

National Estimates of the 10 Leading Causes of Nonfatal Injuries Treated in Hospital Emergency Departments, United States – 2013

Rank	Age Groups										Total
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	
1	Unintentional Fall 134,229	Unintentional Fall 852,884	Unintentional Fall 624,890	Unintentional Struck By/Against 561,690	Unintentional Struck By/Against 905,659	Unintentional Fall 742,177	Unintentional Fall 704,264	Unintentional Fall 913,871	Unintentional Fall 930,521	Unintentional Fall 2,495,397	Unintentional Fall 8,771,656
2	Unintentional Struck By/Against 28,786	Unintentional Struck By/Against 336,917	Unintentional Struck By/Against 403,522	Unintentional Fall 558,177	Unintentional Fall 814,829	Unintentional Overexertion 638,745	Unintentional Overexertion 530,422	Unintentional Overexertion 461,114	Unintentional Overexertion 266,126	Unintentional Struck By/Against 281,279	Unintentional Struck By/Against 4,214,125
3	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 12,186	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 158,587	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 112,633	Unintentional Overexertion 294,669	Unintentional Overexertion 672,946	Unintentional Struck By/Against 599,340	Unintentional Struck By/Against 444,089	Unintentional Struck By/Against 390,931	Unintentional Struck By/Against 261,840	Unintentional Overexertion 212,293	Unintentional Overexertion 3,256,567
4	Unintentional Foreign Body 10,650	Unintentional Foreign Body 139,597	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 107,975	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 114,285	Unintentional MV-Occupant 627,565	Unintentional MV-Occupant 526,303	Unintentional MV-Occupant 374,231	Unintentional Other Specified 385,221	Unintentional MV-Occupant 227,620	Unintentional MV-Occupant 197,646	Unintentional MV-Occupant 2,462,684
5	Unintentional Other Specified 10,511	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 83,575	Unintentional Overexertion 93,612	Unintentional Pedal Cyclist 84,732	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 431,691	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 402,197	Unintentional Other Specified 300,154	Unintentional MV-Occupant 343,470	Unintentional Other Specified 212,168	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 156,693	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 2,077,775
6	Unintentional Fire/Burn 9,816	Unintentional Overexertion 81,588	Unintentional Pedal Cyclist 74,831	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 84,668	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 381,522	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 342,514	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 297,769	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 282,353	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 189,440	Unintentional Poisoning 100,988	Unintentional Other Specified 1,767,630
7	Unintentional** Inhalation/Suffocation 8,294	Unintentional Other Specified 65,120	Unintentional Foreign Body 63,450	Unintentional MV-Occupant 73,692	Unintentional Other Specified 321,914	Unintentional Other Specified 336,990	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 207,287	Unintentional Poisoning 237,328	Unintentional Poisoning 153,767	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 90,850	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 1,291,100
8	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 7,139	Unintentional Fire/Burn 52,884	Unintentional MV-Occupant 58,114	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 64,848	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 177,665	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 180,922	Unintentional Poisoning 175,870	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 169,688	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 97,474	Unintentional Other Specified 86,729	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 1,174,267
9	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 5,735	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 41,297	Unintentional Dog Bite 43,499	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 62,829	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 163,923	Unintentional Poisoning 180,448	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 138,410	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 145,349	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 73,674	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 74,864	Unintentional Poisoning 1,055,960
10	Unintentional Overexertion 4,985	Unintentional Poisoning 32,443	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 35,303	Unintentional Other Transport 35,609	Unintentional Poisoning 152,962	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 129,308	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 106,498	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 110,102	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 67,974	Unintentional Other Transport 68,022	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 819,878

*The "Other Assault" category includes all assaults that are not classified as sexual assault. It represents the majority of assaults.

**Injury estimate is unstable because of small sample size.

Data Source: NEISS All Injury Program operated by the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC).

Produced by: National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, CDC using WISQARS™.



Centers for Disease
Control and Prevention
National Center for Injury
Prevention and Control