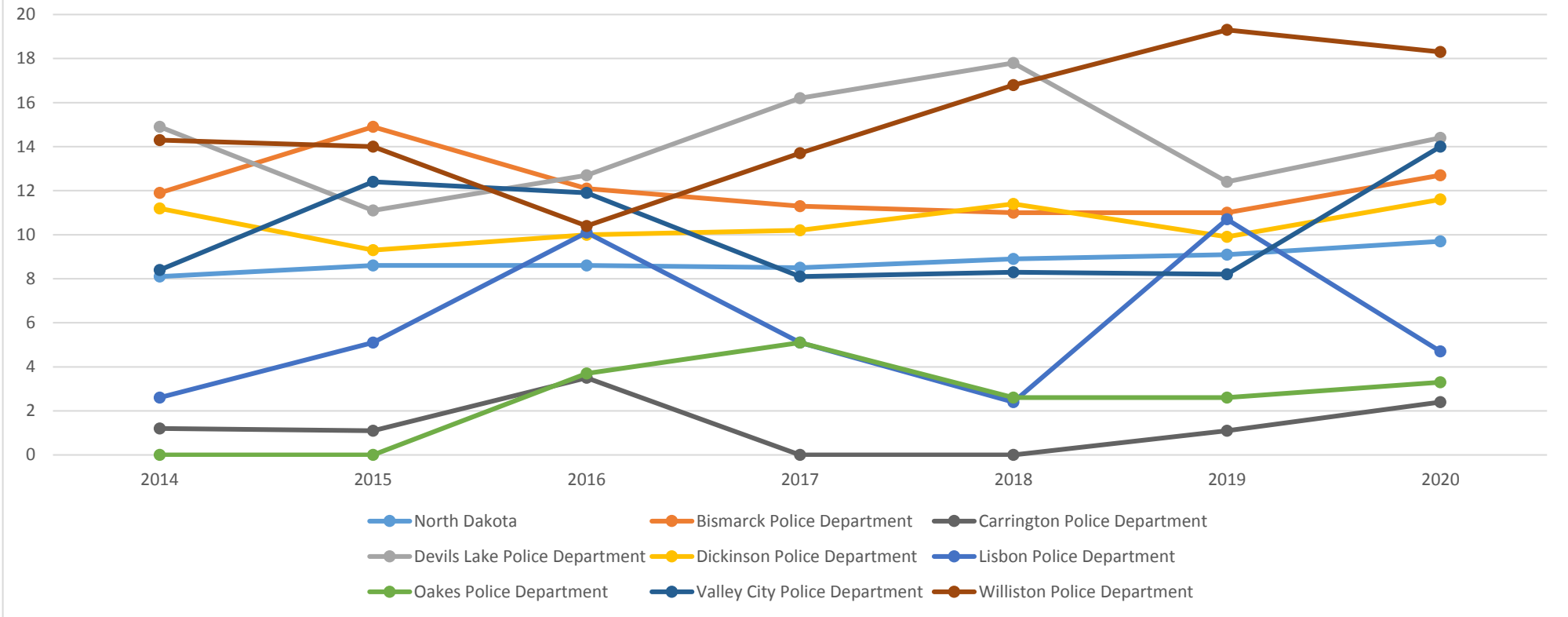


IPV Victimization Rates



Notes on IPV victimization extraction and rate calculation methodology:

1. This data does not include IPV incidents reported to tribal law enforcement agencies. ND NIBRS 2020 data reported here was accessed in June 2021. North Dakota total number of IPV victimizations in women may change from year to year as records are updated.
2. The extraction methodology from North Dakota's Incident-based Reporting System was the following: Select "crimes against persons" involving intimate partner relationships (spouse, ex-spouse, common-law spouse, boyfriend/girlfriend, same gender partners) and involving victims who were adult women (ages 18 and older). IPV crime categories include physical and sexual assaults, intimidation, and stalking. The majority of reported IPV incidents were from simple and aggravated assaults.
3. Victimization rates were calculated by dividing the annual number of reported adult female victimizations involving an intimate partner by the number of adult women in the community per the [U.S. Census American Community Survey \(ACS\) of 5-Year Estimates](#) with the exception of the most recent year (2020) which is not yet available from the ACS. 2020 adult women population estimates were obtained by multiplying overall population estimates from the [U.S. Census Population Estimates Program](#) by the percentage of the population that was 18 years or older from the American Community Survey's 2019 estimates and then multiplying that product by the percentage of the adult population that was female based on the ACS's 2019 estimates. Estimated census data are recalculated each year following updated estimates by the ACS.
4. Comparisons (rankings) across jurisdictions should be avoided according to the FBI, citing substantial differences in the way local law enforcement agencies respond to and record IPV incidents.

Intimate Partner Violence Victimization Rates							
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
North Dakota	8.1	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.9	9.1	9.7
Bismarck	11.9	14.9	12.1	11.3	11	11	12.7
Carrington	1.2	1.1	3.5	0	0	1.1	2.4
Devils Lake	14.9	11.1	12.7	16.2	17.8	12.4	14.4
Dickinson	11.2	9.3	10	10.2	11.4	9.9	11.6
Lisbon	2.6	5.1	10.1	5.1	2.4	10.7	4.7
Oakes	0	0	3.7	5.1	2.6	2.6	3.3
Valley City	8.4	12.4	11.9	8.1	8.3	8.2	14
Williston	14.3	14	10.4	13.7	16.8	19.3	18.3