

(Archive) Safest Places to Live in Delaware 2017



This is an archived document of the Safest Places in Delaware 2017.

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(The list of the Safest Places in 2017 was based on [2016 FBI Crime Score](#).)

20 Safest Places in Delaware 2017

Rank	City	Population	Total Number of Crimes	Crime Score
1	Greenwood	1,086	0	0.00
2	Lewes	3,065	3	0.98

3	Milton	2,875	3	1.04
4	Cheswold	1,424	2	1.40
5	Ocean View	2,075	3	1.45
6	Clayton	3,165	6	1.90
7	Delaware City	1,750	4	2.29
8	Felton	1,423	4	2.81
9	Newark	34,297	114	3.32
10	Bethany Beach	1,193	4	3.35
11	Middletown	20,666	70	3.39
12	Blades	1,377	5	3.63
13	Selbyville	2,440	9	3.69

14	Bridgeville	2,297	9	3.92
15	Camden	3,512	14	3.99
16	Wyoming	1,497	6	4.01
17	Elsmere	6,149	28	4.55
18	Millsboro	4,286	20	4.67
19	Rehoboth Beach	1,485	7	4.71
20	New Castle	5,392	32	5.93

All Cities in Delaware

Elite Personal Finance made a detailed analysis of all cities in Delaware and divided them into the following categories:

- under 3,000 residents
- 3,000 – 10,000 residents
- 10,000 – 30,000 residents
- over 30,000 residents

Under 3,000 Residents

Rank	City	Population	Total Number of Crimes	Crime Score
1	Greenwood	1,086	0	0.00
2	South Bethany	507	0	0.00
3	Fenwick Island	425	0	0.00
4	Ellendale	422	0	0.00
5	Milton	2,875	3	1.04
6	Cheswold	1,424	2	1.40
7	Ocean View	2,075	3	1.45
8	Frankford	950	2	2.11
9	Delaware City	1,750	4	2.29

10	Felton	1,423	4	2.81
11	Bethany Beach	1,193	4	3.35
12	Blades	1,377	5	3.63
13	Selbyville	2,440	9	3.69
14	Bridgeville	2,297	9	3.92
15	Wyoming	1,497	6	4.01
16	Rehoboth Beach	1,485	7	4.71
17	Dagsboro	875	5	5.71
18	Delmar	1,757	15	8.54
19	Newport	1,059	10	9.44
20	Dewey Beach	378	16	42.33

3,000 – 10,000 Residents

Rank	City	Population	Total Number of Crimes	Crime Score
1	Lewes	3,065	3	0.98
2	Clayton	3,165	6	1.90
3	Camden	3,512	14	3.99
4	Elsmere	6,149	28	4.55
5	Millsboro	4,286	20	4.67
6	New Castle	5,392	32	5.93
7	Georgetown	7,177	43	5.99
8	Harrington	3,719	35	9.41
9	Seaford	7,725	81	10.49

10	Laurel	4,150	47	11.33
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10,000 – 30,000 Residents

Rank	City	Population	Total Number of Crimes	Crime Score
1	Middletown	20,666	70	3.39
2	Smyrna	11,573	70	6.05
3	Milford	10,392	100	9.62

Over 30,000 Residents

Rank	City	Population	Total Number of Crimes	Crime Score
1	Newark	34,297	114	3.32
2	Dover	37,824	307	8.12
3	Wilmington	72,183	1,285	17.80