City Crime Rankings 2010-2011

Missing Cities
The data collection method used by the states of Illinois and Minnesota for the offense of forcible rape did not meet the Federal Bureau of Investigation’s Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) guidelines in 2009 (Rockford, IL; Minneapolis, MN; and St. Paul, MN, are exceptions). Given that the rape numbers were not available, the following cities are not included in the comparative analysis: in Illinois: Aurora, Chicago, Decatur, Elgin, Joliet, Naperville, Peoria, and Springfield; in Minnesota: Bloomington, Duluth, and Rochester.

The FBI did not report crime data for eleven other cities with populations larger than 75,000. Crime statistics for these cities were unavailable for a number of reasons, ranging from general reporting difficulties and computer issues to changes in reporting systems. Below is a list of cities with populations greater than 75,000 (according to the U.S. Census Bureau) for which no information was available in the FBI’s 2009 Uniform Crime Report. These cities are: Augusta, GA; Champaign, IL; Cicero, IL; Deltona, FL; Evanston, IL; Greenville, NC; Lowell, MA; Newport News, VA; Parma, OH; Waukegan, IL; and Yakima, WA.