

2019 REPORT

EDUCATION ABROAD

CRITICAL INCIDENTS

WHO'S REPORTING?



16 participating Forum member organizations



23,483 students*



95 host countries
60 where incidents were reported



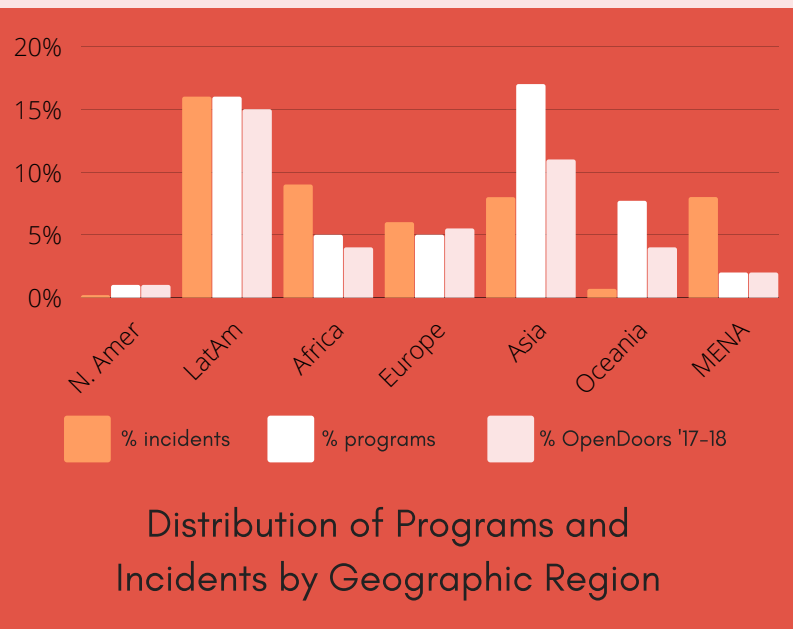
1255 education abroad programs*

*Care has been taken to reduce duplicates in the data, but because incidents are reported anonymously, some students or programs may be represented twice in the reported results.



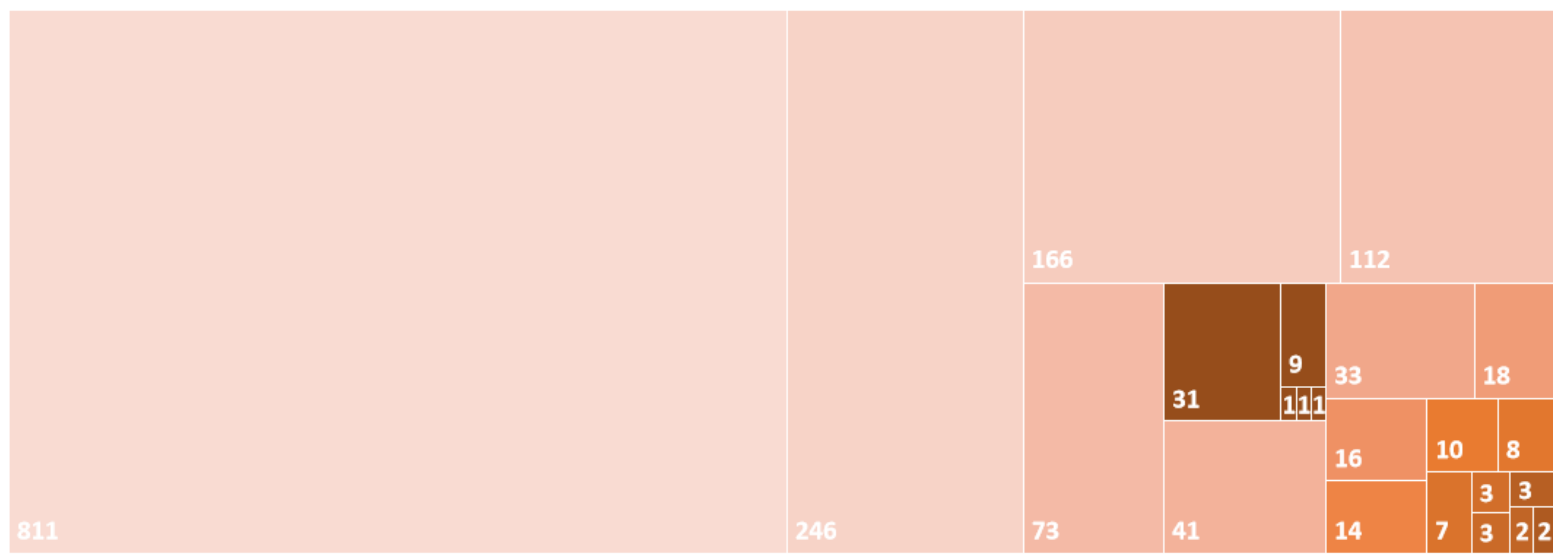
Critical Incidents were estimated to occur once every 6 days**

** Based on 1619 total critical incidents reported



CRITICAL INCIDENTS OF ALL KINDS

- Illness
- Health (non-specific)
- Assault
- Terrorist Event
- Disease Outbreak
- Behavioral Event
- Sex Offenses
- Motor Vehicle Accident
- Crime
- Hate Crimes
- Theft
- Sexual Harassment
- Civil Unrest
- Death
- Injury
- Behavioral Event
- Natural Disaster
- Referral for disciplinary action



Categories in legend listed in order from most to least common in dataset when read left to right across the row; number in chart area represents total number of reported incidents in category.

Participating organizations reported 69 incidents for every 1000 students studying abroad in 2019



A Critical Incident is defined as any incident which prevents a student from participating program activities for 24 hours or more

START TRACKING INCIDENTS ON YOUR PROGRAMS TODAY!
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