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Hospital Injuries by Intent in North Carolina in 2019 for all Mechanisms Injury Intent: All

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	UNINTENTIONAL		SELF-INFLICTED		ASSAULT		INTERVENTION		UNDETERMINED		ALL	
Mechanism	N	Rate	N	Rate	N	Rate	N	Rate	N	Rate	N	Rate
FALL	25,240	240.7	24	0.2	4	*			1	*	25,269	240.9
POISONING	4,828	46.0	2,802	26.7	19	0.2			232	2.2	7,881	75.1
MVT	7,002	66.8	18	0.2	5				1	*	7,026	67.0
UNSPECIFIED	1,960	18.7	192	1.8	126	1.2	3	*			2,281	21.7
STRUCK BY/AGAINST	1,062	10.1	9	0.11	580	5.5	5		2	*	1,658	15.8
FIRE/BURN	1,319	12.6	30	0.3	11	0.1			11	0.1	1,371	13.1
OTHER SPECIFIED/CLASSIFIABLE	889	8.5	1	*	438	4.2	3	*	1	*	1,332	12.7
FIREARM	543	5.2	98	0.9	509	4.9	13	0.1	25	0.2	1,188	11.3
CUT/PIERCE	339	3.2	192	1.8	274	2.6			5		810	7.7
MOTOR VEHICLE-NONTRAFFIC	717	6.8									717	6.8
NATURAL/ENVIRONMENTAL	681	6.5			1	*			4	*	686	6.5
SUFFOCATION	319	3.0	67	0.6	1	*			2	*	389	3.7
OVEREXERTION	364	3.5									364	3.5
OTHER LAND TRANSPORT	245	2.3	1	*							246	2.3
OTHER SPECIFIED/NEC			121	1.2	72	0.7	3	*	32	0.3	228	2.2
PEDAL CYCLIST OTHER	214	2.0									214	2.0
MACHINERY	174	1.7									174	1.7
PEDESTRIAN OTHER	135	1.3									135	1.3
OTHER TRANSPORT	50	0.5					1	*			51	0.5
DROWNING/SUBMERSION	30	0.3	3	*					17	0.2	50	0.5

Rates are reported per 100,000.

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For a list of acronyms and other information regarding these data, please visit https://www.injuryfreenc.ncdhhs.gov/DataSurveillance

^{*} Rates suppressed due to count between 1 and 4. ¹ Indicates rate should be interpreted with caution.

Multiple injuries can be identified for the same individual, therefore injury categories are not mutually exclusive and do not sum to the total number of injuries.

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