

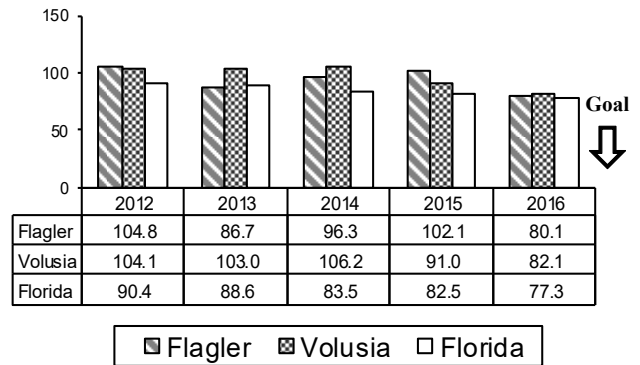
## Alcohol-Suspected Motor Vehicle Crashes Rate of Alcohol-Suspected Motor Vehicle Crashes Per 100,000 Population

**This Indicator Measures...** the total annual rate of alcohol-related motor vehicle crashes per 100,000 population in Flagler and Volusia Counties.

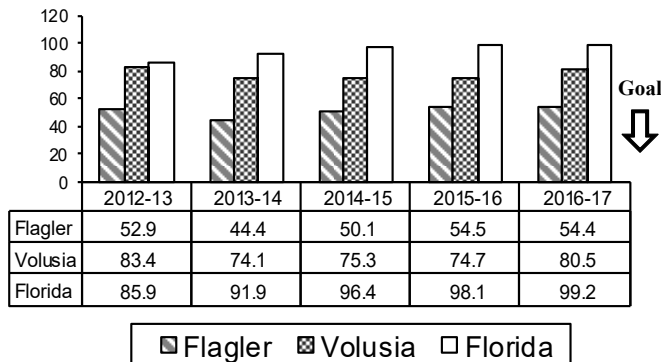
**This is Important Because...** according to the Florida Highway Traffic Safety Administration Web site, approximately 36% of the total deaths in motor vehicle crashes were alcohol-suspected.

Source: FLHealthCHARTS

Note: The Flagler rate has fluctuated and decreased over the reporting period. The Volusia rate decreased over the reporting period.



## Baker Act Rate of Baker Act Involuntary Exam Initiations, Per 10,000 Population



**This Indicator Measures...** the total annual rate of Baker Act involuntary examinations by the county of residence per 10,000 population in Flagler and Volusia Counties.

**This is Important Because...** the Baker Act (Florida's Mental Health Act) assists individuals in immediate danger of hurting themselves or others by providing emergency psychiatric services.

Source: University of South Florida, Baker Act Reporting Center, College of Behavioral and Community Sciences

Note: Both counties rates fluctuated over the reporting period. The Flagler rate increased overall. The Volusia rate decreased overall. Approximately 22% were children in each county.

## Suicide – Age-Adjusted Rate Three-Year Rolling Rate\* of Suicide Per 100,000 Population

**This Indicator Measures...** the total annual rate of suicide deaths per 100,000 population taking age distribution into consideration in Flagler and Volusia Counties.

**This is Important Because...** it provides the mental state of a community. Someone thinking about committing suicide needs immediate attention.

Source: FLHealthCHARTS

Note: The rate in Flagler increased over the reporting period. The Volusia rate remained steady over the reporting period.

\*The three-year rolling rate is an average value of an indicator over three rolling 3-year time periods and were used here to flatten out large fluctuations due to the low incidence.

