

# National Estimates of the 10 Leading Causes of Nonfatal Injuries Treated in Hospital Emergency Departments, United States – 2015

Rank	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Total
1	Unintentional Fall 121,531	Unintentional Fall 770,250	Unintentional Fall 617,362	Unintentional Fall 528,190	Unintentional Struck By/Against 856,883	Unintentional Fall 748,053	Unintentional Fall 724,114	Unintentional Fall 952,078	Unintentional Fall 1,072,038	Unintentional Fall 3,037,550	Unintentional Fall 9,369,406
2	Unintentional Struck By/Against 27,829	Unintentional Struck By/Against 295,509	Unintentional Struck By/Against 362,955	Unintentional Struck By/Against 516,099	Unintentional Fall 797,611	Unintentional Overexertion 587,939	Unintentional Overexertion 496,018	Unintentional Overexertion 445,205	Unintentional Overexertion 300,164	Unintentional Struck By/Against 317,340	Unintentional Struck By/Against 4,060,294
3	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 12,987	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 157,851	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 102,571	Unintentional Overexertion 273,389	Unintentional MV-Occupant 658,159	Unintentional Struck By/Against 587,505	Unintentional Struck By/Against 427,822	Unintentional Other Specified 416,488	Unintentional Struck By/Against 282,430	Unintentional Overexertion 249,512	Unintentional Overexertion 3,121,907
4	Unintentional Other Specified 10,506	Unintentional Foreign Body 119,900	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 96,322	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 104,152	Unintentional Overexertion 624,453	Unintentional MV-Occupant 413,206	Unintentional MV-Occupant 395,910	Unintentional Struck By/Against 385,884	Unintentional Other Specified 254,429	Unintentional MV-Occupant 210,848	Unintentional MV-Occupant 2,624,934
5	Unintentional Foreign Body 8,181	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 73,358	Unintentional Overexertion 79,715	Unintentional MV-Occupant 75,145	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 403,280	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 413,206	Unintentional Other Specified 344,207	Unintentional MV-Occupant 358,630	Unintentional MV-Occupant 251,144	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 173,894	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 2,011,677
6	Unintentional Fire/Burn 7,882	Unintentional Overexertion 61,032	Unintentional Pedal Cyclist 61,477	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 68,522	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 344,752	Unintentional Other Specified 398,239	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 283,478	Unintentional Poisoning 321,268	Unintentional Poisoning 220,986	Unintentional Poisoning 120,656	Unintentional Other Specified 1,952,005
7	Unintentional Inhalation/Suffocation 7,674	Unintentional Other Specified 58,548	Unintentional MV-Occupant 61,222	Unintentional Pedal Cyclist 67,167	Unintentional Other Specified 322,249	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 339,981	Unintentional Poisoning 266,590	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 264,553	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 193,786	Unintentional Other Specified 109,583	Unintentional Poisoning 1,482,121
8	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 5,601	Unintentional Fire/Burn 44,985	Unintentional Foreign Body 57,911	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 63,771	Unintentional Poisoning 209,775	Unintentional Poisoning 291,104	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 203,982	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 163,793	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 102,235	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 103,106	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 1,234,228
9	Unintentional Overexertion 4,433	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 39,407	Unintentional Dog Bite 34,955	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 49,636	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 171,113	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 181,162	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 149,339	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 143,301	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 79,895	Unintentional Other Transport 95,170	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 1,187,459
10	Unintentional Poisoning 4,153	Unintentional Dog Bite 32,425	Unintentional Other Transport 33,131	Unintentional Other Transport 42,389	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 126,569	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 115,062	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 96,737	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 90,158	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 67,693	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 78,990	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 720,383

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

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