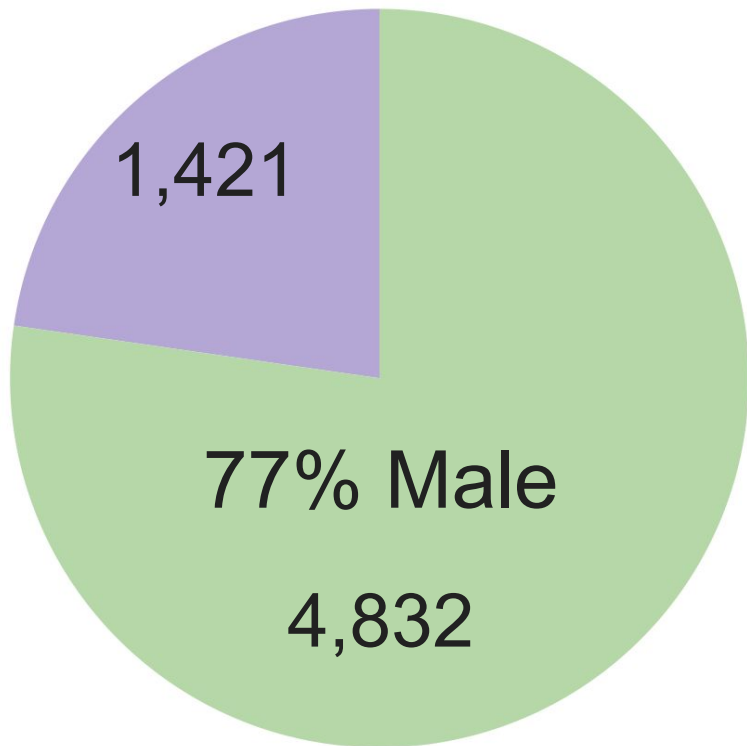


The numbers show us Washington's
boys and men are struggling

Victims of suicide

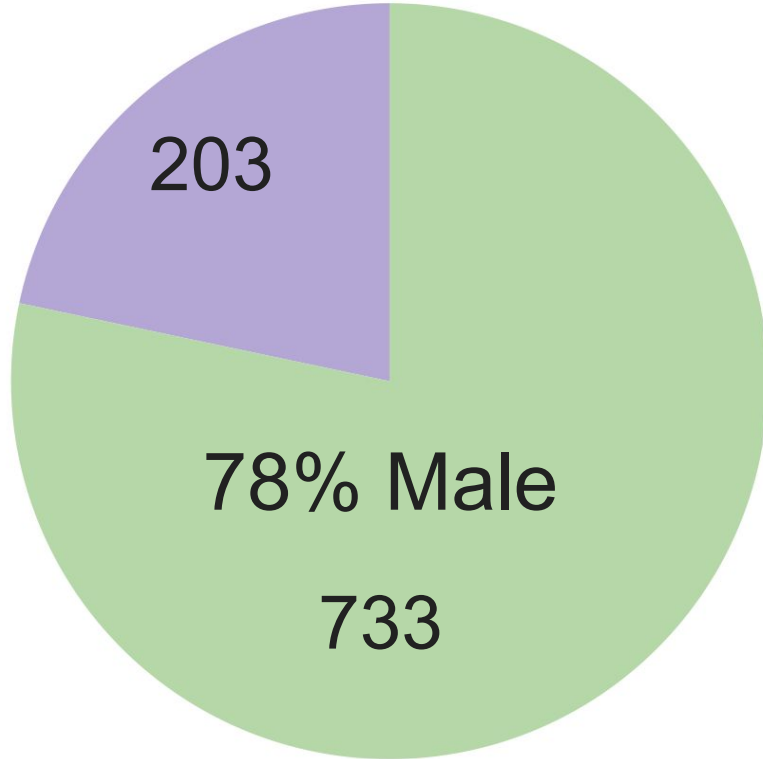
2017-2021, Washington



Source: CDC WISQARS Database

Youth victims of suicide

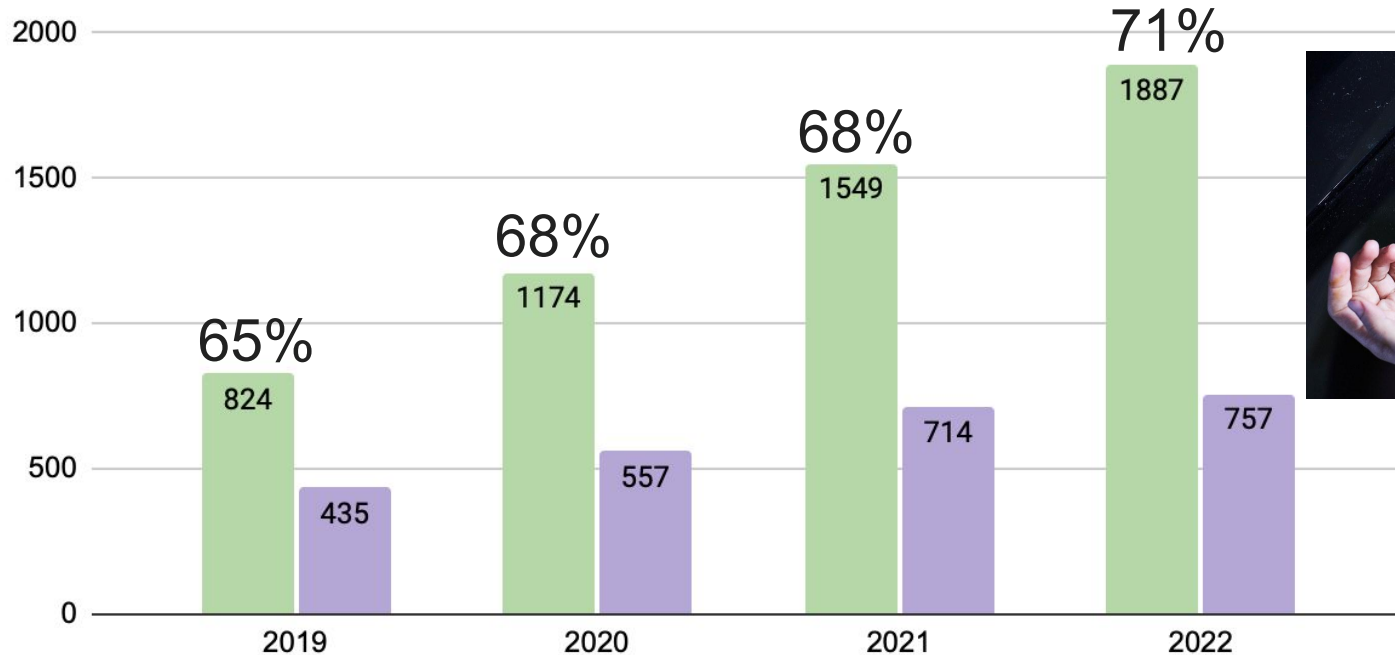
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Source: CDC WISQARS Database (youth is ages 0 - 24)

Deaths from drug overdoses

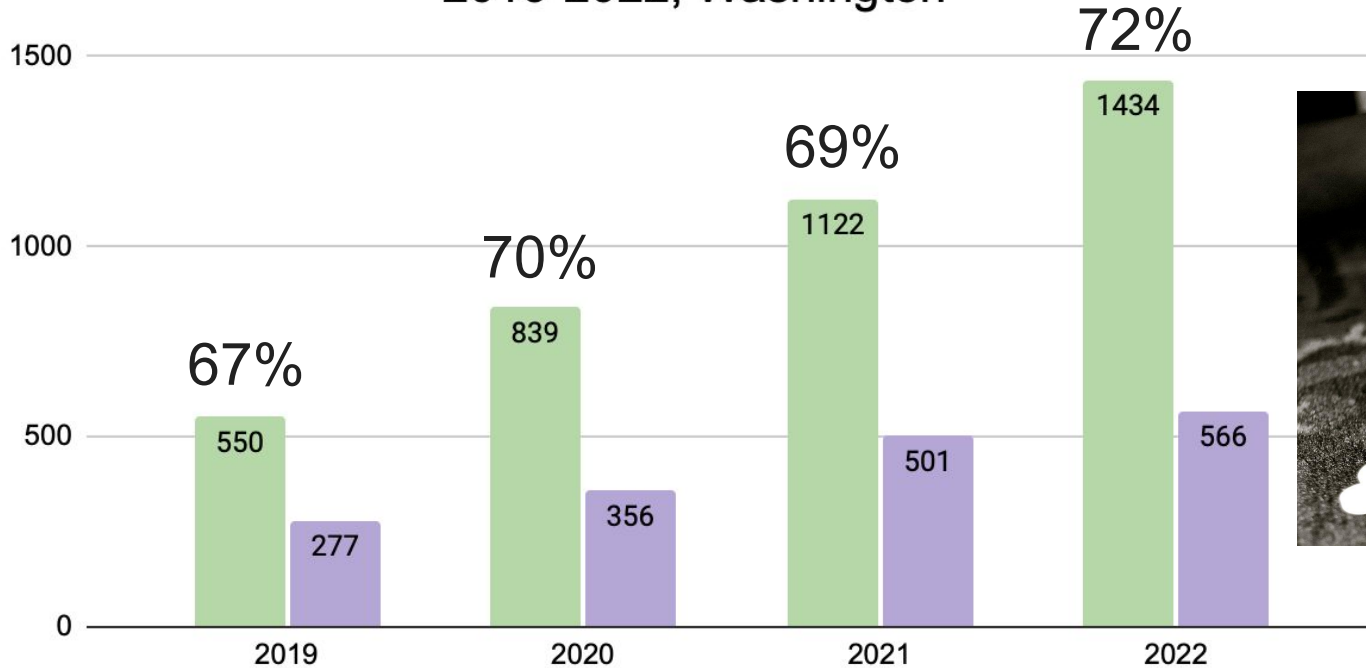
2019-2022, Washington



Source: IVP/S&E Team, Washington State Department of Health (by email 11/27/2023)

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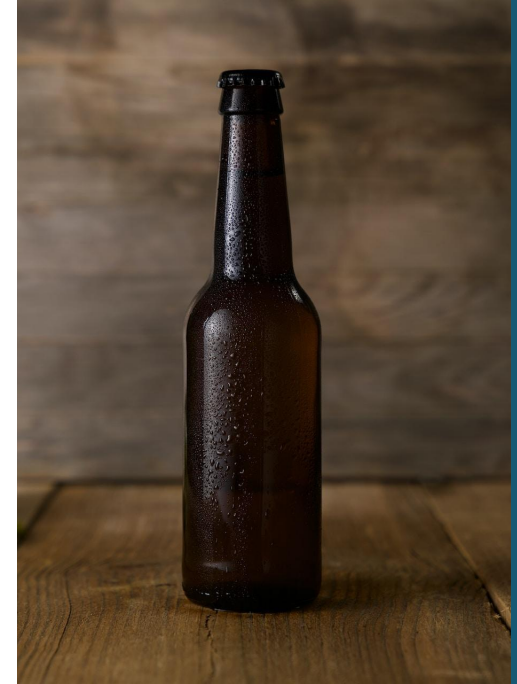
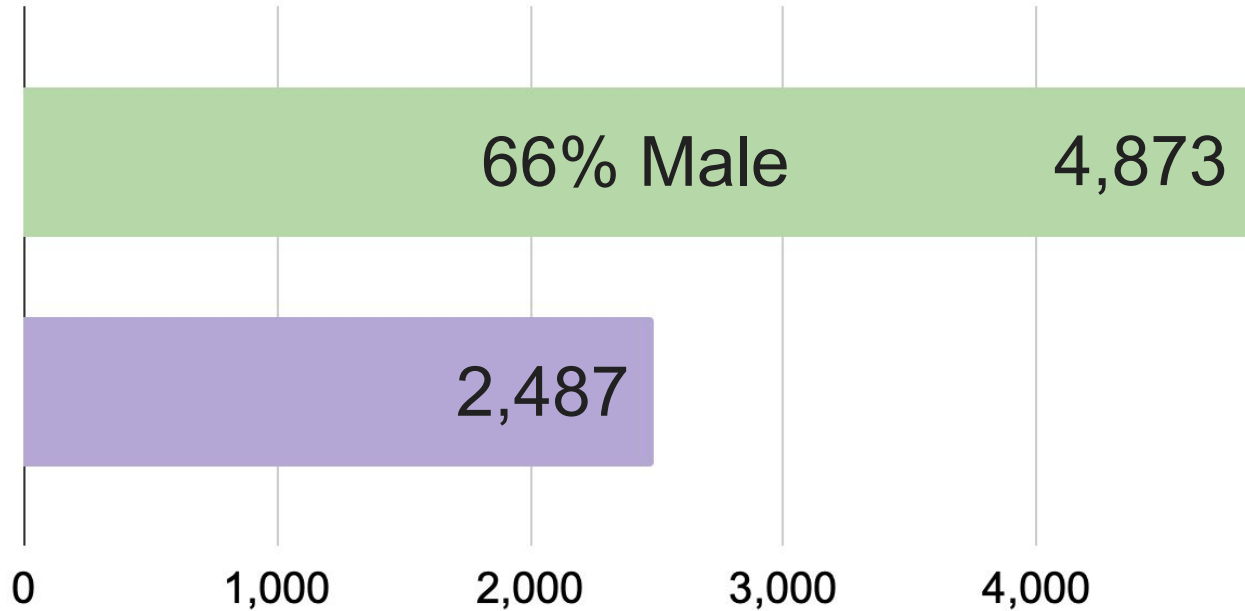
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Source: Kaiser Family Foundation, Opioid Overdose Deaths by Sex,
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Deaths from alcohol abuse

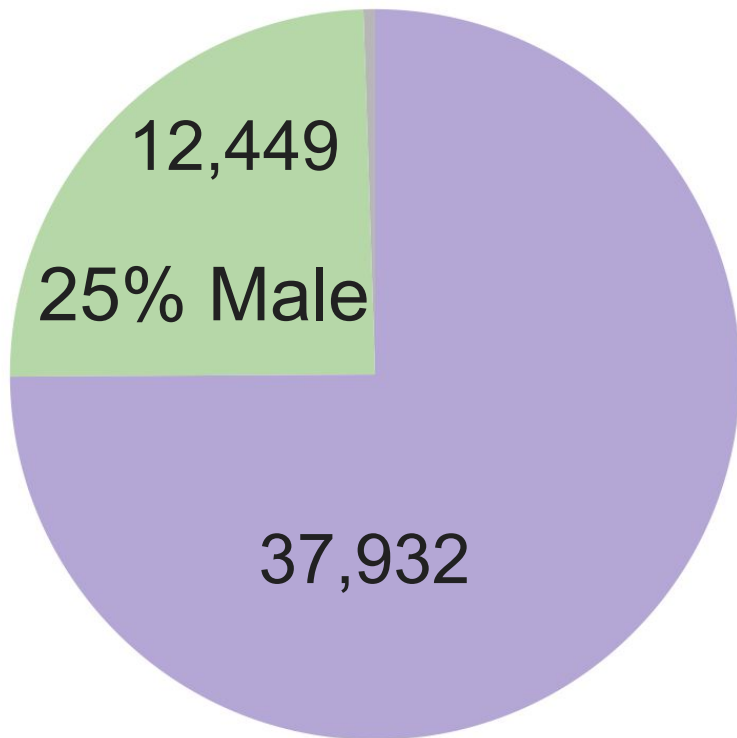
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Source: CDC, “Alcohol deaths by race and sex”, WONDER database, retrieved 8/20/2023

Mental Health Counselors

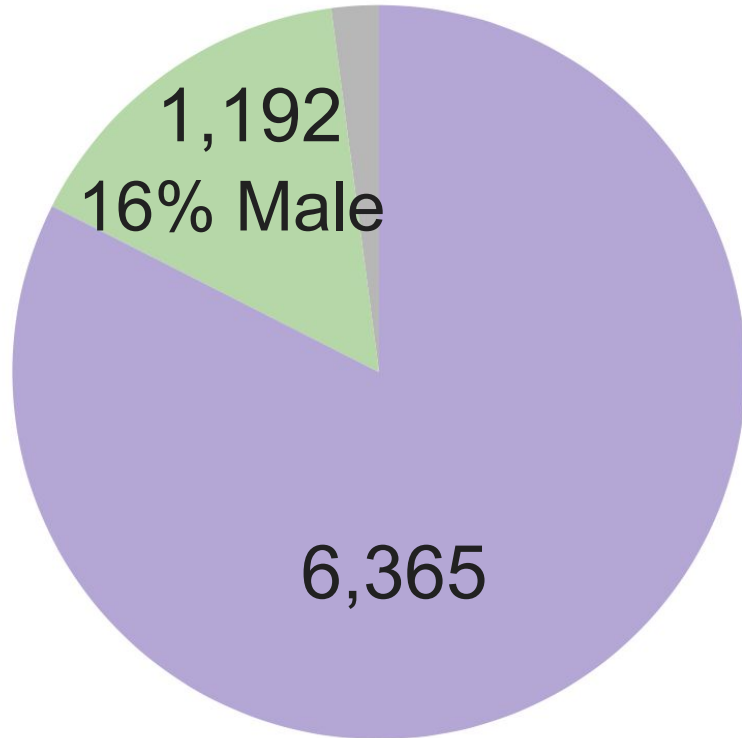
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Source: Washington State Department of Health (by email 11/8/22). Counts include all active holders of LMHC, LMHCA, LMFT, LMFTA, SUDPC, SWA, SWAA, and other related licenses.

Social Workers

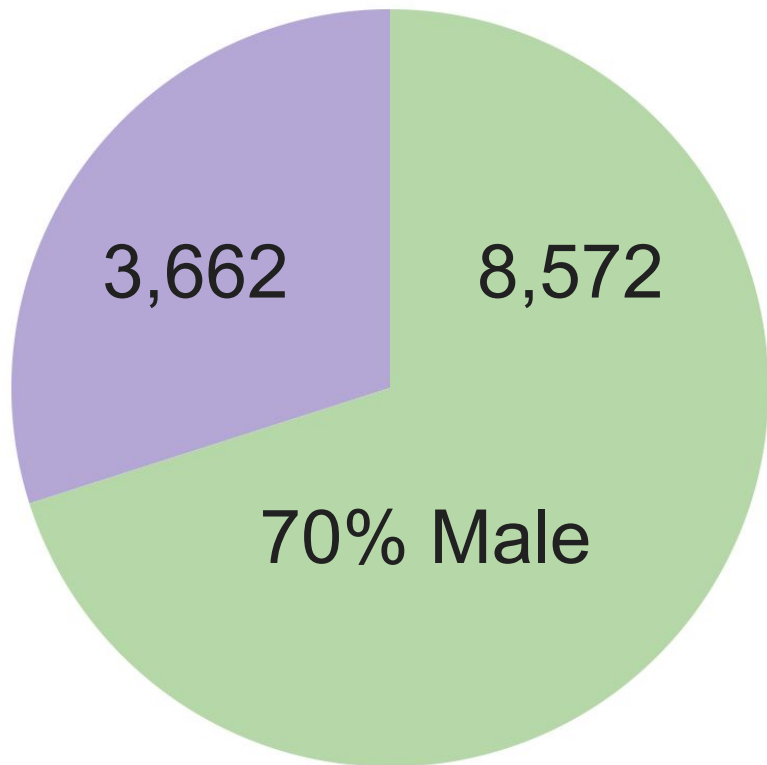
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Source: Health Systems Quality Assurance, Washington State Department of Health (by email, 8/30/2021). Counts include all active licensed practitioners.

Unsheltered people

2022, Washington

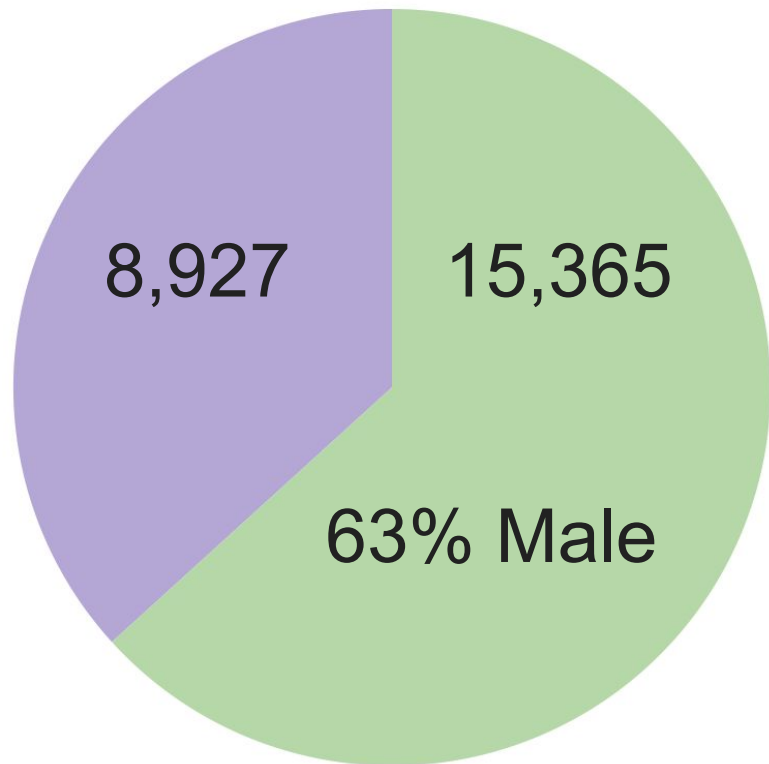


Men are 85% of deaths among people experiencing homelessness in King County (*Seattle Times*, 2022)

Source: Washington State Department of Commerce, HMIS database, point-in-time count conducted 2/26/2022

Homeless people

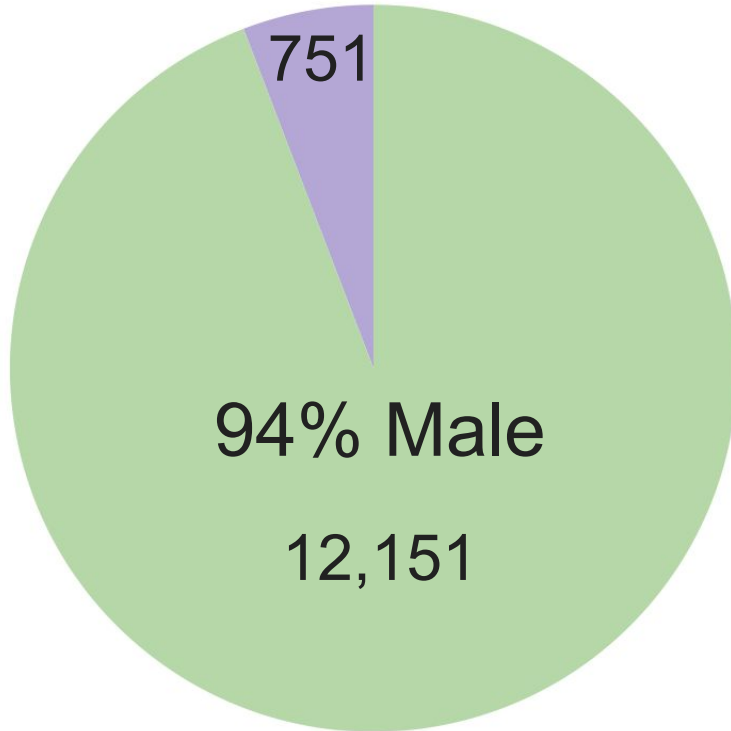
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Imprisoned people

2023, Washington

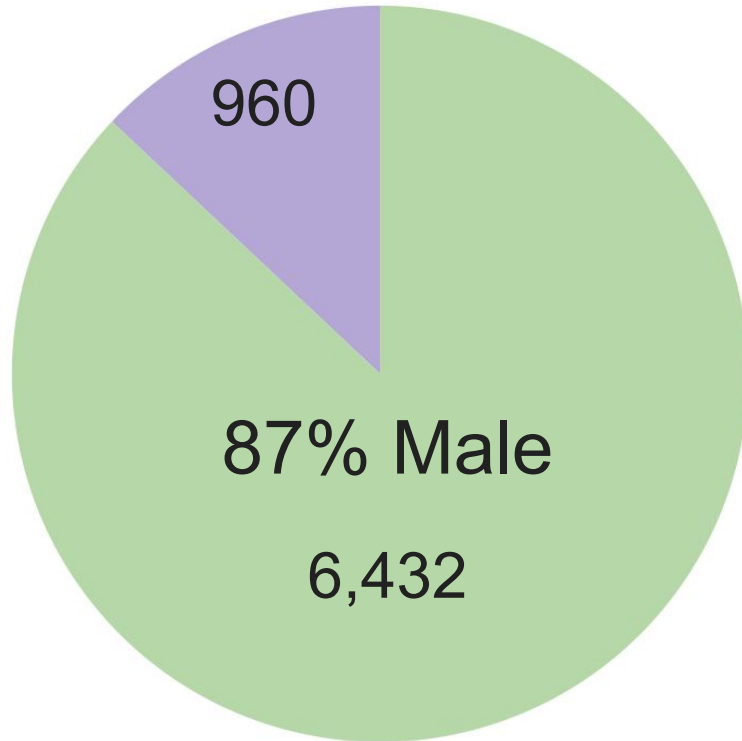


Cost per incarcerated individual: \$63,000/year

Source: Average Daily Population of Incarcerated Individuals, WA Department of Corrections, 10/31/2023, <https://doc.wa.gov/docs/publications/reports/400-RE002.pdf>

Jailed people

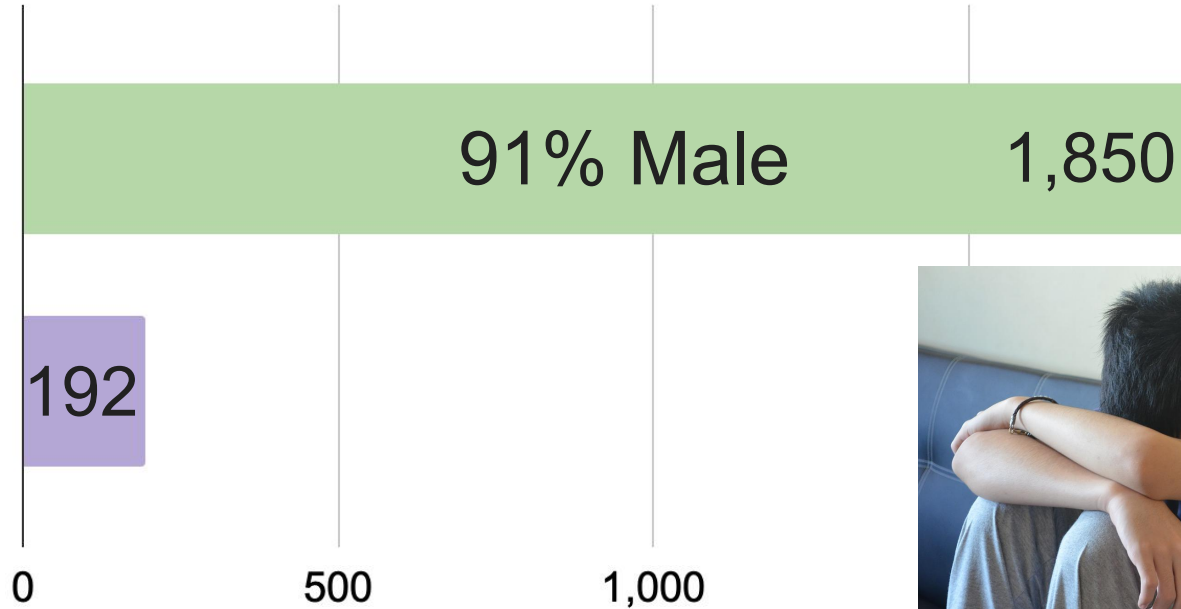
2022, Washington



Source: 2022 Jail Statistics, Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs,
<https://www.waspc.org/crime-statistics-reports>

Youth in juvenile rehabilitation

2018-2022, Washington



Avg. stay (days)

Male: 374

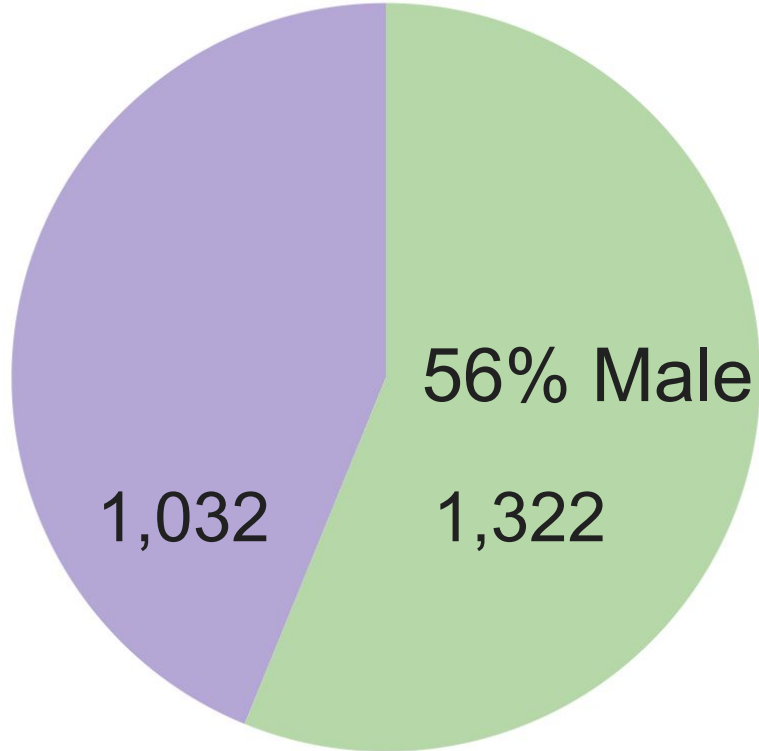
Female: 269



Source: Juvenile Rehabilitation Length of Stay Trends (SFY 17-22), Washington State Department of Children, Youth, and Families, <https://dcyf.wa.gov/sites/default/files/pdf/reports/JR-LOS-2022.pdf>

Missing persons

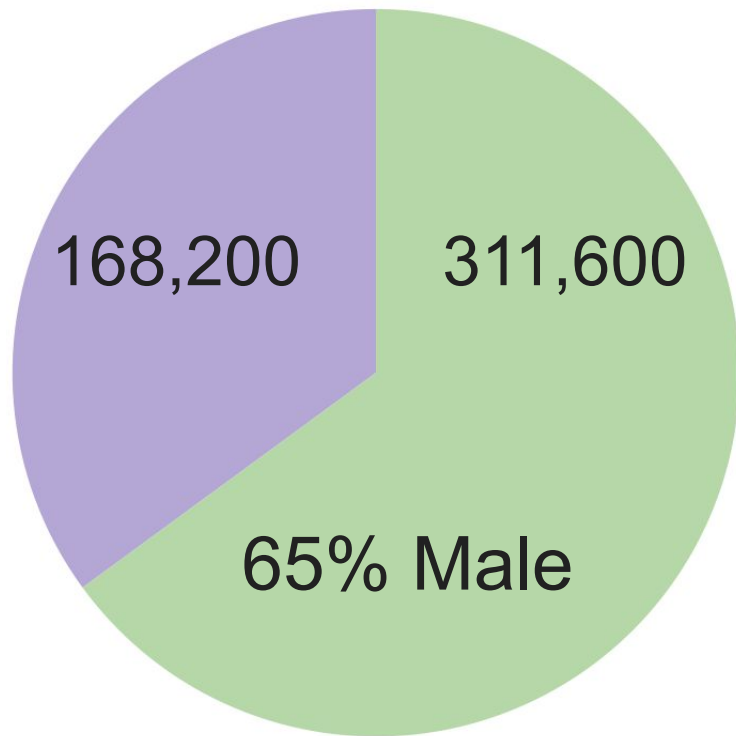
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Source: Washington State Patrol, data extracted 12/27/2022 by Captain Neil Weaver

Uninsured people

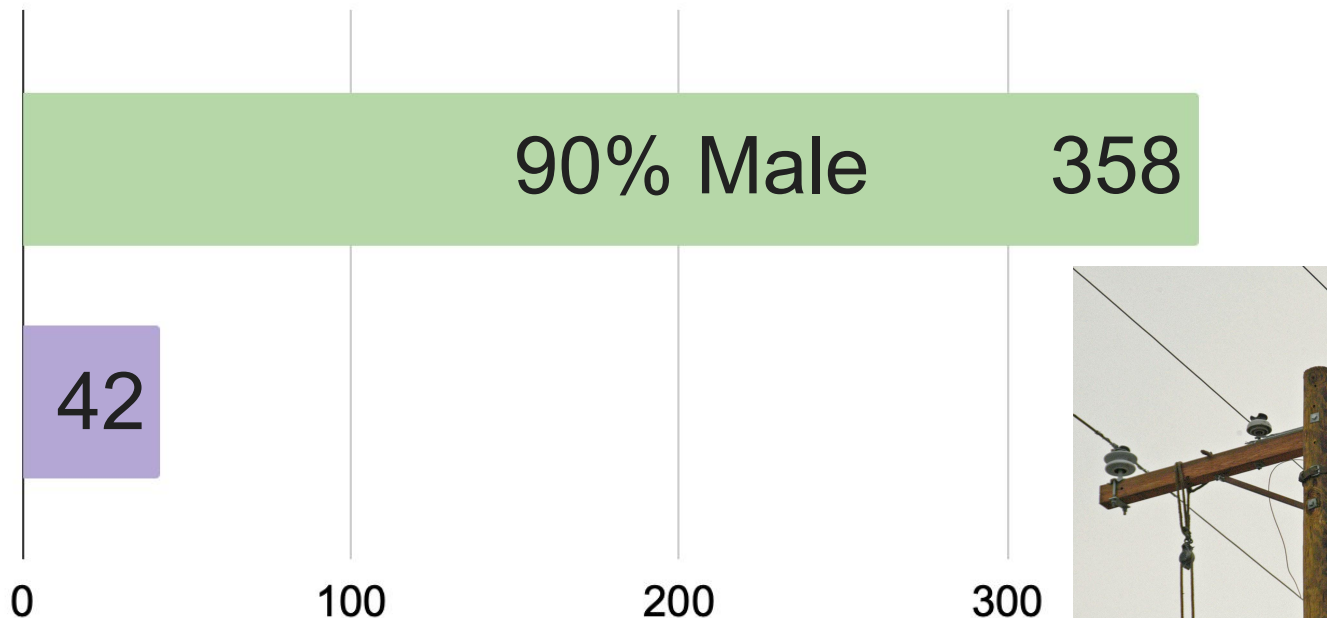
2021, Washington



Source: Kaiser Family Foundation, Uninsured rates for nonelderly adults, <https://www.kff.org/other/state-indicator/uninsured-rates-for-nonelderly-adults-by-sex-cps/>

People killed at work

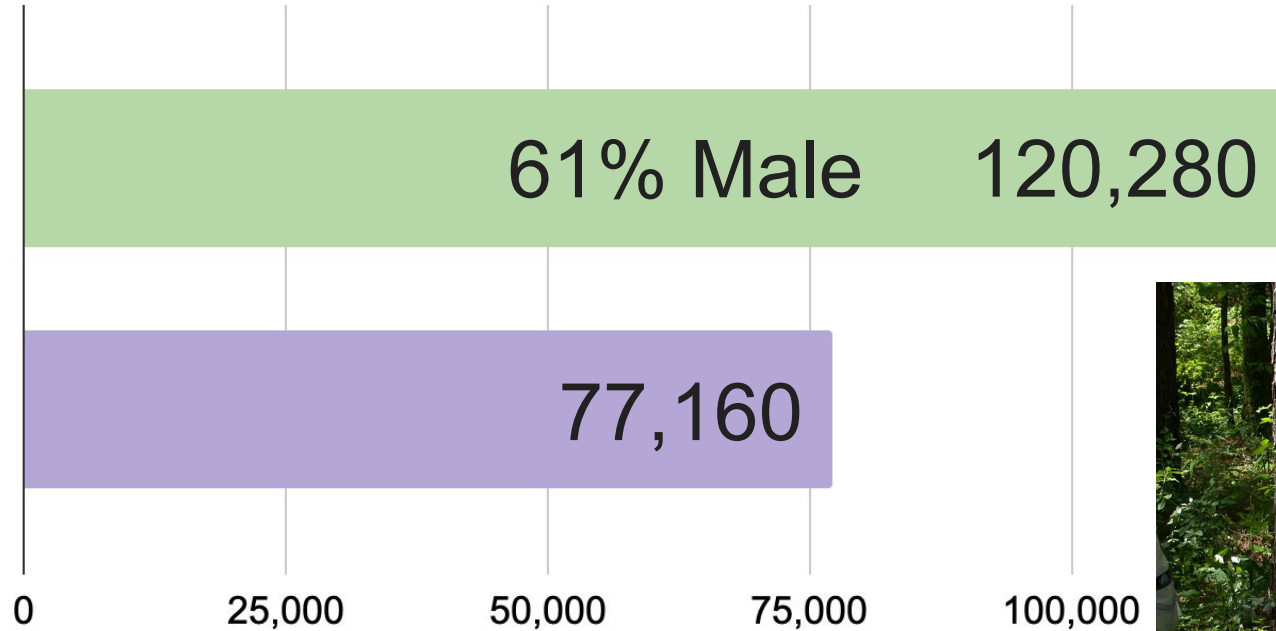
2017-2021, Washington



Source: WA Department of Labor and Industries, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries, <https://lni.wa.gov/claims/for-employers/workers-compensation-injury-data/labor-statistics-blsi>

People injured at work

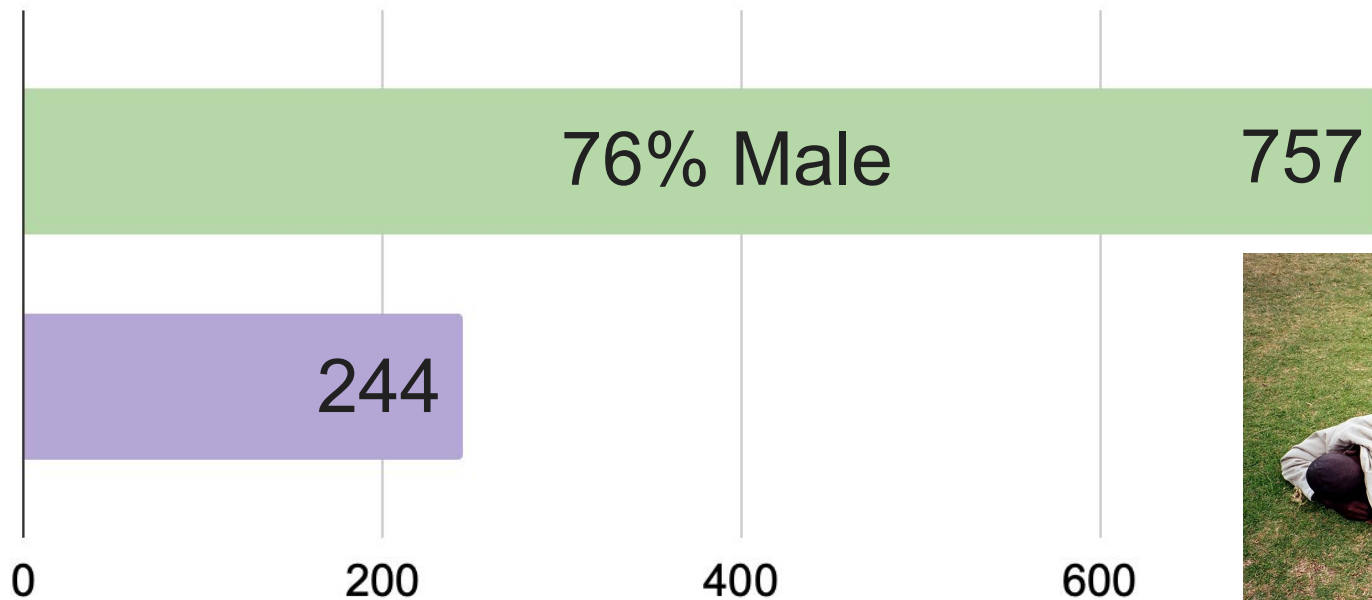
2018-2022, Washington



Source: WA L&I, Nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work, private industry, <https://lni.wa.gov/claims/for-employers/workers-compensation-injury-data/labor-statistics-bsi>

Victims of homicide

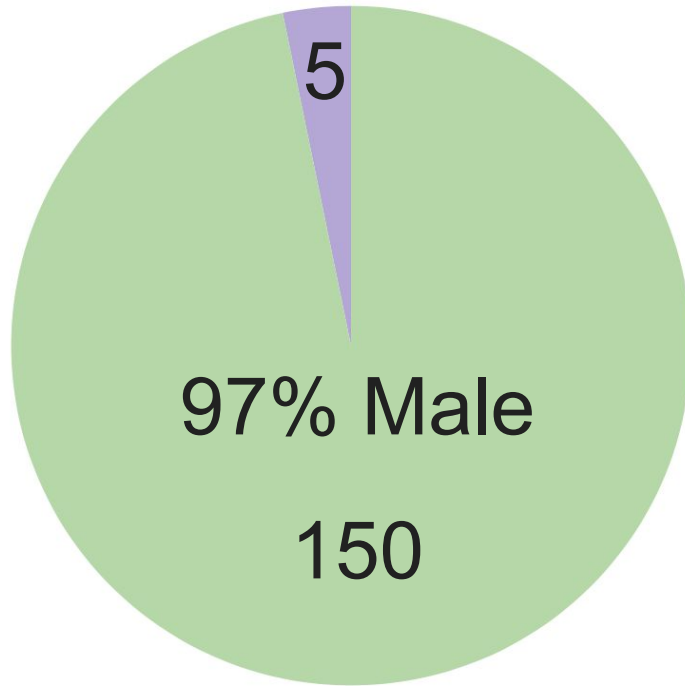
2020-2022, Washington



Source: Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs, *Crime in Washington* annual reports, <https://www.waspc.org/crime-statistics-reports>

People killed during military service

2001-present, Washingtonians

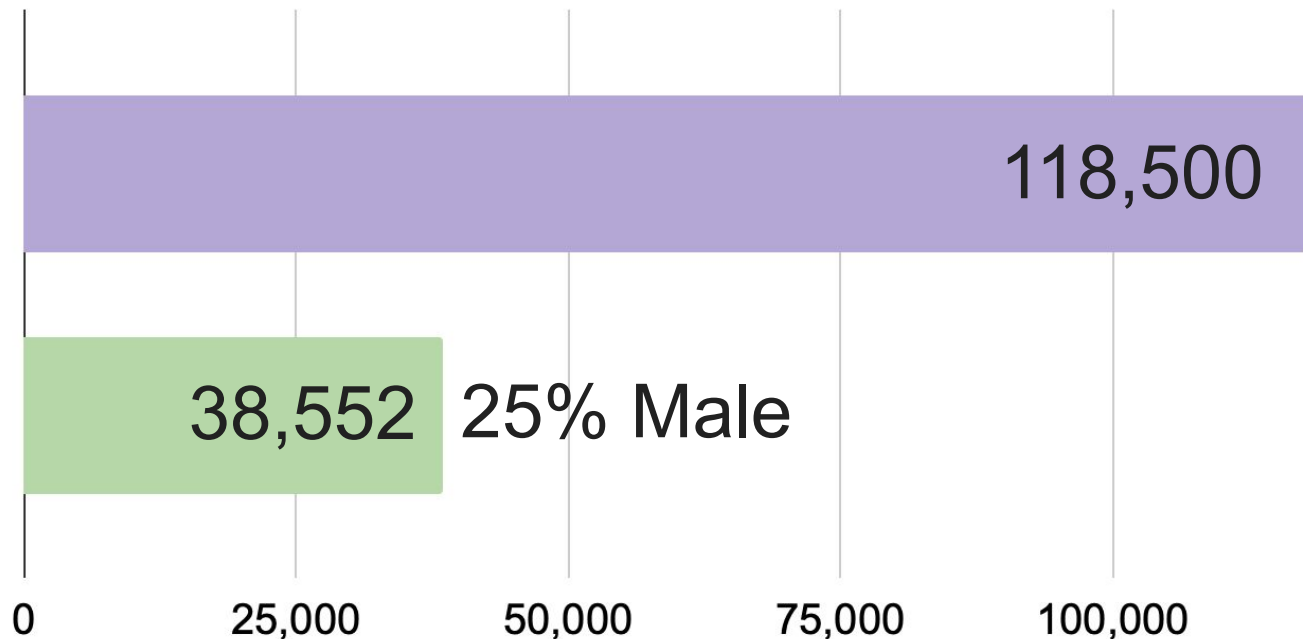


Source: Defense Casualty Analysis System (DCAS)

Note: Data pertains to U.S. service members killed in any of the five American military operations in Iraq and Afghanistan since 2001 whose home state is listed in DCAS as Washington.

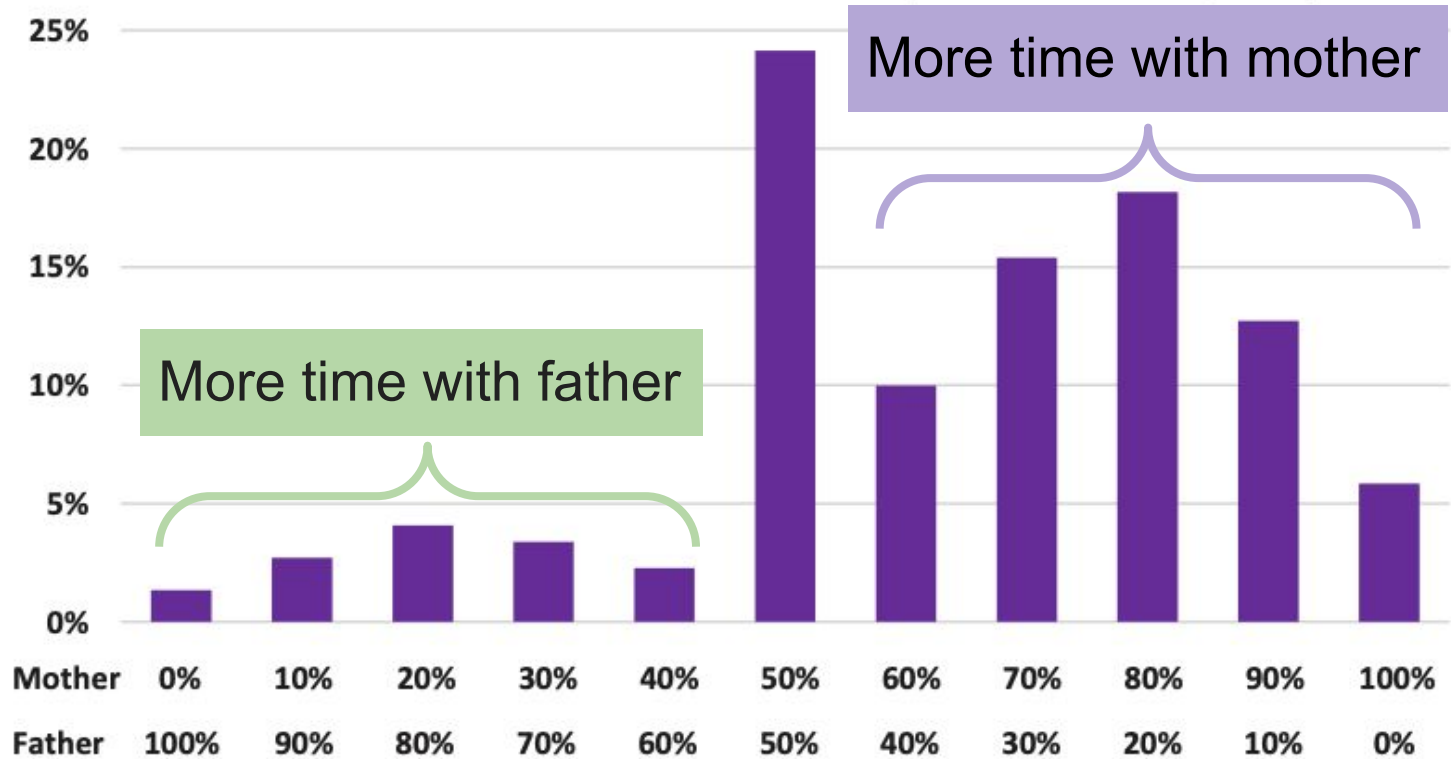
Head of single-parent households

2022, Washington



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2022 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates, Table DP02

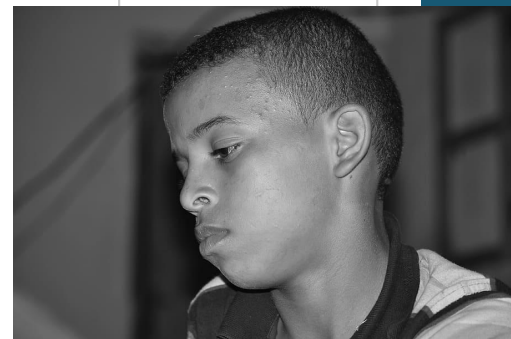
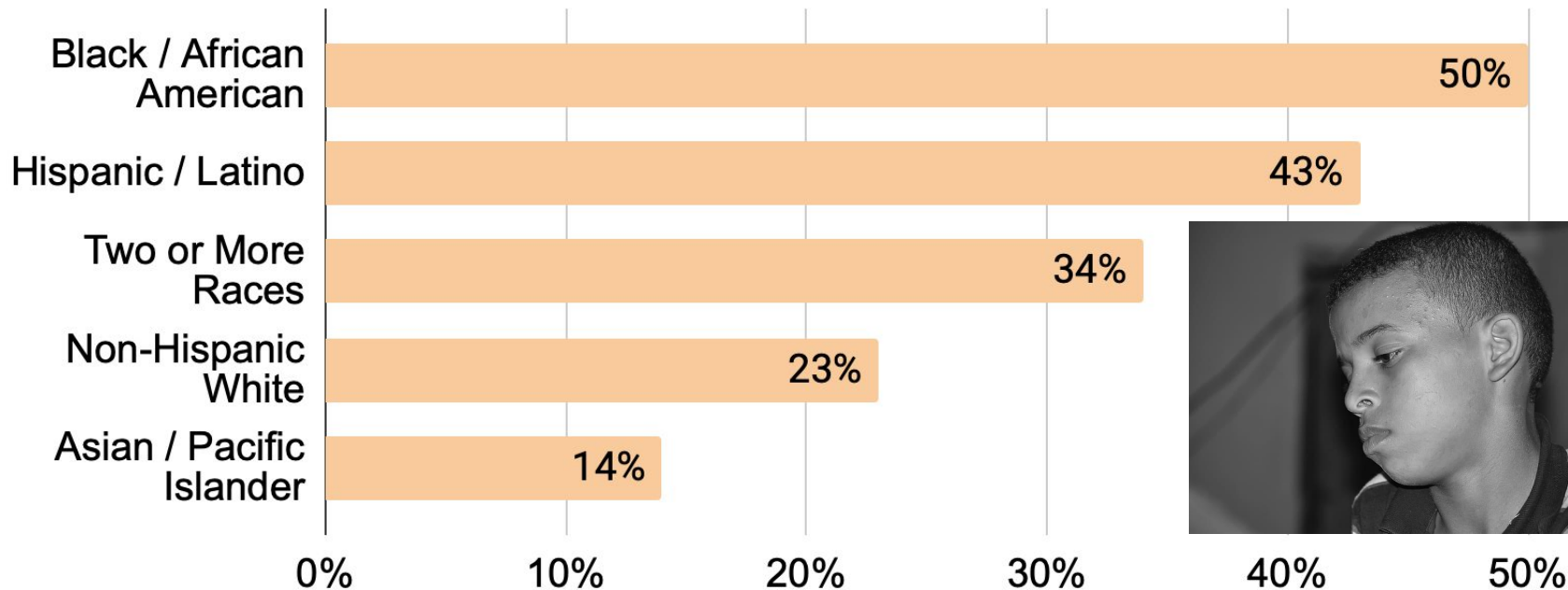
Exhibit 3: Residential Time of Children (No risk factors) N=2,775



Source: 2016 Residential Time Summary Report, Washington State Center for Court Research, <https://www.courts.wa.gov/subsite/wscrr/docs/ResidentialTimeSummaryReport2016.pdf>

Children in single-parent families

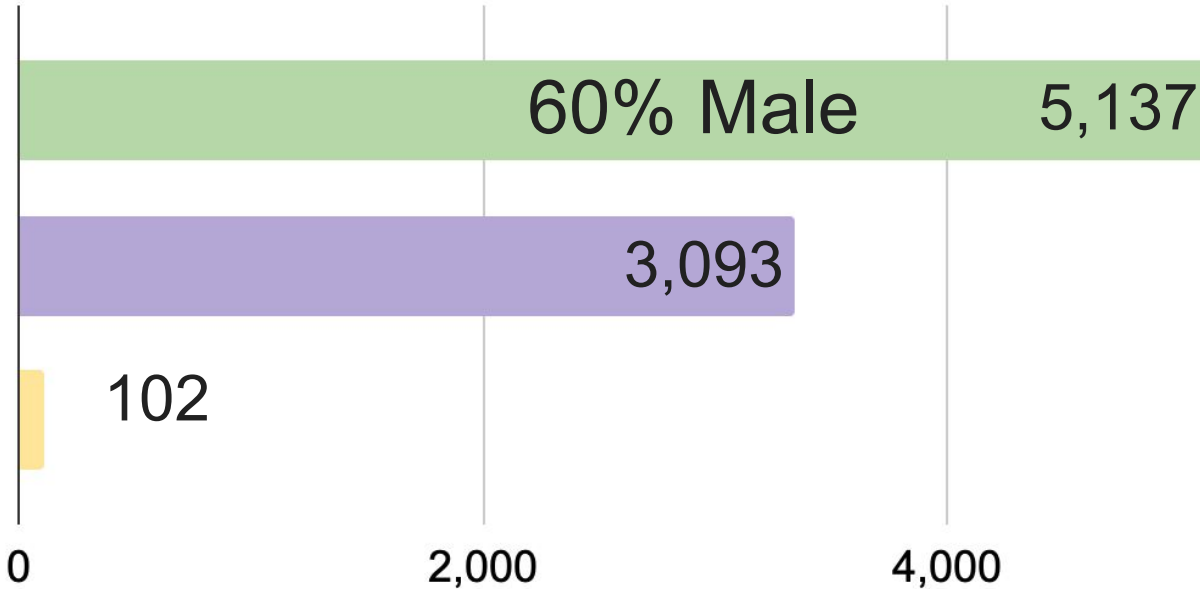
2021, Washington



Source: American Community Survey, Kids Count Data Center, <https://datacenter.kidscount.org/>,
“Children in single-parent families by race and ethnicity in Washington”

High school dropouts

2021-2022, Washington

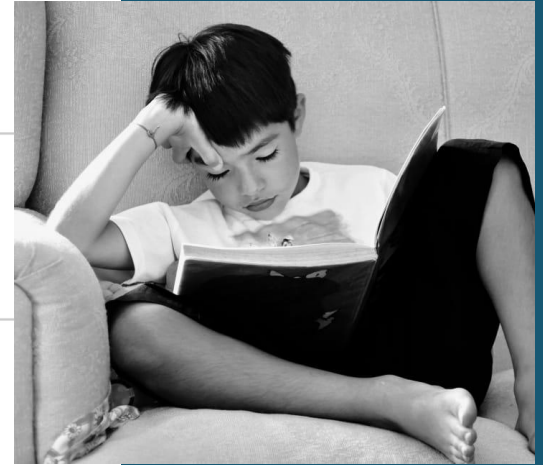
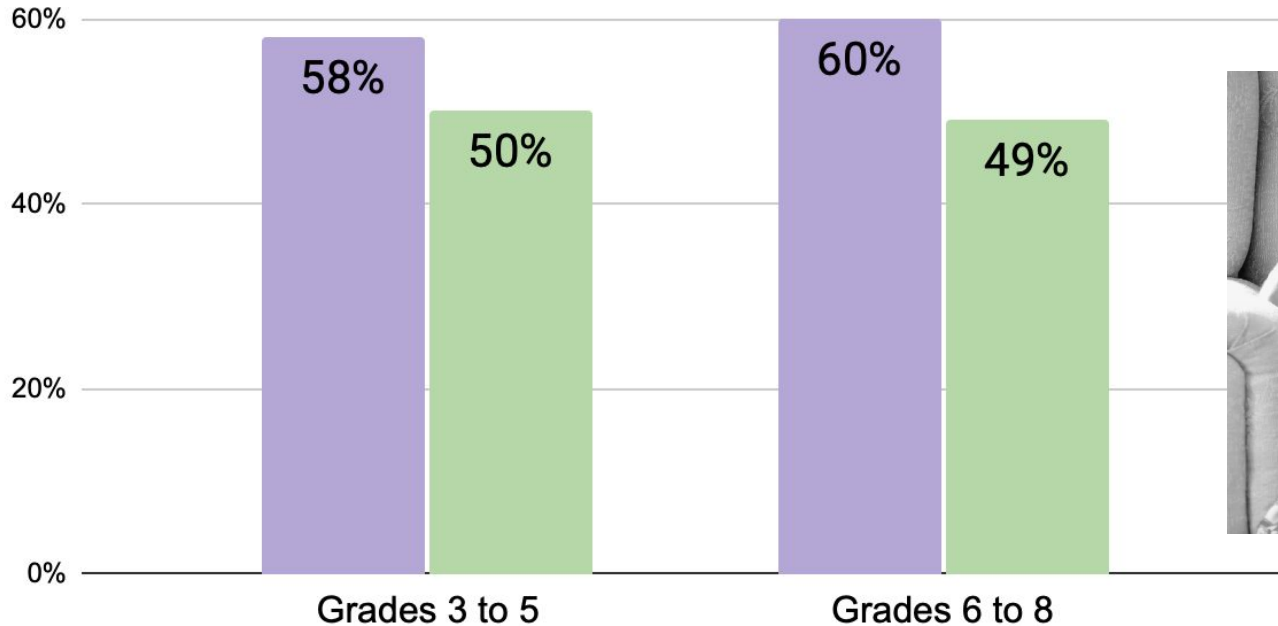


Source: Washington Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction.

<https://washingtonstatereportcard.ospi.k12.wa.us/ReportCard/ViewSchoolOrDistrict/103300>

Literacy Gap

% WA students meeting/exceeding standards in ELA, 2014-2022



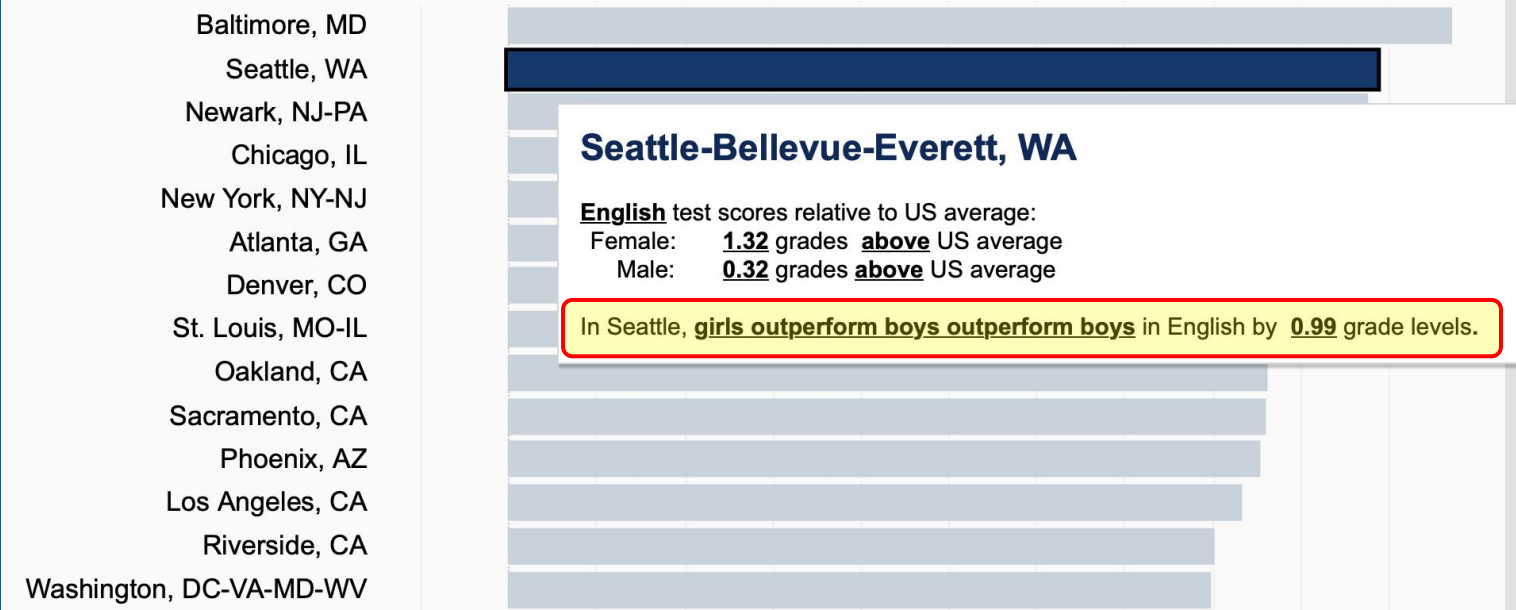
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FIGURE 3b

Test score gender gaps in the largest 25 metro areas

Gaps reported in grade levels. Hover for details.

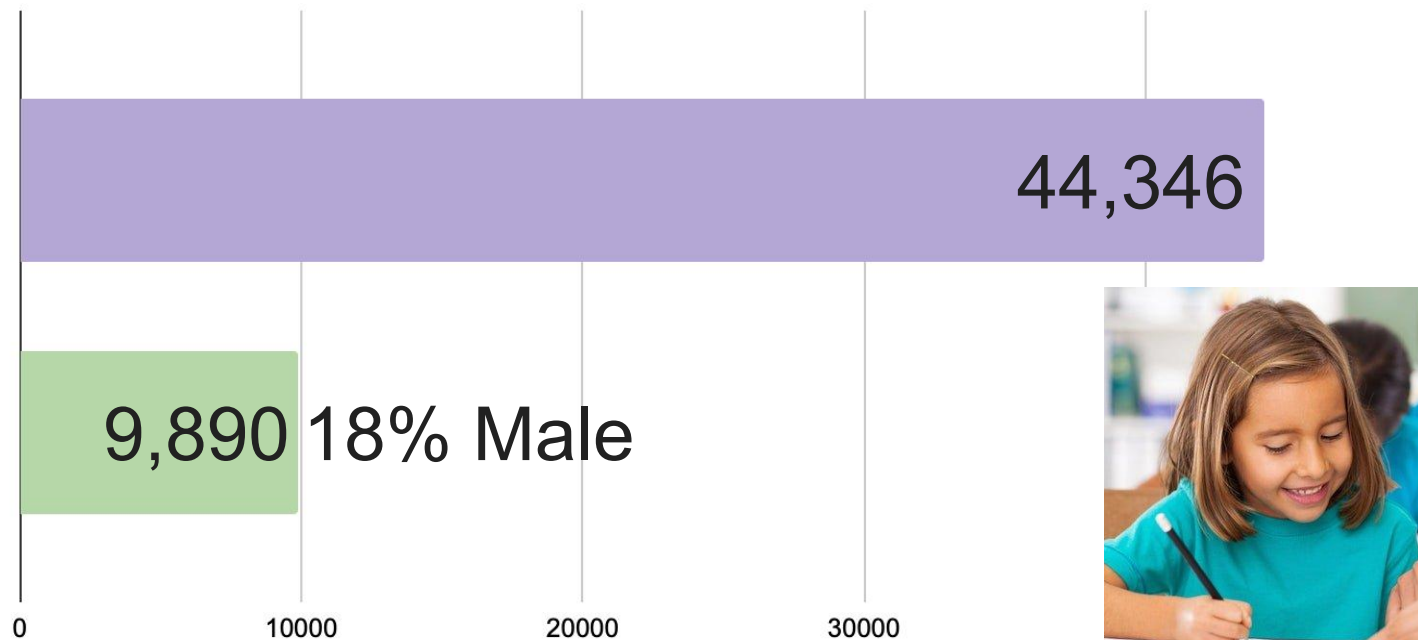
Subject

☒ English☐ Math

Source: Test score gender gaps in English, grades 3 to 8, Brookings Institution,
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Elementary School Teachers

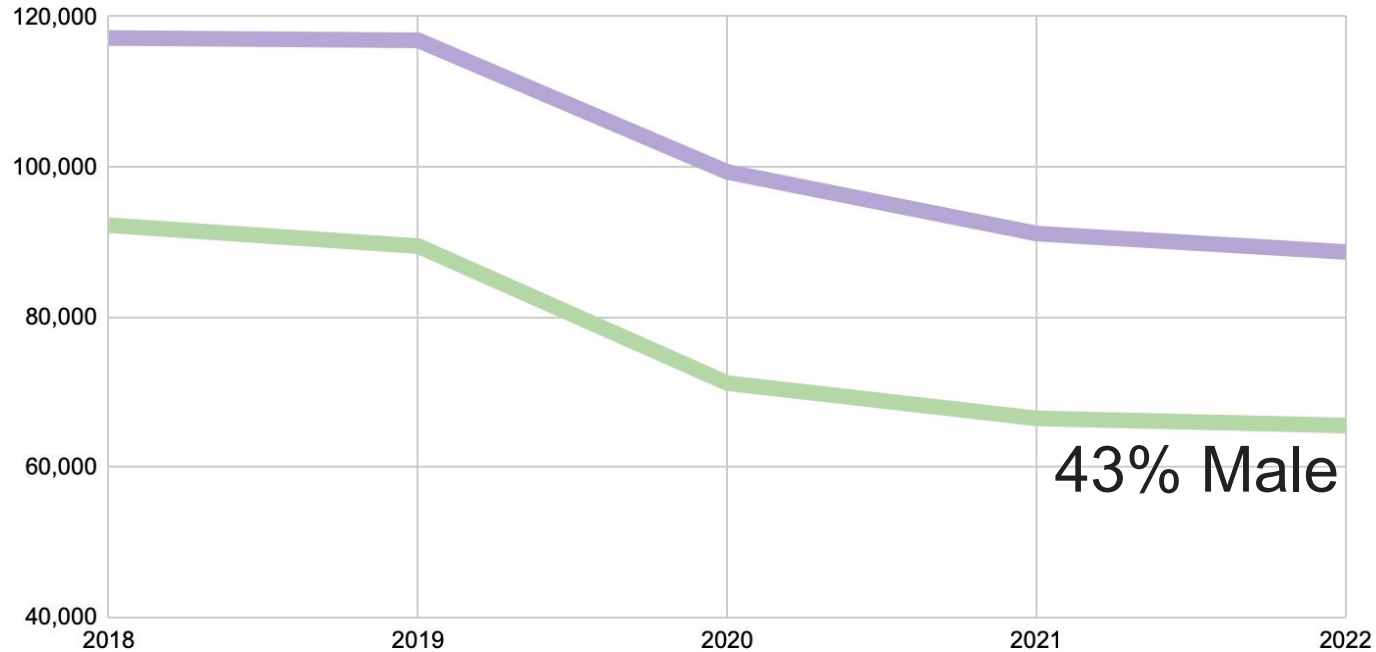
2021-2022, Grades Pre-K - 5, WA Public Schools



Source: CEDARS, SAFS & EMS, data pulled 9/22/22 by Senior Data Analyst, Professional Certification Office, Washington Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction

Community & Technical College Enrollment

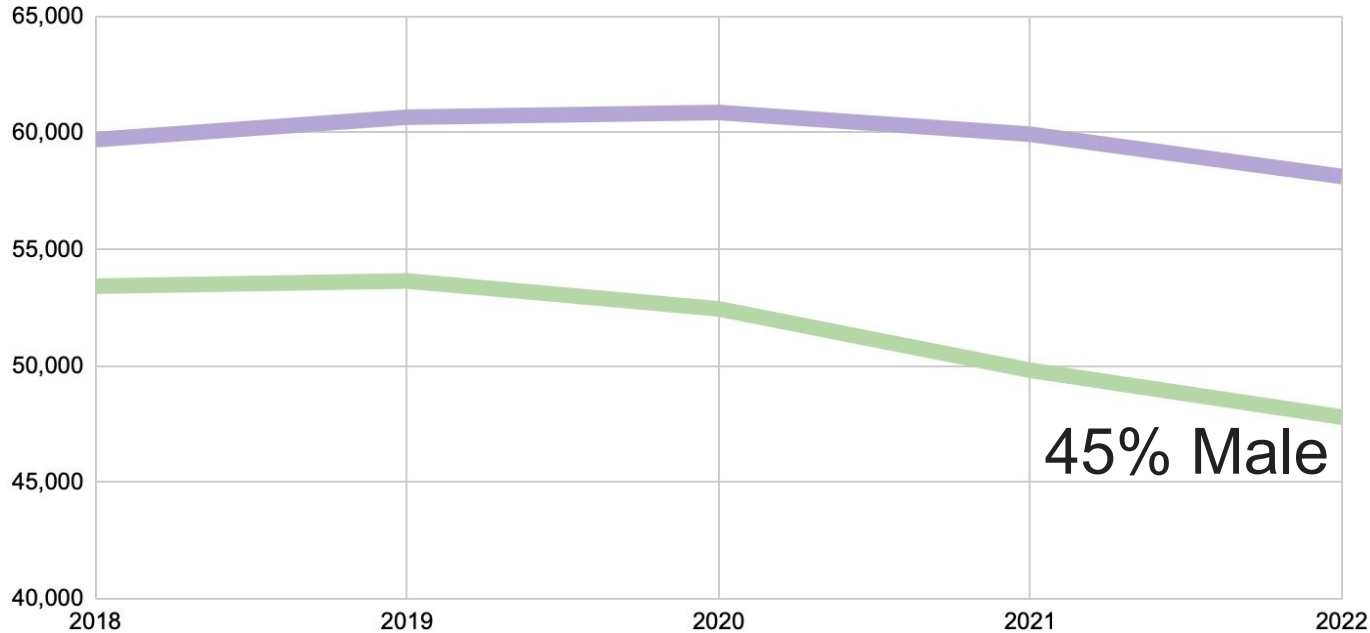
2018-2022 (Fall), Washington



Source: Enrollment Data Dashboard, WA Board of Community & Technical Colleges,
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Undergraduate Enrollment

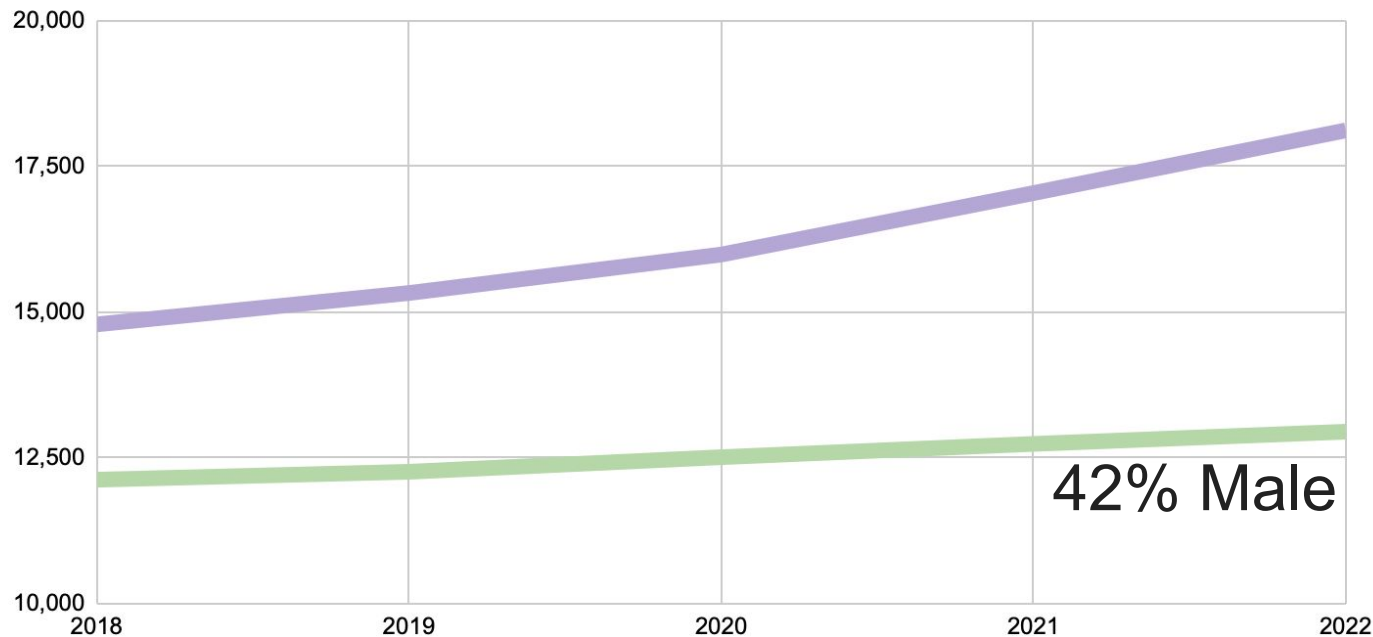
4-Year Public Universities, Washington, 2018-2022



Source: Statewide Public 4-Year Dashboard, Education Research & Data Center, Office of Financial Management,
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Postgraduate Enrollment

4-Year Public Universities, Washington, 2018-2022



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