

# National Estimates of the 10 Leading Causes of Nonfatal Injuries Treated in Hospital Emergency Departments, United States – 2011

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 147,819	Unintentional Fall 980,092	Unintentional Fall 659,063	Unintentional Fall 624,123	Unintentional Struck By/Against 1,039,781	Unintentional Fall 830,843	Unintentional Fall 795,173	Unintentional Fall 984,995	Unintentional Fall 909,229	Unintentional Fall 2,403,146	Unintentional Fall 9,256,761
2	Unintentional Struck By/Against 35,388	Unintentional Struck By/Against 381,370	Unintentional Struck By/Against 429,506	Unintentional Struck By/Against 615,721	Unintentional Fall 921,958	Unintentional Overexertion 675,342	Unintentional Overexertion 589,259	Unintentional Overexertion 498,178	Unintentional Struck By/Against 260,734	Unintentional Struck By/Against 269,421	Unintentional Struck By/Against 4,619,897
3	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 15,525	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 173,697	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 116,853	Unintentional Overexertion 306,379	Unintentional Overexertion 724,410	Unintentional Struck By/Against 656,043	Unintentional Struck By/Against 493,018	Unintentional Struck By/Against 438,778	Unintentional Overexertion 256,738	Unintentional Overexertion 203,047	Unintentional Overexertion 3,440,314
4	Unintentional Foreign Body 11,120	Unintentional Foreign Body 143,838	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 116,813	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 137,359	Unintentional MV-Occupant 703,817	Unintentional MV-Occupant 572,542	Unintentional MV-Occupant 412,035	Unintentional MV-Occupant 383,832	Unintentional MV-Occupant 236,368	Unintentional MV-Occupant 194,678	Unintentional MV-Occupant 2,686,589
5	Unintentional Fire/Burn 10,634	Unintentional Overexertion 94,656	Unintentional Overexertion 86,337	Unintentional Pedal Cyclist 110,225	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 484,128	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 402,941	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 310,614	Unintentional Other Specified 337,326	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 193,449	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 148,065	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 2,165,207
6	Unintentional Other Specified 10,113	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 93,053	Unintentional Pedal Cyclist 84,581	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 89,404	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 460,128	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 351,852	Unintentional Other Specified 280,086	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 294,914	Unintentional Other Specified 160,776	Unintentional Poisoning 95,841	Unintentional Other Specified 1,616,657
7	Unintentional Cut/Pierce 7,754	Unintentional Other Specified 73,822	Unintentional MV-Occupant 63,463	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 79,735	Unintentional Other Specified 326,214	Unintentional Other Specified 305,592	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 219,531	Unintentional Poisoning 227,228	Unintentional Poisoning 115,844	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 93,856	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 1,421,464
8	Unintentional Inhalation/Suffocation 7,501	Unintentional Fire/Burn 55,939	Unintentional Foreign Body 59,229	Unintentional MV-Occupant 78,610	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 198,384	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 186,631	Unintentional Poisoning 169,824	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 174,569	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 93,876	Unintentional Other Specified 74,873	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 1,231,686
9	Unintentional Overexertion 5,895	Unintentional Dog Bite 41,616	Unintentional Dog Bite 44,996	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 67,546	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 153,778	Unintentional Poisoning 166,092	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 135,948	Unintentional Other Bite/Sting 149,297	Other Assault* Struck By/Against 58,527	Unintentional Other Transport 66,445	Unintentional Poisoning 991,523
10	Unintentional MV-Occupant 5,342	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 41,408	Unintentional Other Transport 38,880	Unintentional Other Transport 48,903	Unintentional Poisoning 151,694	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 108,184	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 89,046	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 78,930	Unintentional Other Transport 50,660	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 56,754	Unintentional Unknown/Unspecified 703,763

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

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