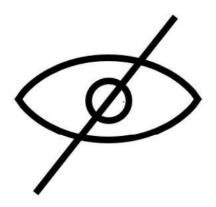


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FOI Request: 292-30/OCC-2023-31596 Responsive Record

**FOI Request Description**: An annual breakdown of the number of gambling-related suicides in British Columbia for the years 2000, 2001 and 2002 including deaths by region, sex and type of gambling. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2000 To 12/31/2002)

## **FOI Response:**

A text search of the BC Coroners Service database identified two deaths that fit the criteria of this FOI request. This may not capture all such cases as there was no systematic method of collecting this data at that time:

Year	Region	Sex	Type of Gambling
2002	Island	Male	Unknown
2002	Interior	Male	Unknown

Note that gambling may be one of many risk factors involved in a suicide death.

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