

 1004 VIP Dataset I

Abstract

This hospital-based Violence Intervention Project (VIP) screened youth in Emergency Departments (EDs) for violent injury, and provided rapid on-site assessment and referral to a range of community-based services for youth within certain postal codes. After ED screening, further evaluation by telephone was attempted at 2 weeks, 2 months, 6 months, and 1 year. An additional set of questions, both on initial enrollment and follow-up telephone calls, assessed symptoms of acute stress disorder (ASD) and posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD) in these patients. Data included here are for youth age 8 - 18.

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Study language

English

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5

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Inclusion criteria

Children and youth age 8 - 18 years treated in the Emergency Department for injury resulting from interpersonal violence. Must live within specified postal codes (urban area surrounding the hospital). (Young adults to age 24 were included in project, but data for those 19 and older is not included in this dataset)

Exclusion criteria

Injured by parent / caretaker or intimate partner. Residence outside study-specified postal codes.

Temporal Coverage

1999 - 2000

Spatial Coverage

United States

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Data

Analysis Unit

Individual

Analysis Units Covered

Child exposed to an index potentially traumatic event