

How to read the Excel Workbook

In the Workbook, there are 6 spreadsheets, indicated by the tabs at the bottom of the page.

The front sheet, “Summary estimates” is the one that will appear in the White Paper.

The other sheets demonstrate how we came up with our estimates¹

Estimates of family violence in Ohio:		Lifetime		Annual		
	ages	# victims	# victims	Cases reported to authorities	Reported cases receiving intervention	Fatalities
child maltreatment	0-18	383,000	64,000	112,000	42,483	166
intimate partner violence	16+	1,640,000	166,000	0,109	3,099	229
elder abuse	65+	67,000	26,000	0,109	3,099	229

¹ Note that all numbers except for fatalities are rounded to the nearest thousand- this is done to emphasize that these are imprecise estimates only.

Microsoft Excel - population and cost estimates

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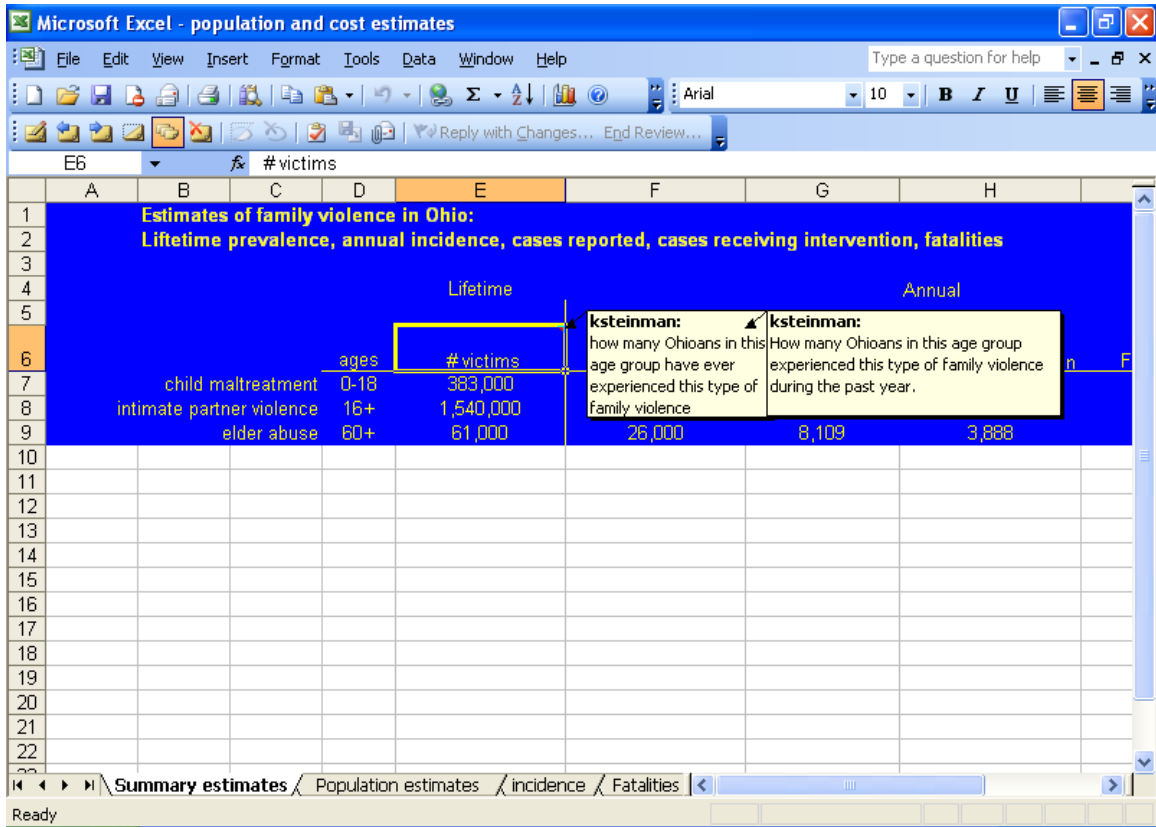
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1	Estimates of family violence in Ohio:							
2	Lifetime prevalence, annual incidence, cases reported, cases receiving intervention, fatalities							
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4					Lifetime		Annual	
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6			ages		#victims	#victims		
7	child maltreatment	0-18		383,000	64,000			
8	intimate partner violence	16+		1,540,000	155,000			
9	elder abuse	60+		61,000	26,000	8,109	3,888	
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Summary estimates / Population estimates / incidence / Fatalities

Cell F6 commented by ksteinman

ksteinman:
How many Ohioans in this age group experienced this type of family violence during the past year.

On each spreadsheet, you will notice small red triangles in the upper right hand corner of some of the cells (see above). When you scroll over those triangles with your mouse, a comment will appear. This comment includes information such as: the source from which the number was obtained, questions we have regarding the number, explanations of our rationale, and information we have obtained from other people about the number via email, etc.



You can also click on the “View” menu at the top of the screen, scroll down and click on “Comments.” This will allow you to view all the comments on a page. Following the same instruction again will hide the comments.

In reviewing this document we would like you to analyze it in the context of both our methods and our findings:

Our methods:

...are they thorough (if not, what else could we do)?

...do they explicitly state assumptions (are our assumptions reasonable and complete)?

Our findings:

Do they demonstrate the following three things?

1. Family violence is a huge problem in Ohio (scope and cost)
2. Existing efforts are critical but are insufficient to address the problem
3. It is difficult to create reliable estimates in these areas

Please post all of your comments about this document to the Wiki site on the Prevalence & Costs page (if you are having any difficulty accessing the Wiki/posting comments please let us know). Feel free to play around with the Workbook itself, keeping in mind that the numbers are related so changing one part of an estimate (for example, number of people using IPV-related shelter services) will affect another part (total reported cases).

If you have any questions or comments about the format of the document, please let us know.