

Abused Children in Iowa, by County, 2014-16

| <i>County</i> | <i>2014 Pop 0-17</i> | <i>2014</i> | <i>2015</i> | <i>2016</i> | <i>Change in no. 2014-16</i> | <i>Change in % 2014-16</i> | <i>Avg. no. abused 2014-16</i> | <i>Avg. abused/ 1,000 2014-16</i> | <i>Rank in abuse rate, 2014-16</i> |
|---------------|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Adair | 1,649 | 8 | 17 | 33 | 25 | 312.5% | 19 | 11.72 | 42 |
| Adams | 831 | 9 | 10 | 18 | 9 | 100.0% | 12 | 14.84 | 19 |
| Allamakee | 3,154 | 30 | 28 | 31 | 1 | 3.3% | 30 | 9.41 | 61 |
| Appanoose | 2,832 | 42 | 52 | 71 | 29 | 69.0% | 55 | 19.42 | 5 |
| Audubon | 1,172 | 15 | 16 | 13 | -2 | -13.3% | 15 | 12.51 | 36 |
| Benton | 6,113 | 45 | 48 | 64 | 19 | 42.2% | 52 | 8.56 | 69 |
| Black Hawk | 28,512 | 418 | 405 | 371 | -47 | -11.2% | 398 | 13.96 | 24 |
| Boone | 6,003 | 64 | 75 | 96 | 32 | 50.0% | 78 | 13.05 | 34 |
| Bremer | 5,399 | 28 | 46 | 27 | -1 | -3.6% | 34 | 6.24 | 88 |
| Buchanan | 5,604 | 33 | 35 | 24 | -9 | -27.3% | 31 | 5.47 | 94 |
| Buena Vista | 5,204 | 36 | 40 | 63 | 27 | 75.0% | 46 | 8.90 | 66 |
| Butler | 3,548 | 20 | 30 | 50 | 30 | 150.0% | 33 | 9.39 | 62 |
| Calhoun | 2,034 | 24 | 17 | 35 | 11 | 45.8% | 25 | 12.45 | 37 |
| Carroll | 4,947 | 43 | 47 | 67 | 24 | 55.8% | 52 | 10.58 | 53 |
| Cass | 3,036 | 48 | 40 | 50 | 2 | 4.2% | 46 | 15.15 | 17 |
| Cedar | 4,209 | 35 | 33 | 43 | 8 | 22.9% | 37 | 8.79 | 67 |
| Cerro Gordo | 8,865 | 116 | 158 | 142 | 26 | 22.4% | 139 | 15.64 | 11 |
| Cherokee | 2,489 | 21 | 34 | 29 | 8 | 38.1% | 28 | 11.25 | 50 |
| Chickasaw | 2,918 | 29 | 15 | 29 | 0 | 0.0% | 24 | 8.34 | 72 |
| Clarke | 2,240 | 26 | 23 | 29 | 3 | 11.5% | 26 | 11.61 | 45 |
| Clay | 3,758 | 42 | 48 | 60 | 18 | 42.9% | 50 | 13.30 | 29 |
| Clayton | 3,936 | 27 | 33 | 32 | 5 | 18.5% | 31 | 7.79 | 76 |
| Clinton | 10,893 | 179 | 261 | 260 | 81 | 45.3% | 233 | 21.42 | 3 |
| Crawford | 4,386 | 34 | 26 | 42 | 8 | 23.5% | 34 | 7.75 | 78 |
| Dallas | 22,100 | 118 | 111 | 122 | 4 | 3.4% | 117 | 5.29 | 95 |
| Davis | 2,535 | 16 | 18 | 13 | -3 | -18.8% | 16 | 6.18 | 90 |
| Decatur | 1,801 | 31 | 18 | 41 | 10 | 32.3% | 30 | 16.66 | 7 |
| Delaware | 4,147 | 38 | 32 | 29 | -9 | -23.7% | 33 | 7.96 | 75 |
| Des Moines | 9,264 | 114 | 139 | 177 | 63 | 55.3% | 143 | 15.47 | 14 |
| Dickinson | 3,231 | 27 | 42 | 41 | 14 | 51.9% | 37 | 11.35 | 48 |
| Dubuque | 22,258 | 149 | 200 | 289 | 140 | 94.0% | 213 | 9.55 | 60 |
| Emmet | 2,162 | 31 | 37 | 40 | 9 | 29.0% | 36 | 16.65 | 8 |
| Fayette | 4,320 | 49 | 71 | 50 | 1 | 2.0% | 57 | 13.12 | 32 |
| Floyd | 3,718 | 34 | 50 | 62 | 28 | 82.4% | 49 | 13.09 | 33 |
| Franklin | 2,378 | 28 | 30 | 36 | 8 | 28.6% | 31 | 13.18 | 31 |
| Fremont | 1,543 | 19 | 23 | 23 | 4 | 21.1% | 22 | 14.04 | 23 |
| Greene | 2,111 | 18 | 50 | 38 | 20 | 111.1% | 35 | 16.74 | 6 |
| Grundy | 2,899 | 15 | 23 | 19 | 4 | 26.7% | 19 | 6.55 | 86 |
| Guthrie | 2,377 | 22 | 29 | 34 | 12 | 54.5% | 28 | 11.92 | 40 |
| Hamilton | 3,470 | 44 | 49 | 31 | -13 | -29.5% | 41 | 11.91 | 41 |
| Hancock | 2,503 | 11 | 26 | 13 | 2 | 18.2% | 17 | 6.66 | 83 |
| Hardin | 3,643 | 48 | 72 | 52 | 4 | 8.3% | 57 | 15.74 | 10 |
| Harrison | 3,232 | 20 | 41 | 36 | 16 | 80.0% | 32 | 10.00 | 58 |
| Henry | 4,514 | 48 | 39 | 50 | 2 | 4.2% | 46 | 10.12 | 55 |
| Howard | 2,384 | 30 | 29 | 38 | 8 | 26.7% | 32 | 13.56 | 27 |
| Humboldt | 2,212 | 21 | 17 | 29 | 8 | 38.1% | 22 | 10.10 | 56 |
| Ida | 1,677 | 33 | 17 | 14 | -19 | -57.6% | 21 | 12.72 | 35 |
| Iowa | 3,817 | 16 | 27 | 33 | 17 | 106.3% | 25 | 6.64 | 84 |
| Jackson | 4,348 | 31 | 42 | 69 | 38 | 122.6% | 47 | 10.89 | 51 |
| Jasper | 8,298 | 118 | 130 | 81 | -37 | -31.4% | 110 | 13.22 | 30 |
| Jefferson | 2,912 | 36 | 28 | 31 | -5 | -13.9% | 32 | 10.87 | 52 |

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| Johnson | 28,963 | 163 | 148 | 130 | -33 | -20.2% | 147 | 5.08 | 97 |
| Jones | 4,452 | 34 | 29 | 25 | -9 | -26.5% | 29 | 6.59 | 85 |
| Keokuk | 2,373 | 33 | 22 | 28 | -5 | -15.2% | 28 | 11.66 | 44 |
| Kossuth | 3,329 | 15 | 25 | 20 | 5 | 33.3% | 20 | 6.01 | 92 |
| Lee | 7,610 | 149 | 187 | 162 | 13 | 8.7% | 166 | 21.81 | 2 |
| Linn | 51,848 | 503 | 512 | 546 | 43 | 8.5% | 520 | 10.04 | 57 |
| Louisa | 2,587 | 10 | 33 | 46 | 36 | 360.0% | 30 | 11.47 | 47 |
| Lucas | 2,024 | 24 | 17 | 12 | -12 | -50.0% | 18 | 8.73 | 68 |
| Lyon | 3,282 | 12 | 7 | 32 | 20 | 166.7% | 17 | 5.18 | 96 |
| Madison | 4,056 | 25 | 40 | 25 | 0 | 0.0% | 30 | 7.40 | 80 |
| Mahaska | 5,297 | 47 | 68 | 68 | 21 | 44.7% | 61 | 11.52 | 46 |
| Marion | 8,057 | 72 | 98 | 102 | 30 | 41.7% | 91 | 11.25 | 49 |
| Marshall | 10,184 | 126 | 180 | 124 | -2 | -1.6% | 143 | 14.07 | 22 |
| Mills | 3,590 | 18 | 31 | 40 | 22 | 122.2% | 30 | 8.26 | 73 |
| Mitchell | 2,572 | 8 | 9 | 26 | 18 | 225.0% | 14 | 5.57 | 93 |
| Monona | 1,926 | 13 | 20 | 28 | 15 | 115.4% | 20 | 10.56 | 54 |
| Monroe | 1,885 | 20 | 9 | 15 | -5 | -25.0% | 15 | 7.78 | 77 |
| Montgomery | 2,360 | 42 | 56 | 61 | 19 | 45.2% | 53 | 22.46 | 1 |
| Muscatine | 10,918 | 137 | 129 | 188 | 51 | 37.2% | 151 | 13.86 | 26 |
| O'Brien | 3,320 | 31 | 29 | 30 | -1 | -3.2% | 30 | 9.04 | 64 |
| Osceola | 1,445 | 13 | 3 | 23 | 10 | 76.9% | 13 | 9.00 | 65 |
| Page | 3,187 | 72 | 59 | 61 | -11 | -15.3% | 64 | 20.08 | 4 |
| Palo Alto | 2,003 | 18 | 19 | 19 | 1 | 5.6% | 19 | 9.32 | 63 |
| Plymouth | 6,234 | 33 | 34 | 47 | 14 | 42.4% | 38 | 6.10 | 91 |
| Pocahontas | 1,612 | 23 | 31 | 21 | -2 | -8.7% | 25 | 15.51 | 13 |
| Polk | 115,937 | 1291 | 1,424 | 1,360 | 69 | 5.3% | 1,358 | 11.72 | 43 |
| Pottawattamie | 22,069 | 328 | 287 | 387 | 59 | 18.0% | 334 | 15.13 | 18 |
| Poweshiek | 3,811 | 49 | 53 | 57 | 8 | 16.3% | 53 | 13.91 | 25 |
| Ringgold | 1,178 | 6 | 12 | 4 | -2 | -33.3% | 7 | 6.23 | 89 |
| Sac | 2,210 | 24 | 32 | 25 | 1 | 4.2% | 27 | 12.22 | 39 |
| Scott | 41,239 | 462 | 481 | 594 | 132 | 28.6% | 512 | 12.42 | 38 |
| Shelby | 2,715 | 16 | 26 | 26 | 10 | 62.5% | 23 | 8.35 | 71 |
| Sioux | 9,335 | 39 | 52 | 44 | 5 | 12.8% | 45 | 4.82 | 98 |
| Story | 16,133 | 127 | 163 | 177 | 50 | 39.4% | 156 | 9.65 | 59 |
| Tama | 4,210 | 51 | 86 | 71 | 20 | 39.2% | 69 | 16.47 | 9 |
| Taylor | 1,417 | 22 | 10 | 33 | 11 | 50.0% | 22 | 15.29 | 16 |
| Union | 2,892 | 35 | 40 | 52 | 17 | 48.6% | 42 | 14.64 | 21 |
| Van Buren | 1,737 | 19 | 10 | 8 | -11 | -57.9% | 12 | 7.10 | 82 |
| Wapello | 7,901 | 93 | 130 | 142 | 49 | 52.7% | 122 | 15.40 | 15 |
| Warren | 12,078 | 98 | 79 | 128 | 30 | 30.6% | 102 | 8.42 | 70 |
| Washington | 5,471 | 35 | 47 | 51 | 16 | 45.7% | 44 | 8.10 | 74 |
| Wayne | 1,549 | 5 | 13 | 12 | 7 | 140.0% | 10 | 6.46 | 87 |
| Webster | 7,924 | 107 | 102 | 140 | 33 | 30.8% | 116 | 14.68 | 20 |
| Winnebago | 2,263 | 20 | 17 | 12 | -8 | -40.0% | 16 | 7.22 | 81 |
| Winneshiek | 3,930 | 19 | 15 | 19 | 0 | 0.0% | 18 | 4.50 | 99 |
| Woodbury | 26,663 | 351 | 447 | 448 | 97 | 27.6% | 415 | 15.58 | 12 |
| Worth | 1,658 | 12 | 15 | 10 | -2 | -16.7% | 12 | 7.44 | 79 |
| Wright | 2,964 | 42 | 35 | 43 | 1 | 2.4% | 40 | 13.50 | 28 |
| Totals | 725,984 | 7,429 | 8,298 | 8,892 | | | 8,206 | 11.30 | |

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