

# 10 Leading Causes of Injury Deaths by Age Group Highlighting Unintentional Injury Deaths, United States – 2007

Age Groups											
Rank	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Total
1	<b>Unintentional Suffocation</b> 959	Unintentional Drowning 458	Unintentional MV Traffic 456	Unintentional MV Traffic 696	Unintentional MV Traffic 10,272	Unintentional MV Traffic 6,842	<b>Unintentional Poisoning</b> 7,575	<b>Unintentional Poisoning</b> 9,006	Unintentional MV Traffic 4,177	Unintentional Fall 18,334	Unintentional MV Traffic 42,031
2	Homicide Unspecified 174	Unintentional MV Traffic 428	Unintentional Fire/Burn 136	Homicide Firearm 154	Homicide Firearm 4,669	<b>Unintentional Poisoning</b> 5,700	Unintentional MV Traffic 6,135	Unintentional MV Traffic 6,262	<b>Unintentional Poisoning</b> 3,120	Unintentional MV Traffic 6,632	<b>Unintentional Poisoning</b> 29,846
3	Unintentional MV Traffic 122	Unintentional Fire/Burn 204	Unintentional Drowning 122	Suicide Suffocation 119	<b>Unintentional Poisoning</b> 3,159	Homicide Firearm 3,751	Suicide Firearm 2,879	Suicide Firearm 3,531	Suicide Firearm 2,786	Unintentional Unspecified 4,855	Unintentional Fall 22,631
4	Homicide Other Spec., classifiable 86	Homicide Unspecified 174	Homicide Firearm 47	Unintentional Drowning 102	Suicide Firearm 1,900	Suicide Firearm 2,306	Homicide Firearm 2,038	Suicide Poisoning 2,015	Unintentional Fall 1,739	Suicide Firearm 3,895	Suicide Firearm 17,352
5	Unintentional Drowning 57	<b>Unintentional Suffocation</b> 149	<b>Unintentional Suffocation</b> 42	Unintentional Other Land Transport 80	Suicide Suffocation 1,533	Suicide Suffocation 1,770	Suicide Suffocation 1,839	Suicide Suffocation 1,589	Suicide Poisoning 1,147	<b>Unintentional Suffocation</b> 3,209	Homicide Firearm 12,632
6	Unintentional Fire/Burn 39	Unintentional Pedestrian, Other 124	Unintentional Other Land Transport 40	Unintentional Fire/Burn 78	Unintentional Drowning 630	Suicide Poisoning 802	Suicide Poisoning 1,419	Unintentional Fall 1,304	Suicide Suffocation 725	Adverse Effects 1,631	Suicide Suffocation 8,161
7	Undetermined Suffocation 34	Homicide Other Spec., classifiable 61	Unintentional Pedestrian, Other 32	<b>Unintentional Poisoning</b> 69	Homicide Cut/pierce 444	Undetermined Poisoning 687	Undetermined Poisoning 1,020	Homicide Firearm 1,159	Unintentional Fire/Burn 505	Unintentional Fire/Burn 1,179	Suicide Poisoning 6,358
8	Homicide Suffocation 30	Homicide Firearm 48	Homicide Suffocation 21	<b>Unintentional Suffocation</b> 60	Undetermined Poisoning 365	Homicide Cut/Pierce 466	Unintentional Fall 593	Undetermined Poisoning 1,155	<b>Unintentional Suffocation</b> 484	<b>Unintentional Poisoning</b> 1,149	Unintentional Unspecified 6,019
9	Undetermined Unspecified 28	Unintentional Struck by or Against 44	Unintentional Firearm 20	Suicide Firearm 53	Suicide Poisoning 362	Unintentional Drowning 381	Unintentional Drowning 417	Unintentional Fire/Burn 496	Homicide Firearm 446	Suicide Poisoning 604	<b>Unintentional Suffocation</b> 5,997
10	Unintentional Fall 24	Unintentional Fall 36	Unintentional Struck by or Against 20	Unintentional Firearm 26	Unintentional Other Land Transport 310	Unintentional Fall 334	Homicide Cut/pierce 409	Unintentional Drowning 481	Adverse Effects 398	Suicide Suffocation 583	Undetermined Poisoning 3,770

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