South Dakota*

2,270 Conversations

1,314 Texters in Crisis

62% Shared Something for First Time

34 Suicide De-escalations

17 Active Rescues

Issues

- Relationships: 32%
- Anxiety/Stress: 34%
- Depression/Sadness: 33%
- Suicide: 33%
- Isolation/Loneliness: 21%
- Self Harm: 12%
- Grief/Bereavement: 4%
- Eating/Body Image: 3%
- Emotional Abuse: 3%
- Bullying: 3%
- Substance Use: 2%
- Sexual Abuse: 3%
- Physical Abuse: 2%
- Gender/Sexual Identity: 1%

Race/Ethnicity

- White: 79%
- Hispanic/Latinx: 16%
- Black/African American: 5%
- Asian: 5%
- Native American/Native Alaskan/Indigenous: 4%
- Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander: <1%
- Middle Eastern/North African/Arab: <1%

Sexual Orientation

- 45% Heterosexual
- 55% LGBTQ+

Gender

- <1 Genderqueer
- 1 Agender
- 4 Trans
- 21 Boys+Men
- 73 Girls+Women

Age

- <14 yrs: 13%
- 14-17 yrs: 34%
- 18-24 yrs: 28%
- 25-34 yrs: 12%
- 35-44 yrs: 8%
- 45-54 yrs: 3%
- 55-64 yrs: 2%
- >64 yrs: <1%

* State was estimated using area codes, which is approximately 70% accurate based on historical data. All demographic data is based on the voluntary post-conversation survey that approximately 21% of texters complete. Please note that the total percentages in the race, gender, and sexuality charts will not add up to 100% because texters might identify with multiple identities.