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Figure 32b. Sexual assault incidents that were not cleared, cleared by arrest, or cleared by exceptional means, by victim age, South Carolina, 2019

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### FIGURE 32B

**Sexual assault incidents that were not cleared, cleared by arrest, or cleared by exceptional means, by victim age, South Carolina, 2019**

<b>Clearance</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent of sexual assault incidents</b>
<b>Total</b>	3,599	100.0%
<b>Cleared by arrest</b>	634	17.6%
<b>Victim age</b>		
Under 5	35	1.0
5–13	236	6.6
14–17	123	3.4
18–24	96	2.7
25–34	69	1.9
35–64	66	1.8
65 or older	9	0.3
<b>Exceptional clearance</b>	734	20.4%
<b>Victim age</b>		
Under 5	40	1.1
5–13	180	5.0
14–17	147	4.1
18–24	140	3.9
25–34	117	3.3
35–64	102	2.8
65 or older	8	0.2

<b>Not cleared</b>	2,231	62.0%
<b>Victim age</b>		
Under 5	179	5.0
5–13	655	18.2
14–17	448	12.4
18–24	320	8.9
25–34	291	8.1
35–64	303	8.4
65 or older	35	1.0

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Note: Excludes 19 sexual assault incidents for which victim age is unknown. See Methodology for description of cleared, cleared by arrest, and exceptional clearance. Details may not sum to totals due to rounding and percentages shown in tables may differ slightly from the percentages displayed in the report text. Percentages in the report text are rounded to the nearest whole number, while percentages displayed in tables and visualizations are rounded to the nearest tenth.

Source: Bureau of Justice Statistics, based on data from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, National Incident-Based Reporting System, 2019.