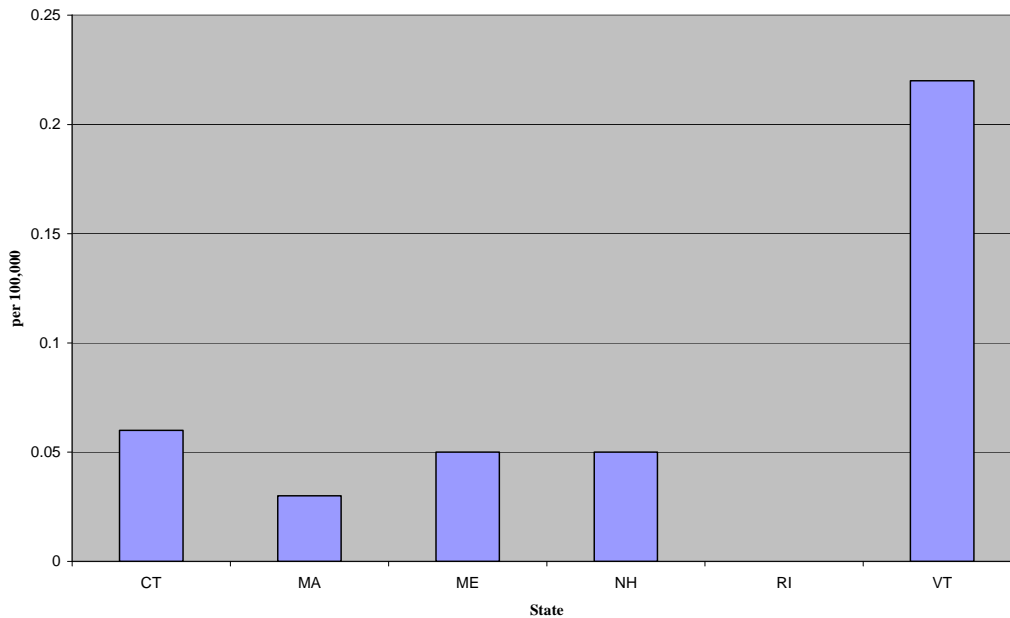


Vermont Youth Firearm Death Rates

The following information is obtained from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention WISQARS (Web-based Injury Statistics Query and Reporting System). Please note that the latest year for which information is available is 2006. The charts look at youth ages 0-18 and compare the youth firearm death rates in the six New England states

- **During the five year period 2001-2006, Vermont had the highest unintentional youth death rate due to firearm injury in the six New England states. Vermont's rate was over three times that of any other New England state and was also above the national average.**

Youth Ages 0-18 Unintentional Firearm Death Rate 2001-2006



- **During this same period, Vermont had the second highest youth death rate due to gun-related suicide in the six New England states.**

Youth Ages 0-18 Gun Related Suicide 2001-2006

