



**Deaths, Hospitalizations and ED Visits by Gender, Age and Race
North Carolina: 2017 to 2021 due to Fall Injury
Injury Intent: Unintentional**

	Deaths		Hospitalizations		ED Visits	
	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate
Gender						
Female	3,798	14.2	76,917	288.1	606,524	2,271.5
Male	3,528	13.9	45,565	179.0	416,401	1,636.0
Unknown		-	13	-	1,171	-
All	7,326	14.0	122,495	234.9	1,024,096	1,963.6
Race						
Hispanic	153	3.0	2,980	58.3	48,773	954.7
White-NH	6,450	19.8	101,886	312.1	732,405	2,243.8
Black-NH	605	5.4	13,008	117.0	186,893	1,680.3
American Indian-NH	41	7.2	1,319	232.0	7,741	1,361.6
Asian-NH	60	3.6	799	48.0	5,379	323.4
Multi-NH	15	1.4	1,061	101.2	21,032	2,005.6
Unknown	2	-	1,442	-	21,873	-
All	7,326	14.0	122,495	234.9	1,024,096	1,963.6
Age						
00-14	5	0.1 ¹	2,501	26.4	157,675	1,666.4
15-24	30	0.4	1,361	19.5	61,884	884.8
25-34	46	0.7	2,245	32.1	69,631	996.8
35-44	77	1.2	3,144	48.2	71,595	1,096.6
45-54	224	3.3	6,082	89.2	96,177	1,409.9
55-64	516	7.6	14,298	211.9	127,139	1,884.6
65-84	3,071	39.9	59,448	773.3	306,467	3,986.3
>=85	3,357	361.9	33,409	3,601.5	133,407	14,381.4
Unknown		-	7	-	121	-
All	7,326	14.0	122,495	234.9	1,024,096	1,963.6

Rates per 100,000. 2023 rates based on 2022 population estimates. NH=Non-Hispanic

* Rate suppressed for count 1-4. ¹ Rate should be interpreted with caution, count 5-10.

Injury hospitalization and ED visit categories are not mutually exclusive and do not sum to total injury count.

For more information visit <https://www.injuryfreenc.ncdhhs.gov/DataSurveillance/Technical-Notes.pdf>

Source: NC State Center for Health Statistics, Death Certificate and Hospital Discharge Data, NC DETECT ED visit data

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