

(Archive) Safest Places to Live in New Hampshire 2017



This is an archived document of the Safest Places in New Hampshire 2017.

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

30 Safest Places in New Hampshire 2017

| Rank | City | Population | Total Number of Crimes | Crime Score |
|------|-----------|------------|------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | Merrimack | 25,675 | 0 | 0.00 |

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|----|------------|--------|---|------|
| 2 | Hopkinton | 5,614 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 3 | New London | 4,678 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 4 | Deerfield | 4,436 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 5 | Candia | 3,905 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 6 | Sunapee | 3,408 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 7 | Sandown | 6,348 | 1 | 0.16 |
| 8 | Lee | 4,403 | 1 | 0.23 |
| 9 | Strafford | 4,090 | 1 | 0.24 |
| 10 | Amherst | 11,272 | 3 | 0.27 |
| 11 | Windham | 14,625 | 4 | 0.27 |
| 12 | Atkinson | 6,817 | 2 | 0.29 |

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|----|---------------|--------|----|------|
| 13 | Litchfield | 8,482 | 3 | 0.35 |
| 14 | Brookline | 5,256 | 2 | 0.38 |
| 15 | Plaistow | 7,612 | 3 | 0.39 |
| 16 | Barnstead | 4,615 | 2 | 0.43 |
| 17 | North Hampton | 4,435 | 2 | 0.45 |
| 18 | Hampstead | 8,588 | 4 | 0.47 |
| 19 | Bow | 7,779 | 4 | 0.51 |
| 20 | Rindge | 5,822 | 3 | 0.52 |
| 21 | Bedford | 22,407 | 13 | 0.58 |
| 22 | Brentwood | 4,786 | 3 | 0.63 |
| 23 | Danville | 4,466 | 3 | 0.67 |

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|----|------------|--------|----|------|
| 24 | Milford | 15,317 | 11 | 0.72 |
| 25 | Rye | 5,396 | 4 | 0.74 |
| 26 | Pelham | 13,384 | 10 | 0.75 |
| 27 | Exeter | 14,635 | 11 | 0.75 |
| 28 | Hollis | 7,814 | 6 | 0.77 |
| 29 | Gilmanton | 3,780 | 3 | 0.79 |
| 30 | Nottingham | 4,977 | 4 | 0.80 |

All Cities in New Hampshire

Elite Personal Finance made a detailed analysis of all cities in New Hampshire 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 | Grantham | 2,953 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 2 | Gorham | 2,622 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 3 | Fitzwilliam | 2,328 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 4 | Newbury | 2,184 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 5 | Kensington | 2,133 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 6 | Holderness | 2,095 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 7 | Troy | 2,075 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 8 | Newfields | 1,700 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 9 | Cornish | 1,617 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 10 | Lisbon | 1,569 | 0 | 0.00 |

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|----|---------------|-------|---|------|
| 11 | Springfield | 1,313 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 12 | Sandwich | 1,307 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 13 | Washington | 1,108 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 14 | Dalton | 901 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 15 | South Hampton | 809 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 16 | Carroll | 745 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 17 | Sugar Hill | 567 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 18 | Sanbornton | 2,979 | 1 | 0.34 |
| 19 | Dunbarton | 2,799 | 1 | 0.36 |
| 20 | Antrim | 2,662 | 1 | 0.38 |
| 21 | Mont Vernon | 2,485 | 1 | 0.40 |

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|----|---------------|-------|---|------|
| 22 | Canterbury | 2,401 | 1 | 0.42 |
| 23 | Hampton Falls | 2,303 | 1 | 0.43 |
| 24 | Alstead | 1,911 | 1 | 0.52 |
| 25 | Webster | 1,894 | 1 | 0.53 |
| 26 | Freedom | 1,486 | 1 | 0.67 |
| 27 | Madison | 2,521 | 2 | 0.79 |
| 28 | Orford | 1,246 | 1 | 0.80 |
| 29 | Marlborough | 2,064 | 2 | 0.97 |
| 30 | Deering | 1,924 | 2 | 1.04 |
| 31 | Warner | 2,877 | 3 | 1.04 |
| 32 | Lyndeborough | 1,706 | 2 | 1.17 |

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|----|----------------|-------|---|------|
| 33 | Bethlehem | 2,558 | 3 | 1.17 |
| 34 | Rollinsford | 2,527 | 3 | 1.19 |
| 35 | Thornton | 2,491 | 3 | 1.20 |
| 36 | Hancock | 1,635 | 2 | 1.22 |
| 37 | Jackson | 814 | 1 | 1.23 |
| 38 | Dublin | 1,541 | 2 | 1.30 |
| 39 | Effingham | 1,533 | 2 | 1.30 |
| 40 | Bennington | 1,471 | 2 | 1.36 |
| 41 | Northumberland | 2,145 | 3 | 1.40 |
| 42 | Woodstock | 1,374 | 2 | 1.46 |
| 43 | New Durham | 2,662 | 4 | 1.50 |

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|----|-------------------|-------|---|------|
| 44 | Lincoln | 1,721 | 3 | 1.74 |
| 45 | Franconia | 1,120 | 2 | 1.79 |
| 46 | Bradford | 1,664 | 3 | 1.80 |
| 47 | Alexandria | 1,625 | 3 | 1.85 |
| 48 | Ashland | 2,055 | 4 | 1.95 |
| 49 | Tuftonboro | 2,339 | 5 | 2.14 |
| 50 | Middleton | 1,788 | 4 | 2.24 |
| 51 | Newington | 777 | 2 | 2.57 |
| 52 | Colebrook | 2,167 | 7 | 3.23 |
| 53 | New Hampton | 2,215 | 8 | 3.61 |
| 54 | Waterville Valley | 246 | 1 | 4.07 |

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|----|---------------|-------|---|------|
| 55 | Center Harbor | 1,099 | 5 | 4.55 |
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3,000 – 10,000 Residents

| Rank | City | Population | Total Number of Crimes | Crime Score |
|------|------------|------------|------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | Hopkinton | 5,614 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 2 | New London | 4,678 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 3 | Deerfield | 4,436 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 4 | Candia | 3,905 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 5 | Sunapee | 3,408 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 6 | Sandown | 6,348 | 1 | 0.16 |
| 7 | Lee | 4,403 | 1 | 0.23 |
| 8 | Strafford | 4,090 | 1 | 0.24 |

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|----|---------------|-------|---|------|
| 9 | Atkinson | 6,817 | 2 | 0.29 |
| 10 | Litchfield | 8,482 | 3 | 0.35 |
| 11 | Brookline | 5,256 | 2 | 0.38 |
| 12 | Plaistow | 7,612 | 3 | 0.39 |
| 13 | Barnstead | 4,615 | 2 | 0.43 |
| 14 | North Hampton | 4,435 | 2 | 0.45 |
| 15 | Hampstead | 8,588 | 4 | 0.47 |
| 16 | Bow | 7,779 | 4 | 0.51 |
| 17 | Rindge | 5,822 | 3 | 0.52 |
| 18 | Brentwood | 4,786 | 3 | 0.63 |
| 19 | Danville | 4,466 | 3 | 0.67 |

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|----|------------|-------|---|------|
| 20 | Rye | 5,396 | 4 | 0.74 |
| 21 | Hollis | 7,814 | 6 | 0.77 |
| 22 | Gilmanton | 3,780 | 3 | 0.79 |
| 23 | Nottingham | 4,977 | 4 | 0.80 |
| 24 | Wolfeboro | 6,198 | 5 | 0.81 |
| 25 | Stratham | 7,403 | 6 | 0.81 |
| 26 | Wilton | 3,692 | 3 | 0.81 |
| 27 | Epsom | 4,654 | 4 | 0.86 |
| 28 | Barrington | 8,894 | 8 | 0.90 |
| 29 | New Boston | 5,524 | 5 | 0.91 |
| 30 | Loudon | 5,455 | 5 | 0.92 |

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|----|----------------|-------|----|------|
| 31 | Auburn | 5,368 | 5 | 0.93 |
| 32 | Bristol | 3,076 | 3 | 0.98 |
| 33 | Kingston | 6,144 | 6 | 0.98 |
| 34 | Greenland | 3,943 | 4 | 1.01 |
| 35 | Newton | 4,927 | 5 | 1.01 |
| 36 | Peterborough | 6,469 | 7 | 1.08 |
| 37 | Enfield | 4,544 | 5 | 1.10 |
| 38 | Weare | 8,937 | 10 | 1.12 |
| 39 | Chester | 4,962 | 6 | 1.21 |
| 40 | Henniker | 4,934 | 6 | 1.22 |
| 41 | Moultonborough | 4,008 | 5 | 1.25 |

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|----|-------------|-------|----|------|
| 42 | Fremont | 4,648 | 6 | 1.29 |
| 43 | New Ipswich | 5,212 | 7 | 1.34 |
| 44 | Newmarket | 8,911 | 12 | 1.35 |
| 45 | Littleton | 5,905 | 8 | 1.35 |
| 46 | Meredith | 6,396 | 9 | 1.41 |
| 47 | Alton | 5,338 | 8 | 1.50 |
| 48 | Conway | 9,915 | 15 | 1.51 |
| 49 | Jaffrey | 5,270 | 8 | 1.52 |
| 50 | Milton | 4,583 | 7 | 1.53 |
| 51 | Northfield | 4,805 | 8 | 1.66 |
| 52 | Gilford | 7,182 | 12 | 1.67 |

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|----|------------|-------|----|------|
| 53 | Wakefield | 5,629 | 10 | 1.78 |
| 54 | Lancaster | 3,322 | 6 | 1.81 |
| 55 | Northwood | 4,281 | 8 | 1.87 |
| 56 | Newport | 6,337 | 12 | 1.89 |
| 57 | Haverhill | 4,641 | 9 | 1.94 |
| 58 | Winchester | 4,189 | 9 | 2.15 |
| 59 | Epping | 6,927 | 15 | 2.17 |
| 60 | Ossipee | 4,229 | 10 | 2.36 |
| 61 | Pittsfield | 4,068 | 10 | 2.46 |
| 62 | Seabrook | 8,804 | 22 | 2.50 |
| 63 | Boscawen | 3,950 | 10 | 2.53 |

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|----|--------------|-------|----|------|
| 64 | Berlin | 9,241 | 24 | 2.60 |
| 65 | Pembroke | 7,118 | 19 | 2.67 |
| 66 | Campton | 3,300 | 9 | 2.73 |
| 67 | Farmington | 6,841 | 19 | 2.78 |
| 68 | Hillsborough | 5,974 | 17 | 2.85 |
| 69 | Belmont | 7,315 | 21 | 2.87 |
| 70 | Tilton | 3,588 | 11 | 3.07 |
| 71 | Charlestown | 4,969 | 21 | 4.23 |
| 72 | Plymouth | 6,639 | 30 | 4.52 |
| 73 | Hinsdale | 3,876 | 19 | 4.90 |

10,000 – 30,000 Residents

| Rank | City | Population | Total Number of Crimes | Crime Score |
|------|-------------|------------|------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | Merrimack | 25,675 | 0 | 0.00 |
| 2 | Amherst | 11,272 | 3 | 0.27 |
| 3 | Windham | 14,625 | 4 | 0.27 |
| 4 | Bedford | 22,407 | 13 | 0.58 |
| 5 | Milford | 15,317 | 11 | 0.72 |
| 6 | Pelham | 13,384 | 10 | 0.75 |
| 7 | Exeter | 14,635 | 11 | 0.75 |
| 8 | Londonderry | 25,439 | 22 | 0.86 |
| 9 | Hanover | 11,430 | 11 | 0.96 |
| 10 | Durham | 17,078 | 18 | 1.05 |

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|----|-------------|--------|----|------|
| 11 | Hooksett | 14,232 | 17 | 1.19 |
| 12 | Salem | 28,949 | 44 | 1.52 |
| 13 | Hudson | 24,997 | 40 | 1.60 |
| 14 | Hampton | 15,358 | 26 | 1.69 |
| 15 | Portsmouth | 21,612 | 38 | 1.76 |
| 16 | Goffstown | 18,000 | 34 | 1.89 |
| 17 | Claremont | 12,913 | 29 | 2.25 |
| 18 | Keene | 23,244 | 54 | 2.32 |
| 19 | Raymond | 10,324 | 28 | 2.71 |
| 20 | Lebanon | 13,668 | 38 | 2.78 |
| 21 | Somersworth | 11,757 | 34 | 2.89 |

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| 22 | Laconia | 16,300 | 77 | 4.72 |
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Over 30,000 Residents

| Rank | City | Population | Total Number of Crimes | Crime Score |
|------|------------|------------|------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | Derry | 33,249 | 39 | 1.17 |
| 2 | Dover | 31,054 | 47 | 1.51 |
| 3 | Nashua | 88,252 | 151 | 1.71 |
| 4 | Concord | 42,610 | 109 | 2.56 |
| 5 | Rochester | 30,096 | 108 | 3.59 |
| 6 | Manchester | 110,353 | 742 | 6.72 |