



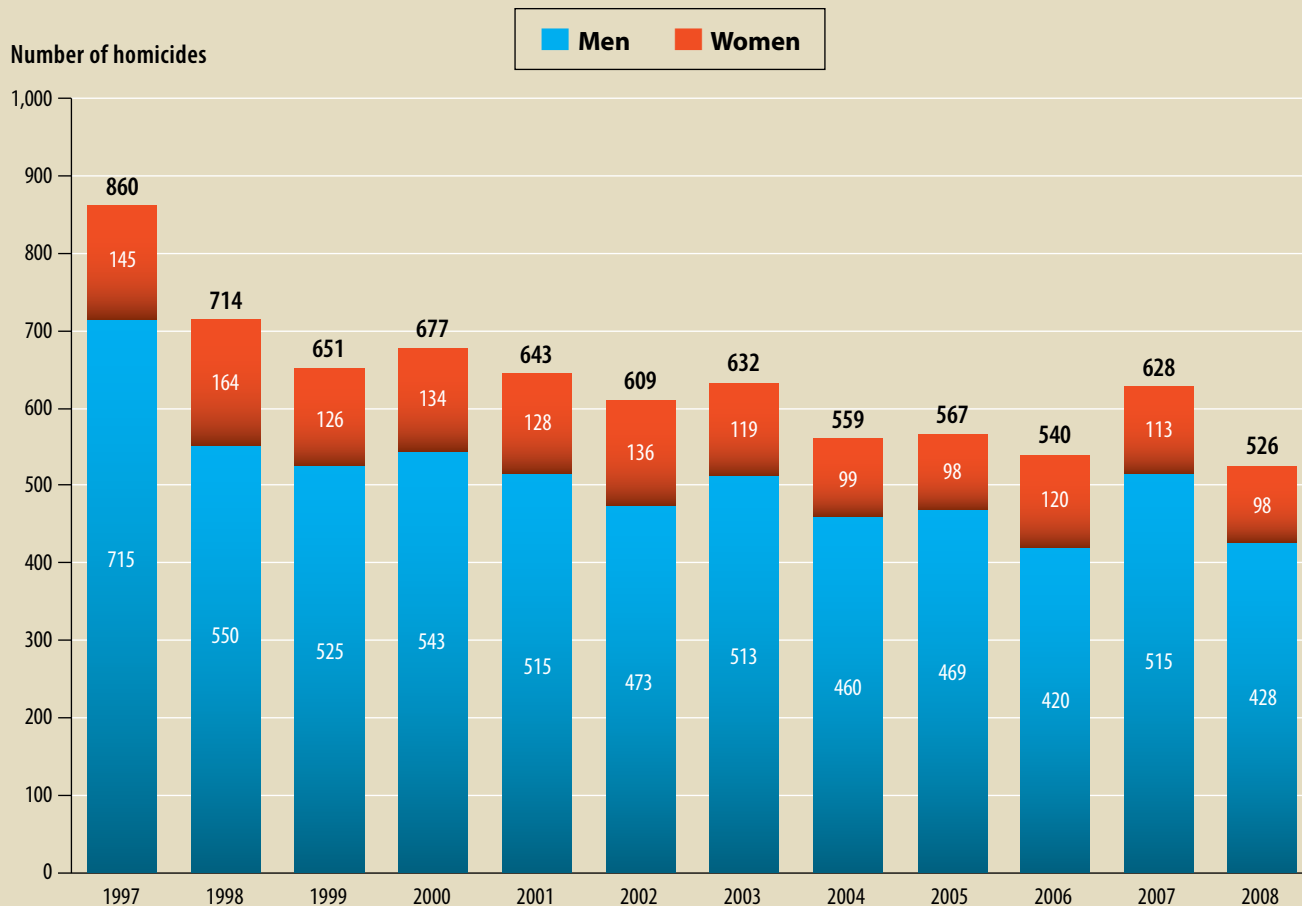
GENDER, AGE, ETHNICITY, AND REGION OF WORKER

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Workplace homicides declined by 16 percent in 2008, following a 16-percent increase between 2006 and 2007. In 2008, workplace homicides with women victims dropped to 98 (the same level as in 2005), the lowest level in the history of the CFOT. Men account for about 80 percent of workplace homicide victims each year.

Overall, workplace homicides declined 39 percent from 1997 to 2008.

Number of workplace homicides, by gender of decedent, 1997–2008



NOTE: Data from 2001 exclude fatal work injuries resulting from the September 11 terrorist attacks.
SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, April 2010.