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Death_Hosp_ED by Gender, Age and Race in North Carolina from 2017 to 2020 due to Fall Injury Injury Intent: Unintentional

	Deaths		Hospitalizations		ED Visits	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Gender						
Female	2,964	13.8	61,998	289.2	490,686	2,288.6
Male	2,711	13.4	36,511	179.8	337,433	1,661.8
Unknown		-	11	-	1,592	-
All	5,675	13.6	98,520	236.0	829,711	1,987.5
Race						
Hispanic	111	2.7	2,271	56.1	41,189	1,017.5
White-NH	5,011	18.8	82,042	308.6	592,225	2,227.7
Black-NH	465	5.0	10,364	112.3	152,857	1,656.0
American Indian-NH	36	7.3	1,117	225.6	6,067	1,225.4
Asian-NH	40	2.9	637	45.9	4,333	312.3
Other-NH	10	-	865	-	17,981	-
Unknown	2	-	1,224	-	15,059	-
All	5,675	13.6	98,520	236.0	829,711	1,987.5
Age						
00-14	5	0.1 ¹	2,027	26.6	130,807	1,718.0
15-24	25	0.5	1,132	20.4	51,485	929.5
25-34	39	0.7	1,767	31.5	58,048	1,033.6
35-44	54	1.0	2,558	49.1	59,509	1,143.0
45-54	171	3.1	4,973	90.7	79,830	1,455.6
55-64	396	7.3	11,637	215.5	102,578	1,899.3
65-84	2,338	38.1	47,404	772.8	241,021	3,929.3
>=85	2,647	352.3	27,015	3,595.6	106,426	14,165.0
Unknown		-	7	-	7	-
All	5,675	13.6	98,520	236.0	829,711	1,987.5

Rates are reported per 100,000. NH=Non-Hispanic. Caution: Race classifications changed in July 2020 for all data years.

therefore injury categories are not mutually exclusive and do not sum to the total number of injuries.

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For more info explaining this data: https://www.injuryfreenc.ncdhhs.gov/DataSurveillance/Technical-Notes.pdf

^{*} Rates suppressed for counts between 1 and 4. ¹ Rate should be interpreted with caution, count between 5 and 10.

Multiple injuries can be identified for the same individual in the hospitalization and ED visit data,