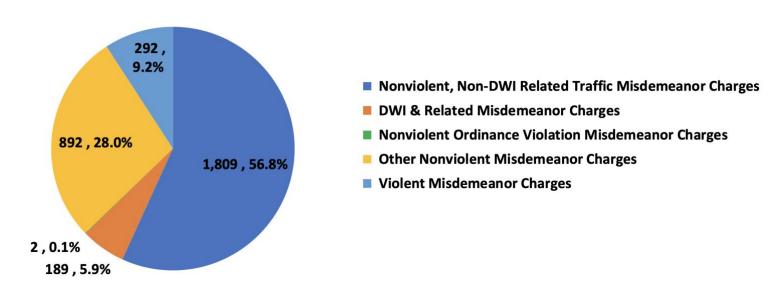
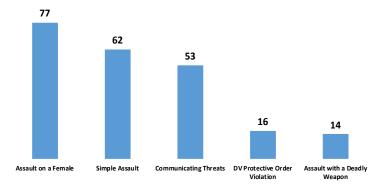


56.8% of Ashe County misdemeanor charges were for nonviolent and non-DWI related traffic offenses, **28.0%** were for other nonviolent offenses, **5.9%** were for DWI and related offenses, **9.2%** were for violent offenses, and **.1%** were for nonviolent ordinance violations.

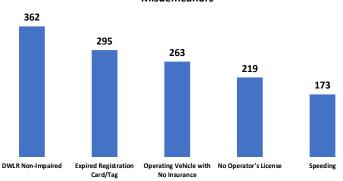
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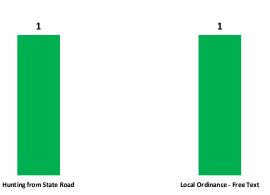
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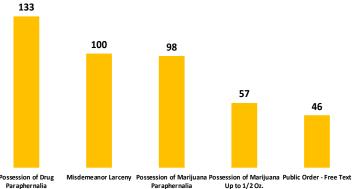
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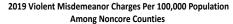


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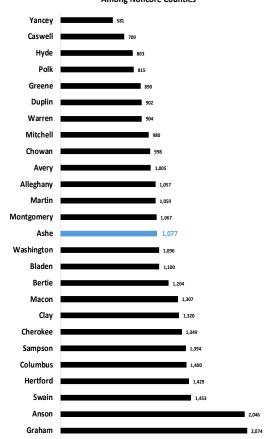


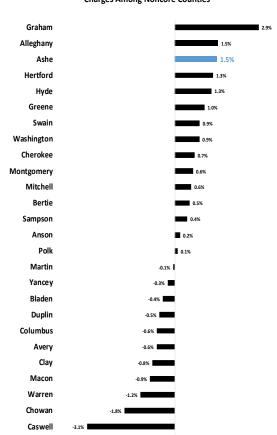
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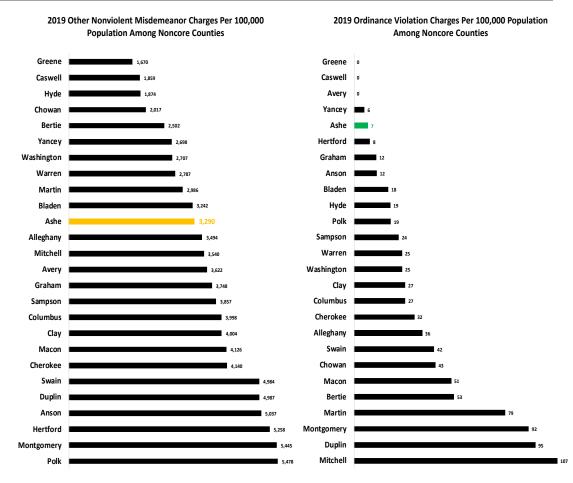
2018 - 2019 Change in Percentage Violent Misdemeanor Charges Among Noncore Counties



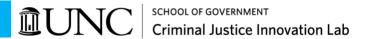


Among noncore counties¹, Ashe County had the 13th highest number of violent misdemeanor charges per 100,000 residents in 2019 at 1,077. Between 2018 and 2019, Ashe County had the third largest increase in violent misdemeanor charges among noncore counties at 1.5 percentage points.

Among noncore counties¹, Ashe County had the 11th lowest number of other nonviolent misdemeanor charges per 100,000 residents in 2019 at 3,290. Ashe County had the fifth lowest number of ordinance violation charges per 100,000 residents in 2019 at 7.

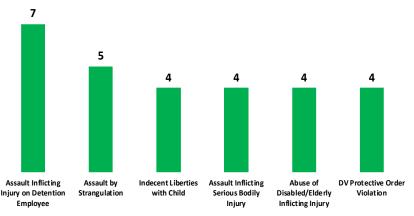


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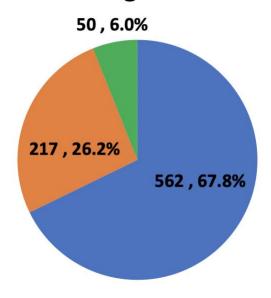


6.0% of Ashe County felony charges were for violent felonies, **67.8%** were for nonviolent drug felonies, and **26.2%** were for other nonviolent felonies.

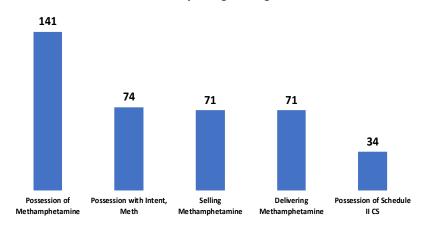
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2019 Charged Felonies

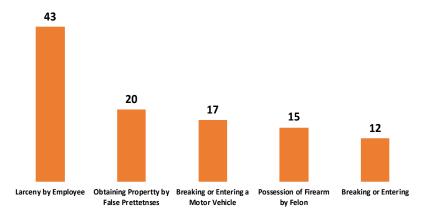


Most Commonly Charged Drug Felonies

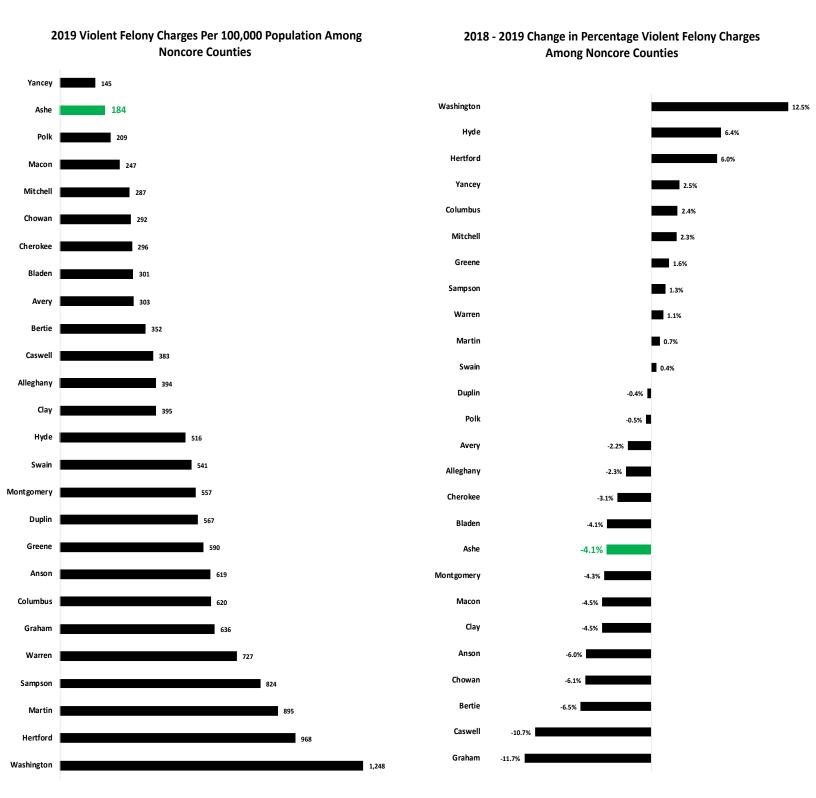


- Nonviolent Drug Felonies
- Nonviolent Felonies, Other
- Violent Felonies

Most Commonly Charged Other Nonviolent Felonies



Among noncore counties¹, Ashe County had the second lowest number of violent felony charges per 100,000 residents in 2019 at **184**. Between 2018 and 2019, Ashe County had the ninth highest decrease in violent felony charges among noncore counties at **4.1** percentage points.



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