



Death Injuries by Intent in North Carolina in 2016 for all Mechanisms

Injury Intent: All

Mechanism	UNINTENTIONAL		SELF-INFLICTED		ASSAULT		LEGAL INTERVENTION		UNDETERMINED		ALL	
	N	Rate	N	Rate	N	Rate	N	Rate	N	Rate	N	Rate
POISONING	1,822	18.0	232	2.3	2	*			47	0.5	2,103	20.7
MVT	1,472	14.5									1,472	14.5
FIREARM	26	0.3	787	7.8	560	5.5	24	0.2	13	0.1	1,410	13.9
FALL	1,226	12.1	18	0.2	1	*					1,245	12.3
SUFFOCATION	214	2.1	278	2.7	22	0.2			3	*	517	5.1
UNSPECIFIED	181	1.8			60	0.6	1	*	11	0.1	253	2.5
FIRE/BURN	108	1.1	5		7	0.1 ¹			2	*	122	1.2
DROWNING/SUBMERSION	96	0.9	8	0.1 ¹	1	*			6	0.1 ¹	111	1.1
CUT/PIERCE	11	0.1	19	0.2	57	0.6					87	0.9
OTHER SPECIFIED/NEC	44	0.4	8	0.1 ¹	14	0.1	1	*	7	0.1 ¹	74	0.7
NATURAL/ENVIRONMENTAL	67	0.7									67	0.7
OTHER SPECIFIED/CLASSIFIABLE	45	0.4	14	0.1	7	0.1 ¹					66	0.7
OTHER LAND TRANSPORT	49	0.5	4	*	1	*					54	0.5
PEDESTRIAN OTHER	44	0.4									44	0.4
STRUCK BY/AGAINST	27	0.3			4	*					31	0.3
MACHINERY	26	0.3									26	0.3
OTHER TRANSPORT	20	0.2									20	0.2
PEDAL CYCLIST OTHER	12	0.1									12	0.1

Rates are reported per 100,000. NH=Non-Hispanic. Caution: Race classifications changed in July 2020 for all data years.

* Rates suppressed for counts between 1 and 4. ¹ Rate should be interpreted with caution, count between 5 and 10.

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For more info on these data, please see the Injury Surveillance Technical Notes Document: <https://www.injuryfreenc.ncdhhs.gov/DataSurveillance/Technical-Notes.pdf>