

## 10 Leading Causes of Injury Deaths by Age Group Highlighting Violence-Related Injury Deaths, United States – 2017

| Rank | <1   | 1-4  | 5-9                                      | 10-14                                    | 15-24                                | 25-34                                | 35-44                                | 45-54                                | 55-64                                | 65+                                | Total                                 |
|------|--|--|--|--|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1    | Unintentional Suffocation<br>1,106               | Unintentional Drowning<br>424                    | Unintentional MV Traffic<br>327          | Unintentional MV Traffic<br>428          | Unintentional MV Traffic<br>6,697    | Unintentional Poisoning<br>16,478    | Unintentional Poisoning<br>15,032    | Unintentional Poisoning<br>14,707    | Unintentional Poisoning<br>10,581    | Unintentional Fall<br>31,190       | Unintentional Poisoning<br>64,795     |
| 2    | <b>Homicide Unspecified<br/>139</b>              | Unintentional MV Traffic<br>362                  | Unintentional Drowning<br>125            | <b>Suicide Suffocation<br/>280</b>       | Unintentional Poisoning<br>5,030     | Unintentional MV Traffic<br>6,871    | Unintentional MV Traffic<br>5,162    | Unintentional MV Traffic<br>5,471    | Unintentional MV Traffic<br>5,584    | Unintentional MV Traffic<br>7,667  | Unintentional MV Traffic<br>38,659    |
| 3    | Unintentional MV Traffic<br>90                   | <b>Homicide Unspecified<br/>129</b>              | Unintentional Fire/Burn<br>94            | <b>Suicide Firearm<br/>185</b>           | <b>Homicide Firearm<br/>4,391</b>    | <b>Homicide Firearm<br/>4,594</b>    | <b>Suicide Firearm<br/>3,098</b>     | <b>Suicide Firearm<br/>3,937</b>     | <b>Suicide Firearm<br/>4,219</b>     | <b>Suicide Firearm<br/>5,996</b>   | Unintentional Fall<br>36,338          |
| 4    | <b>Homicide Other Spec., Classifiable<br/>76</b> | Unintentional Suffocation<br>110                 | <b>Homicide Firearm<br/>78</b>           | <b>Homicide Firearm<br/>126</b>          | <b>Suicide Firearm<br/>2,959</b>     | <b>Suicide Firearm<br/>3,458</b>     | <b>Suicide Suffocation<br/>2,562</b> | <b>Suicide Suffocation<br/>2,294</b> | Unintentional Fall<br>2,760          | Unintentional Unspecified<br>5,125 | <b>Suicide Firearm<br/>23,854</b>     |
| 5    | Undetermined Suffocation<br>56                   | Unintentional Fire/Burn<br>95                    | Unintentional Suffocation<br>36          | Unintentional Drowning<br>110            | <b>Suicide Suffocation<br/>2,321</b> | <b>Suicide Suffocation<br/>3,063</b> | <b>Homicide Firearm<br/>2,561</b>    | <b>Suicide Poisoning<br/>1,604</b>   | <b>Suicide Suffocation<br/>1,631</b> | Unintentional Suffocation<br>3,920 | <b>Homicide Firearm<br/>14,542</b>    |
| 6    | Unintentional Drowning<br>43                     | Unintentional Pedestrian, Other<br>88            | Unintentional Other Land Transport<br>25 | Unintentional Other Land Transport<br>66 | Unintentional Drowning<br>469        | Undetermined Poisoning<br>887        | <b>Suicide Poisoning<br/>1,089</b>   | <b>Homicide Firearm<br/>1,447</b>    | <b>Suicide Poisoning<br/>1,459</b>   | Adverse Effects<br>2,902           | <b>Suicide Suffocation<br/>13,075</b> |
| 7    | Undetermined Unspecified<br>37                   | <b>Homicide Other Spec., Classifiable<br/>49</b> | <b>Homicide Suffocation<br/>15</b>       | Unintentional Fire/Burn<br>56            | <b>Suicide Poisoning<br/>463</b>     | <b>Suicide Poisoning<br/>788</b>     | Undetermined Poisoning<br>792        | Unintentional Fall<br>1,248          | <b>Homicide Firearm<br/>824</b>      | Unintentional Poisoning<br>2,871   | Unintentional Suffocation<br>6,946    |
| 8    | <b>Homicide Suffocation<br/>26</b>               | <b>Homicide Firearm<br/>44</b>                   | <b>Homicide Cut/pierce<br/>14</b>        | <b>Suicide Poisoning<br/>39</b>          | Undetermined Poisoning<br>280        | Unintentional Drowning<br>479        | Unintentional Fall<br>522            | Undetermined Poisoning<br>887        | Unintentional Suffocation<br>811     | Unintentional Fire/Burn<br>1,278   | Unintentional Unspecified<br>6,606    |
| 9    | Unintentional Natural/Environment<br>18          | Unintentional Natural/Environment<br>34          | Unintentional Firearm<br>14              | Unintentional Poisoning<br>39            | <b>Homicide Cut/pierce<br/>266</b>   | <b>Homicide Cut/pierce<br/>404</b>   | Unintentional Drowning<br>397        | Unintentional Drowning<br>451        | Adverse Effects<br>773               | <b>Suicide Poisoning<br/>1,111</b> | <b>Suicide Poisoning<br/>6,554</b>    |
| 10   | Three Tied<br>16                                 | Unintentional Firearm<br>31                      | Two Tied<br>13                           | Unintentional Suffocation<br>35          | Unintentional Fall<br>212            | Unintentional Fall<br>351            | <b>Homicide Cut/pierce<br/>337</b>   | Unintentional Suffocation<br>441     | Undetermined Poisoning<br>732        | <b>Suicide Suffocation<br/>919</b> | Adverse Effects<br>4,459              |

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