

# National Estimates of the 10 Leading Causes of Nonfatal Injuries Treated in Hospital Emergency Departments, United States – 2016

Rank	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Total
1	Unintentional Fall 122,266	Unintentional Fall 750,052	Unintentional Fall 588,689	Unintentional Fall 490,255	Unintentional Struck By/Against 843,602	Unintentional Fall 718,186	Unintentional Fall 661,809	Unintentional Fall 872,377	Unintentional Fall 1,072,216	Unintentional Fall 3,175,414	Unintentional Fall 9,194,403
2	Unintentional Struck By/Against 28,224	Unintentional Struck By/Against 282,087	Unintentional Struck By/Against 348,333	Unintentional Struck By/Against 482,632	Unintentional Fall 742,092	Unintentional MV-Occupant 592,609	Unintentional Overexertion 477,104	Unintentional Other Specified 439,928	Unintentional Other Specified 309,663	Unintentional Struck By/Against 344,769	Unintentional Struck By/Against 4,043,802
3	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 10,649	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 137,409	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 98,268	Unintentional Overexertion 250,247	Unintentional MV-Occupant 665,419	Unintentional Struck By/Against 590,710	Unintentional Struck By/Against 427,935	Unintentional Struck By/Against 405,938	Unintentional Struck By/Against 289,371	Unintentional Overexertion 257,602	Unintentional Overexertion 2,968,273
4	Unintentional Foreign Body 10,046	Unintentional Foreign Body 117,387	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 88,241	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 112,638	Unintentional Overexertion 580,343	Unintentional Overexertion 562,016	Unintentional MV-Occupant 417,169	Unintentional Overexertion 405,475	Unintentional Overexertion 283,343	Unintentional MV-Occupant 241,134	Unintentional MV-Occupant 2,723,012
5	Unintentional Other Specified 8,857	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 70,899	Unintentional Overexertion 80,651	Unintentional MV-Occupant 71,252	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 387,016	Unintentional Other Specified 454,527	Unintentional Other Specified 375,750	Unintentional MV-Occupant 372,488	Unintentional MV-Occupant 270,408	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 177,209	Unintentional Other Specified 2,182,292
6	Unintentional Fire/Burn 7,081	Unintentional Overexertion 67,790	Unintentional MV-Occupant 60,722	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 66,312	Unintentional Other Specified 348,726	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 408,160	Unintentional Poisoning 312,902	Unintentional Poisoning 360,752	Unintentional Poisoning 245,288	Unintentional Poisoning 141,837	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 1,994,265
7	Unintentional Inhalation/Suffocation 5,111	Unintentional Other Specified 59,638	Unintentional Foreign Body 54,978	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 60,262	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 333,051	Unintentional Poisoning 358,454	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 285,165	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 254,245	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 206,002	Unintentional Other Specified 137,863	Unintentional Poisoning 1,711,836
8	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 5,002	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 39,644	Unintentional Pedal Cyclist 48,196	Unintentional Pedal Cyclist 59,702	Unintentional Poisoning 237,982	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 343,026	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 218,273	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 167,942	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 117,195	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 107,023	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 1,250,382
9	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 4,463	Unintentional Fire/Burn 39,079	Unintentional Dog Bite 36,934	Unintentional Other Transport 48,951	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 161,344	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 176,116	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 143,424	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 142,524	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 81,739	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 99,146	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 1,154,289
10	Unintentional MV-Occupant 3,879	Unintentional Poisoning 30,671	Unintentional Other Transport 31,934	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 48,914	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 132,613	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 131,119	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 106,005	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 109,922	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 81,296	Unintentional Other Transport 95,027	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 800,719

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

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