

Top 5 Leading Causes of Injury Death, Hospitalization, and Emergency Department Visits by County
Ages 65 and older, 2019-2023

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 ALAMANCE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	200
2	MVT - Unintentional	30
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	28
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	16
5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	11
TOTAL		320

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 ALAMANCE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,879
2	MVT - Unintentional	122
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	81
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	52
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	41
TOTAL		2,274

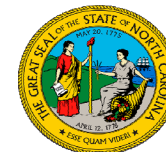
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 ALAMANCE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	10,530
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,214
3	MVT - Unintentional	843
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	838
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	486
TOTAL		16,465

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 ALEXANDER		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	29
2	MVT - Unintentional	10
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	4
4	Machinery - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	3
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	2
TOTAL		64

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 ALEXANDER		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	442
2	MVT - Unintentional	45
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	15
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	14
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	13
TOTAL		548

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 ALEXANDER		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,870
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	686
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	231
4	MVT - Unintentional	193
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	122
TOTAL		3,355

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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	11
2	MVT - Unintentional	6
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	4
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	2
5	Other Specified/NEC - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1
TOTAL		26

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 ALLEGHANY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	147
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded; MVT - Unintentional	14
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	9
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	6
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	5
TOTAL		204

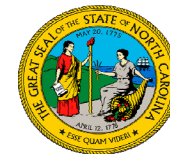
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 ALLEGHANY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,235
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	282
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	187
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	146
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	110
TOTAL		2,249

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 ANSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	14
2	Suffocation - Unintentional	7
3	MVT - Unintentional	5
4	Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	4
5	Cut/Pierce - Assault	1
TOTAL		35

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 ANSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	253
2	MVT - Unintentional	22
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	11
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	10
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	9
TOTAL		329

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 ANSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,862
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	495
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	302
4	MVT - Unintentional	270
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	147
TOTAL		3,415

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 ASHE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	20
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	13
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	5
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	4
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	1
TOTAL		52

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 ASHE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	412
2	MVT - Unintentional	26
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	15
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	11
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	10
TOTAL		523

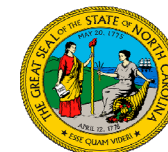
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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,542
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	648
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	291
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	268
5	Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	177
TOTAL		4,613

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 AVERY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	9
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	7
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	5
4	Poisoning - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	2
5	Suffocation - Assault	1
TOTAL		26

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 AVERY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	264
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	18
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	17
4	MVT - Unintentional	13
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	6
TOTAL		328

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 AVERY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,793
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	490
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	223
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	175
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	129
TOTAL		3,224

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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	31
2	MVT - Unintentional	12
3	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	7
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	6
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	4
TOTAL		72

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 BEAUFORT		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	583
2	MVT - Unintentional	53
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	32
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	27
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	15
TOTAL		752

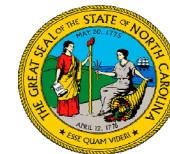
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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	3,693
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	700
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	578
4	MVT - Unintentional	417
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	236
TOTAL		6,218

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 BERTIE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	8
2	MVT - Unintentional	4
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	2
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Self- Inflicted; Firearm - Assault; Fire/Burn - Assault	1
5		
TOTAL		24

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 BERTIE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	215
2	MVT - Unintentional	22
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	17
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	11
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	7
TOTAL		284

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 BERTIE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,800
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	440
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	336
4	MVT - Unintentional	235
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	129
TOTAL		3,282

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 BLADEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	25
2	MVT - Unintentional	21
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	5
4	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	3
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2
TOTAL		64

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 BLADEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	325
2	MVT - Unintentional	35
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	27
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	24
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	16
TOTAL		459

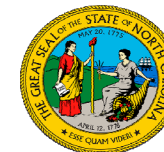
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 BLADEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,910
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,570
3	MVT - Unintentional	246
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	95
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	78
TOTAL		4,155

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 BRUNSWICK		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	135
2	MVT - Unintentional	41
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	38
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	18
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	10
TOTAL		283

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 BRUNSWICK		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,796
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	102
3	MVT - Unintentional	93
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	63
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	60
TOTAL		2,248

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 BRUNSWICK		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	7,119
2	Fall - Unintentional	6,829
3	MVT - Unintentional	608
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	372
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	241
TOTAL		16,037

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 BUNCOMBE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	321
2	MVT - Unintentional	47
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	38
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	22
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	19
TOTAL		527

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 BUNCOMBE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	3,787
2	MVT - Unintentional	276
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	137
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	136
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	110
TOTAL		4,642

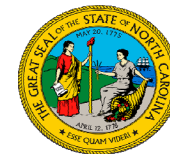
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 BUNCOMBE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	14,050
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,835
3	MVT - Unintentional	1,699
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,245
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	884
TOTAL		22,794

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 BURKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	57
2	MVT - Unintentional	17
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	16
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	11
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	8
TOTAL		132

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 BURKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,091
2	MVT - Unintentional	78
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	47
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	44
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	34
TOTAL		1,359

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 BURKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	5,574
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,923
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	599
4	MVT - Unintentional	512
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	377
TOTAL		9,893

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CABARRUS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	176
2	MVT - Unintentional	33
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	20
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	9
5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Unintentional	8
TOTAL		277

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CABARRUS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,118
2	MVT - Unintentional	123
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	75
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	74
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	73
TOTAL		2,579

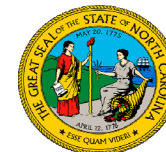
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 CABARRUS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	11,726
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,423
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,299
4	MVT - Unintentional	958
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	834
TOTAL		18,845

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CALDWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	55
2	MVT - Unintentional	17
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	16
4	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	6
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	5
TOTAL		120

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CALDWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,172
2	MVT - Unintentional	78
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	62
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	52
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	26
TOTAL		1,438

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 CALDWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	4,500
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,329
3	MVT - Unintentional	452
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	317
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	219
TOTAL		9,587

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CAMDEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	5
2	Unspecified - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	3
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	2
4		
5		
TOTAL		15

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CAMDEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	55
2	Overexertion - Unintentional	2
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	1
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5		
TOTAL		60

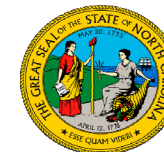
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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	476
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	121
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	94
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	71
5	Overexertion - Unintentional	50
TOTAL		929

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CARTERET		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	60
2	MVT - Unintentional	18
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	11
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	9
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	8
TOTAL		123

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CARTERET		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	929
2	MVT - Unintentional	53
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	37
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	32
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	31
TOTAL		1,149

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 CARTERET		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	5,552
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,139
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	347
4	MVT - Unintentional	340
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	302
TOTAL		9,456

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CASWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	24
2	MVT - Unintentional	11
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	5
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	3
5	Unspecified - Assault; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Suffocation - Assault; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Self-Inflicted	1
TOTAL		54

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CASWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	210
2	MVT - Unintentional	10
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	9
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	8
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	5
TOTAL		258

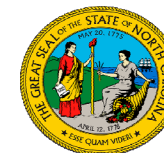
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1	Fall - Unintentional	761
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	233
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	105
4	MVT - Unintentional	57
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	52
TOTAL		1,349

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CATAWBA		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	103
2	MVT - Unintentional	31
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	28
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	12
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	8
TOTAL		216

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CATAWBA		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,614
2	MVT - Unintentional	129
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	86
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	56
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	47
TOTAL		2,043

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 CATAWBA		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	8,235
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	4,251
3	MVT - Unintentional	826
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	820
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	466
TOTAL		15,925

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CHATHAM		
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1	Fall - Unintentional	76
2	MVT - Unintentional	13
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	8
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	7
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	4
TOTAL		122

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CHATHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	894
2	MVT - Unintentional	84
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	45
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	29
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	19
TOTAL		1,115

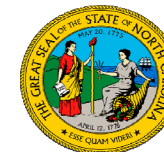
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 CHATHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,751
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,042
3	MVT - Unintentional	277
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	169
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	147
TOTAL		5,738

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CHEROKEE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	26
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	14
3	MVT - Unintentional	8
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	7
5	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	2
TOTAL		65

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CHEROKEE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	294
2	Poisoning - Unintentional	15
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	14
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	8
5	MVT - Unintentional	6
TOTAL		343

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 CHEROKEE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,184
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	277
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	219
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	171
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	143
TOTAL		3,482

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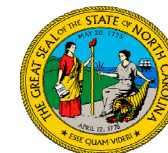
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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CHOWAN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	9
2	Poisoning - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	4
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	3
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
TOTAL		26

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CHOWAN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	181
2	MVT - Unintentional	13
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	6
4	Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	4
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3
TOTAL		219

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 CHOWAN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,603
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	389
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	236
4	MVT - Unintentional	132
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	131
TOTAL		2,812

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CLAY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	11
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	5
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	3
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	1
5		
TOTAL		24

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CLAY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	69
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	4
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	3
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Overexertion - Unintentional	1
TOTAL		82

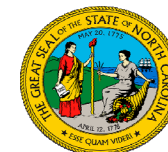
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 CLAY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	561
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	71
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	53
4	Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	35
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	34
TOTAL		862

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CLEVELAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	92
2	MVT - Unintentional	24
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	10
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	9
5	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	8
TOTAL		166

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CLEVELAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,381
2	MVT - Unintentional	101
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	82
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	57
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	38
TOTAL		1,727

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 CLEVELAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	7,974
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,914
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	996
4	MVT - Unintentional	838
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	600
TOTAL		13,565

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 COLUMBUS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	41
2	MVT - Unintentional	20
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	11
4	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	8
5	Suffocation - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	6
TOTAL		104

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 COLUMBUS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	560
2	MVT - Unintentional	56
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	50
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	27
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	19
TOTAL		749

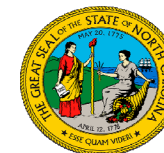
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 COLUMBUS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,619
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	865
3	MVT - Unintentional	428
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	334
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	162
TOTAL		5,016

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CRAVEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	71
2	MVT - Unintentional	17
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	15
4	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	13
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	12
TOTAL		163

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CRAVEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	664
2	MVT - Unintentional	69
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	49
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	33
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	32
TOTAL		945

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 CRAVEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	6,899
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,041
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	853
4	MVT - Unintentional	654
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	646
TOTAL		11,674

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CUMBERLAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	136
2	MVT - Unintentional	55
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	34
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	31
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	19
TOTAL		339

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CUMBERLAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,337
2	Poisoning - Unintentional	266
3	MVT - Unintentional	225
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	128
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	76
TOTAL		3,170

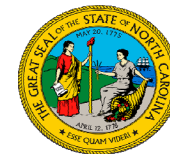
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 CUMBERLAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	11,115
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	7,416
3	MVT - Unintentional	1,025
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	348
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	339
TOTAL		21,422

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 CURRITUCK		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	12
2	MVT - Unintentional	5
3	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	4
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	2
5	Unspecified - Assault; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Undetermined; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Machinery - Unintentional	1
TOTAL		32

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 CURRITUCK		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	77
2	MVT - Unintentional	5
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	4
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	3
5	Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional	2
TOTAL		95

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 CURRITUCK		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	781
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	152
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	140
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	84
5	MVT - Unintentional	72
TOTAL		1,381

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 DARE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	18
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	9
3	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	5
4	MVT - Unintentional	4
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	3
TOTAL		49

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 DARE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	247
2	Poisoning - Unintentional	11
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	8
4	MVT - Unintentional	6
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	4
TOTAL		287

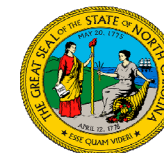
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 DARE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,570
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	583
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	489
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	208
5	MVT - Unintentional	187
TOTAL		4,451

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 DAVIDSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	148
2	MVT - Unintentional	28
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	22
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	14
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	12
TOTAL		274

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 DAVIDSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,815
2	MVT - Unintentional	157
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	76
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	74
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	50
TOTAL		2,269

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 DAVIDSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	8,894
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	4,929
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	934
4	MVT - Unintentional	926
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	416
TOTAL		17,222

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 DAVIE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	59
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	7
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Unintentional	5
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	4
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	3
TOTAL		95

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 DAVIE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	547
2	MVT - Unintentional	35
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	30
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	24
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	20
TOTAL		681

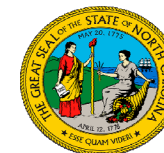
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 DAVIE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,746
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,098
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	323
4	MVT - Unintentional	194
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	147
TOTAL		4,929

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 DUPLIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	40
2	MVT - Unintentional	13
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	7
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	4
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	3
TOTAL		81

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 DUPLIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	528
2	MVT - Unintentional	54
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	35
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	22
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	14
TOTAL		679

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 DUPLIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	4,018
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,241
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	723
4	MVT - Unintentional	489
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	236
TOTAL		7,236

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 DURHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	218
2	MVT - Unintentional	26
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	23
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Unintentional	20
5	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	15
TOTAL		370

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 DURHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,140
2	MVT - Unintentional	150
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	133
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	86
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	50
TOTAL		2,721

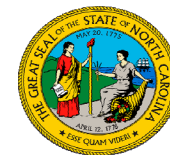
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 DURHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	9,188
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	8,234
3	MVT - Unintentional	866
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	321
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	300
TOTAL		19,565

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 EDGEcombe		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	35
2	MVT - Unintentional	15
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	7
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	5
5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Unintentional	4
TOTAL		78

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 EDGEcombe		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	452
2	MVT - Unintentional	46
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	40
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	19
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	15
TOTAL		608

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 EDGEcombe		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	3,631
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,046
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	493
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	194
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	155
TOTAL		6,367

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 FORSYTH		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	360
2	MVT - Unintentional	53
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	42
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	31
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	29
TOTAL		597

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 FORSYTH		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	3,682
2	MVT - Unintentional	246
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	197
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	154
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	122
TOTAL		4,603

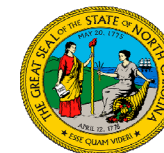
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 FORSYTH		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	18,451
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	12,276
3	MVT - Unintentional	1,776
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,183
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	619
TOTAL		36,279

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 FRANKLIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	47
2	MVT - Unintentional	18
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	13
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	5
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	4
TOTAL		103

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 FRANKLIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	619
2	MVT - Unintentional	69
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	37
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional	22
5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	12
TOTAL		801

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 FRANKLIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,338
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,332
3	MVT - Unintentional	369
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	141
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	127
TOTAL		5,648

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 GASTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	126
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	40
3	MVT - Unintentional	29
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	24
5	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	13
TOTAL		269

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 GASTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,652
2	MVT - Unintentional	172
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	163
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	91
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	52
TOTAL		3,260

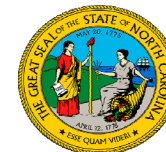
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 GASTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	10,504
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	9,357
3	MVT - Unintentional	1,211
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	471
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	418
TOTAL		23,225

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 GATES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	8
2	Fall - Unintentional	4
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1
4		
5		
TOTAL		14

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 GATES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	60
2	MVT - Unintentional	5
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	3
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	2
5	Suffocation - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Assault; Overexertion - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1
TOTAL		77

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 GATES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	468
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	86
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	76
4	MVT - Unintentional	45
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	33
TOTAL		765

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 GRAHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	4
2	MVT - Unintentional	3
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
4		
5		
TOTAL		10

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 GRAHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	103
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	5
3	Poisoning - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	4
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Overexertion - Unintentional	3
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	2
TOTAL		127

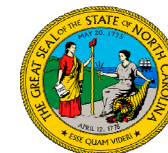
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 GRAHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	591
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	125
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	70
4	Overexertion - Unintentional	35
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	34
TOTAL		950

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 GRANVILLE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	19
2	MVT - Unintentional	13
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	11
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	6
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	4
TOTAL		60

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 GRANVILLE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	563
2	MVT - Unintentional	55
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	32
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	26
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	22
TOTAL		742

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 GRANVILLE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,595
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,365
3	MVT - Unintentional	262
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	219
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	165
TOTAL		5,062

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 GREENE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	15
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	3
3	Unspecified - Assault; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
5		
TOTAL		29

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 GREENE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	145
2	MVT - Unintentional	18
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	11
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional	8
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	4
TOTAL		196

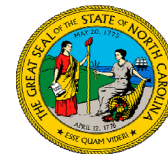
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 GREENE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	673
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	327
3	MVT - Unintentional	94
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	58
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	37
TOTAL		1,285

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 GUILFORD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	509
2	MVT - Unintentional	69
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	56
4	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	45
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	38
TOTAL		822

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 GUILFORD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	4,664
2	MVT - Unintentional	284
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	230
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	146
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	117
TOTAL		5,684

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 GUILFORD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	28,449
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	5,484
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	2,829
4	MVT - Unintentional	2,628
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,383
TOTAL		44,765

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 HALIFAX		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	34
2	MVT - Unintentional	16
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	14
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	6
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	4
TOTAL		90

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 HALIFAX		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	495
2	MVT - Unintentional	47
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	38
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	37
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	19
TOTAL		669

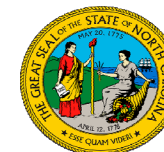
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 HALIFAX		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	3,738
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,026
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	826
4	MVT - Unintentional	464
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	258
TOTAL		6,875

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 HARNETT		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	83
2	MVT - Unintentional	36
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	16
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	13
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	9
TOTAL		194

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 HARNETT		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,003
2	Poisoning - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	80
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	52
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	21
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	20
TOTAL		1,315

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 HARNETT		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	6,341
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,656
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	707
4	MVT - Unintentional	664
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	297
TOTAL		11,801

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 HAYWOOD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	95
2	MVT - Unintentional	17
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	13
4	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	12
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	6
TOTAL		162

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 HAYWOOD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,225
2	MVT - Unintentional	70
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	60
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	42
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	35
TOTAL		1,502

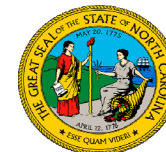
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 HAYWOOD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	4,895
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,250
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	745
4	MVT - Unintentional	370
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	203
TOTAL		8,038

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 HENDERSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	237
2	MVT - Unintentional	20
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	19
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	12
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	9
TOTAL		326

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 HENDERSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,822
2	MVT - Unintentional	120
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	78
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	76
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	38
TOTAL		2,236

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 HENDERSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	8,140
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	4,563
3	MVT - Unintentional	650
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	396
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	351
TOTAL		15,316

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 HERTFORD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	11
2	MVT - Unintentional	4
3	Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	2
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Firearm - Self- Inflicted; Firearm - Assault	1
5		
TOTAL		24

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 HERTFORD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	165
2	Poisoning - Unintentional	17
3	MVT - Unintentional	15
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	9
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	6
TOTAL		224

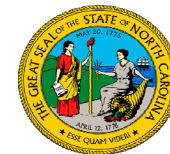
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 HERTFORD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,365
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	385
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	338
4	MVT - Unintentional	159
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	93
TOTAL		2,616

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 HOKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	13
2	MVT - Unintentional	10
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	7
4	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	5
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	3
TOTAL		42

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 HOKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	228
2	Poisoning - Unintentional	31
3	MVT - Unintentional	29
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	8
5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	7
TOTAL		322

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 HOKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,636
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,428
3	MVT - Unintentional	138
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	66
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	44
TOTAL		3,433

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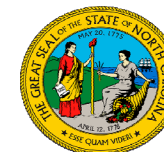


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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Other Transport - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	2	1	Fall - Unintentional	41	1	Fall - Unintentional	158
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1	2	MVT - Unintentional	6	2	Unspecified - Unintentional	47
3			3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	2	3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	41
4			4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Assault; Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	1	4	MVT - Unintentional	17
5			5			5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	15
TOTAL		8	TOTAL		56	TOTAL		309

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 IREDELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	95
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	29
3	MVT - Unintentional	19
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	18
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	10
TOTAL		206

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 IREDELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,070
2	MVT - Unintentional	113
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	87
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	83
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	46
TOTAL		2,491

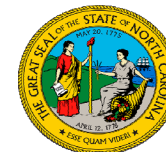
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 IREDELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	12,274
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,146
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,479
4	MVT - Unintentional	953
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	815
TOTAL		19,468

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 JACKSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	32
2	MVT - Unintentional	9
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	7
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	5
5	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	4
TOTAL		65

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 JACKSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	497
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	38
3	MVT - Unintentional	31
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	20
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	16
TOTAL		620

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 JACKSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,606
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	598
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	384
4	MVT - Unintentional	202
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	170
TOTAL		4,382

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 JOHNSTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	168
2	MVT - Unintentional	34
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	20
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	18
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	16
TOTAL		314

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 JOHNSTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,743
2	MVT - Unintentional	160
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	100
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	67
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	36
TOTAL		2,197

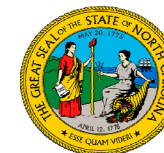
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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	8,563
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	5,477
3	MVT - Unintentional	1,050
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	573
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	384
TOTAL		17,029

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 JONES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	6
2	MVT - Unintentional	5
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	2
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Machinery - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1
5		
TOTAL		17

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 JONES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	67
2	MVT - Unintentional	9
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	6
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	5
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3
TOTAL		96

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 JONES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	588
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	129
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	91
4	MVT - Unintentional	62
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	53
TOTAL		1,070

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 LEE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	28
2	MVT - Unintentional	17
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	8
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	6
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	3
TOTAL		78

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 LEE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	610
2	MVT - Unintentional	43
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	28
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	21
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	14
TOTAL		756

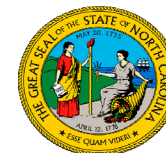
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 LEE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,733
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,154
3	MVT - Unintentional	311
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	146
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	129
TOTAL		5,781

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 LENOIR		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	51
2	MVT - Unintentional	20
3	Suffocation - Unintentional	7
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	6
5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	5
TOTAL		103

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 LENOIR		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	560
2	MVT - Unintentional	60
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	41
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	29
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	12
TOTAL		726

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 LENOIR		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	4,034
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,983
3	MVT - Unintentional	530
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	318
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	204
TOTAL		7,649

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 LINCOLN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	35
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	17
3	MVT - Unintentional	15
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	8
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	7
TOTAL		95

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 LINCOLN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	983
2	MVT - Unintentional	62
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	38
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	34
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	33
TOTAL		1,219

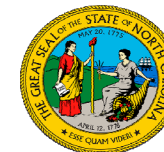
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 LINCOLN		
Rank	Cause	#
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2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,788
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	605
4	MVT - Unintentional	517
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	333
TOTAL		9,889

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 McDOWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	49
2	Poisoning - Unintentional	9
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	8
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	6
5	Firearm - Assault	3
TOTAL		93

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 McDOWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	721
2	MVT - Unintentional	51
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	26
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	21
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	20
TOTAL		883

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 McDOWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	3,779
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	577
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	409
4	MVT - Unintentional	353
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	272
TOTAL		6,095

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 MACON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	70
2	MVT - Unintentional	10
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	9
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	5
5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	4
TOTAL		116

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 MACON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	690
2	MVT - Unintentional	56
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	29
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	23
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	19
TOTAL		851

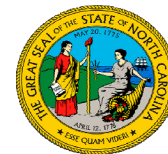
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 MACON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	4,595
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	752
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	536
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	455
5	MVT - Unintentional	323
TOTAL		7,620

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 MADISON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	21
2	Unspecified - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	5
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	2
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Pedestrian Other - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Machinery - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	1
5		
TOTAL		39

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 MADISON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	350
2	MVT - Unintentional	36
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	16
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	11
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	8
TOTAL		437

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 MADISON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,071
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	207
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	112
4	MVT - Unintentional	111
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	86
TOTAL		1,764

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 MARTIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	16
2	Poisoning - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	4
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	1
5		
TOTAL		31

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 MARTIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	265
2	MVT - Unintentional	21
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	13
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	12
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	8
TOTAL		331

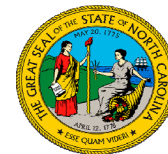
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 MARTIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,084
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	394
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	381
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	242
5	MVT - Unintentional	187
TOTAL		3,611

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 MECKLENBURG		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	355
2	MVT - Unintentional	74
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	63
4	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	49
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	45
TOTAL		717

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 MECKLENBURG		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	6,869
2	MVT - Unintentional	438
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	377
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	299
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	274
TOTAL		8,620

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 MECKLENBURG		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	37,543
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	15,622
3	MVT - Unintentional	4,341
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	3,354
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,869
TOTAL		67,873

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 MITCHELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	20
2	MVT - Unintentional	6
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	5
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	3
5	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	1
TOTAL		39

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 MITCHELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	254
2	MVT - Unintentional	18
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	9
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	8
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	5
TOTAL		302

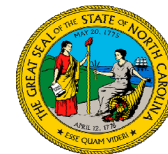
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 MITCHELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,728
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	213
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	208
4	MVT - Unintentional	112
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	99
TOTAL		2,669

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 MONTGOMERY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	11
2	Fall - Unintentional	9
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	6
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	5
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	3
TOTAL		41

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 MONTGOMERY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	285
2	MVT - Unintentional	24
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	14
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	11
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	10
TOTAL		369

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 MONTGOMERY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,421
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,136
3	MVT - Unintentional	135
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	111
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	52
TOTAL		3,016

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 MOORE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	94
2	MVT - Unintentional	26
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	21
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	15
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	13
TOTAL		201

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 MOORE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,167
2	MVT - Unintentional	71
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	70
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	63
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	32
TOTAL		1,498

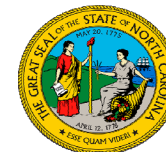
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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	6,700
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	4,872
3	MVT - Unintentional	407
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	183
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	171
TOTAL		12,664

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 NASH		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	53
2	MVT - Unintentional	17
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	13
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	10
5	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	6
TOTAL		125

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 NASH		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	966
2	MVT - Unintentional	72
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	63
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	32
5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	21
TOTAL		1,209

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 NASH		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	5,405
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,680
3	MVT - Unintentional	740
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	340
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	267
TOTAL		10,158

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 NEW HANOVER		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	177
2	MVT - Unintentional	34
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	19
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	13
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	10
TOTAL		300

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 NEW HANOVER		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,743
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	162
3	MVT - Unintentional	137
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	92
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	73
TOTAL		3,385

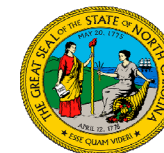
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 NEW HANOVER		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	10,785
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	9,706
3	MVT - Unintentional	1,009
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	333
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	291
TOTAL		22,605

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 NORTHAMPTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	9
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	4
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	3
4	Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	1
TOTAL		26

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 NORTHAMPTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	215
2	MVT - Unintentional	18
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	15
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	8
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	7
TOTAL		275

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 NORTHAMPTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,456
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	402
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	358
4	MVT - Unintentional	173
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	102
TOTAL		2,720

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 ONslow		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	51
2	MVT - Unintentional	32
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	22
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	14
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	12
TOTAL		158

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 ONslow		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	818
2	MVT - Unintentional	62
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	51
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	42
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	33
TOTAL		1,073

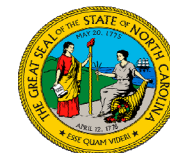
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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	5,593
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,623
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	888
4	MVT - Unintentional	562
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	453
TOTAL		11,211

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 ORANGE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	78
2	MVT - Unintentional	11
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	10
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Unintentional	8
5	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	6
TOTAL		136

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 ORANGE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,087
2	MVT - Unintentional	84
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	71
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	39
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	18
TOTAL		1,376

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 ORANGE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	5,959
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,506
3	MVT - Unintentional	497
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	292
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	199
TOTAL		11,129

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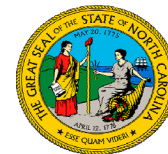


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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 PAMLICO			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 PAMLICO			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 PAMLICO		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Fall - Unintentional	5	1	Fall - Unintentional	82	1	Fall - Unintentional	910
2	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	3	2	MVT - Unintentional	11	2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	141
3	Poisoning - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	2	3	Poisoning - Unintentional	6	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	119
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Machinery - Unintentional; Firearm - Legal Intervention	1	4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	4	4	MVT - Unintentional	91
5			5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	3	5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	78
TOTAL		26	TOTAL		118	TOTAL		1,539

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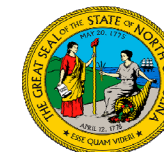


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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 PASQUOTANK			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 PASQUOTANK			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 PASQUOTANK		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	7	1	Fall - Unintentional	252	1	Fall - Unintentional	3,099
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	3	2	Unspecified - Unintentional	10	2	Unspecified - Unintentional	674
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2	3	Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	9	3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	495
4	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/NEC - Undetermined; Firearm - Assault; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	4	Overexertion - Unintentional	6	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	437
5			5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	4	5	MVT - Unintentional	285
TOTAL		30	TOTAL		298	TOTAL		5,517

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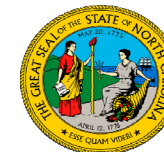
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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 PENDER		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	46
2	MVT - Unintentional	14
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	11
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	3
5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Unspecified - Assault; Poisoning - Undetermined; Poisoning - Self- Inflicted; Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional; Other Specified/NEC - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	1
TOTAL		85

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 PENDER		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	640
2	MVT - Unintentional	55
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	40
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	17
5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional	11
TOTAL		803

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 PENDER		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,553
2	Fall - Unintentional	2,909
3	MVT - Unintentional	402
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	199
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	84
TOTAL		7,344

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 PERQUIMANS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	12
2	MVT - Unintentional	3
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Self- Inflicted	2
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Other Specified/NEC - Unintentional	1
5		
TOTAL		25

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 PERQUIMANS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	139
2	Overexertion - Unintentional	7
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	6
4	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	5
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	4
TOTAL		161

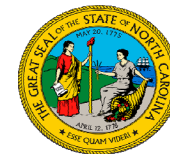
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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,208
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	251
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	229
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	158
5	MVT - Unintentional	83
TOTAL		2,136

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 PERSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	28
2	MVT - Unintentional	9
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	8
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	5
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	3
TOTAL		64

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 PERSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	470
2	MVT - Unintentional	42
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	24
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	23
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	13
TOTAL		602

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 PERSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,540
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	995
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	331
4	MVT - Unintentional	264
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	192
TOTAL		4,706

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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	104
2	MVT - Unintentional	34
3	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	12
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	9
5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	6
TOTAL		209

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 PITT		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,391
2	MVT - Unintentional	135
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	104
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	58
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	48
TOTAL		1,825

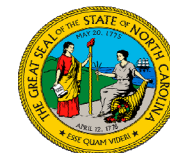
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 PITT		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	7,067
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,398
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,112
4	MVT - Unintentional	1,009
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	449
TOTAL		12,043

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 POLK		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	28
2	MVT - Unintentional	9
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Unintentional	3
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	2
5	Unspecified - Assault; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1
TOTAL		52

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 POLK		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	345
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	13
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	10
4	MVT - Unintentional	6
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Overexertion - Unintentional	5
TOTAL		386

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 POLK		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,048
2	Fall - Unintentional	1,283
3	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	137
4	MVT - Unintentional	79
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	76
TOTAL		3,744

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 RANDOLPH		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	175
2	MVT - Unintentional	34
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	22
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	15
5	Suffocation - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	7
TOTAL		292

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 RANDOLPH		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,660
2	MVT - Unintentional	121
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	72
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	70
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	52
TOTAL		2,084

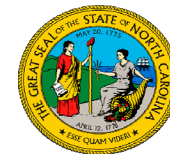
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 RANDOLPH		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	8,436
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,084
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,211
4	MVT - Unintentional	733
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	458
TOTAL		13,947

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 RICHMOND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	18
2	MVT - Unintentional	8
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	7
4	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	3
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	2
TOTAL		48

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 RICHMOND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	403
2	MVT - Unintentional	37
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	27
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	26
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	9
TOTAL		536

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 RICHMOND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	3,255
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,641
3	MVT - Unintentional	314
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	179
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	109
TOTAL		6,757

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 ROBESON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	44
2	MVT - Unintentional	40
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	22
4	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	13
5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	7
TOTAL		162

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 ROBESON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,064
2	MVT - Unintentional	108
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	96
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	47
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	44
TOTAL		1,455

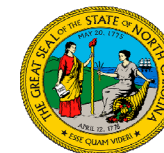
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 ROBESON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	7,053
2	Fall - Unintentional	4,585
3	MVT - Unintentional	742
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	268
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	231
TOTAL		13,389

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 ROCKINGHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	99
2	MVT - Unintentional	20
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	18
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	9
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	6
TOTAL		191

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 ROCKINGHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,199
2	MVT - Unintentional	71
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	66
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	32
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	24
TOTAL		1,477

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 ROCKINGHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	7,145
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,596
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	746
4	MVT - Unintentional	576
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	409
TOTAL		11,716

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 ROWAN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	131
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	28
3	MVT - Unintentional	23
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	21
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	13
TOTAL		252

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 ROWAN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,756
2	MVT - Unintentional	134
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	80
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	61
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	56
TOTAL		2,182

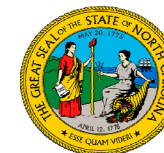
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 ROWAN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	5,982
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	4,946
3	MVT - Unintentional	685
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	342
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	296
TOTAL		13,103

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 RUTHERFORD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	54
2	MVT - Unintentional	21
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	16
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	12
5	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	10
TOTAL		128

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 RUTHERFORD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	778
2	MVT - Unintentional	43
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	39
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	35
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	27
TOTAL		961

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 RUTHERFORD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	4,970
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,220
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	613
4	MVT - Unintentional	447
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	399
TOTAL		8,772

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 SAMPSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	43
2	MVT - Unintentional	16
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	10
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	6
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	5
TOTAL		93

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 SAMPSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	650
2	MVT - Unintentional	68
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	49
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	35
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	14
TOTAL		864

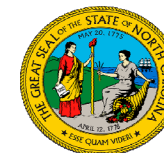
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 SAMPSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	3,531
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,521
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	859
4	MVT - Unintentional	435
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	225
TOTAL		7,289

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 SCOTLAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	13
2	MVT - Unintentional	8
3	Suffocation - Unintentional	6
4	Firearm - Assault	5
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	3
TOTAL		44

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 SCOTLAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	352
2	MVT - Unintentional	30
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	25
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	21
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	17
TOTAL		463

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 SCOTLAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,389
2	Fall - Unintentional	1,547
3	MVT - Unintentional	274
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	108
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	68
TOTAL		4,527

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 STANLY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	47
2	MVT - Unintentional	16
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	15
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	6
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	5
TOTAL		106

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 STANLY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	857
2	MVT - Unintentional	64
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	38
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	31
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	14
TOTAL		1,073

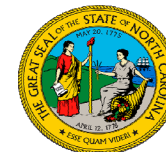
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 STANLY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	5,016
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,030
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	688
4	MVT - Unintentional	427
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	355
TOTAL		8,273

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 STOKES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	58
2	MVT - Unintentional	15
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	12
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	6
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	5
TOTAL		120

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 STOKES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	640
2	MVT - Unintentional	46
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	32
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	30
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	21
TOTAL		822

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 STOKES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,192
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,792
3	MVT - Unintentional	150
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	122
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	103
TOTAL		4,616

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 SURRY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	100
2	MVT - Unintentional	16
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	15
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	10
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	9
TOTAL		168

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 SURRY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,084
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	78
3	MVT - Unintentional	68
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	45
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	38
TOTAL		1,380

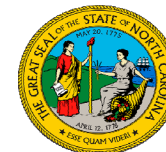
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 SURRY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	6,155
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,742
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,035
4	MVT - Unintentional	481
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	328
TOTAL		10,862

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 SWAIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	8
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	5
3	MVT - Unintentional	4
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	3
5	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted	2
TOTAL		29

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 SWAIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	198
2	MVT - Unintentional	22
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	21
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	11
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Undetermined; Overexertion - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	4
TOTAL		267

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 SWAIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,126
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	348
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	201
4	MVT - Unintentional	107
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	92
TOTAL		2,101

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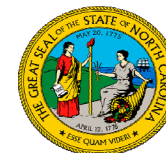
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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 TRANSYLVANIA		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	75
2	MVT - Unintentional	9
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	4
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional	2
5	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Pedestrian Other - Unintentional; Fall - Self-Inflicted; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
TOTAL		102

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 TRANSYLVANIA		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	678
2	MVT - Unintentional	38
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	23
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	15
5	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	7
TOTAL		804

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 TRANSYLVANIA		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	4,027
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	676
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	597
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	322
5	MVT - Unintentional	246
TOTAL		6,619

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 TYRRELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2
2	MVT - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1
3		
4		
5		
TOTAL		4

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 TYRRELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	42
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	4
3	MVT - Unintentional	3
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	2
5	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Overexertion - Unintentional; Machinery - Unintentional	1
TOTAL		53

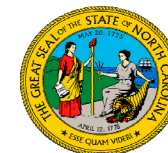
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 TYRRELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	275
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	79
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	64
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	16
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	10
TOTAL		496

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 UNION		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	107
2	MVT - Unintentional	25
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	20
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	8
5	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	4
TOTAL		189

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 UNION		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,843
2	MVT - Unintentional	120
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	78
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	76
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	74
TOTAL		2,294

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 UNION		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	10,246
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,569
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,032
4	MVT - Unintentional	972
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	588
TOTAL		17,912

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 VANCE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	23
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	14
3	MVT - Unintentional	9
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	7
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	4
TOTAL		65

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 VANCE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	390
2	MVT - Unintentional	36
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	19
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	15
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	12
TOTAL		503

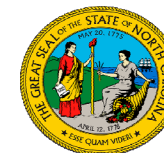
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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,784
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,595
3	MVT - Unintentional	279
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	228
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	149
TOTAL		4,446

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 WAKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	691
2	MVT - Unintentional	85
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	60
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	43
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	41
TOTAL		1,054

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 WAKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	7,805
2	MVT - Unintentional	454
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	335
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	266
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	179
TOTAL		9,450

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 WAKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	35,417
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	29,573
3	MVT - Unintentional	3,965
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	1,367
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	1,111
TOTAL		74,065

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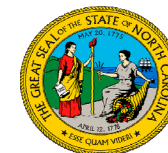
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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 WARREN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	11
2	MVT - Unintentional	10
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	6
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	4
5	Unspecified - Assault; Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Pedestrian Other - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Self-Inflicted	1
TOTAL		39

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 WARREN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	182
2	MVT - Unintentional	24
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	9
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	7
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	6
TOTAL		245

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 WARREN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	727
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	564
3	MVT - Unintentional	91
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	86
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	60
TOTAL		1,645

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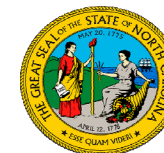
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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 WASHINGTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	10
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	5
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	4
4	Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Specified/NEC - Unintentional	2
5	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
TOTAL		28

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 WASHINGTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	115
2	MVT - Unintentional	13
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	5
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	4
5	Suffocation - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	2
TOTAL		147

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 WASHINGTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	642
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	160
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	113
4	MVT - Unintentional	74
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	44
TOTAL		1,149

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 WATAUGA		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	28
2	MVT - Unintentional	9
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	6
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional	2
5	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Transport - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Self-Inflicted	1
TOTAL		60

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 WATAUGA		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	411
2	MVT - Unintentional	23
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	22
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	11
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	10
TOTAL		505

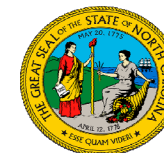
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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,680
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	673
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	368
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	267
5	MVT - Unintentional	200
TOTAL		4,843

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 WAYNE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	116
2	MVT - Unintentional	27
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	18
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	11
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	10
TOTAL		206

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 WAYNE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,111
2	MVT - Unintentional	89
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	52
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	33
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	27
TOTAL		1,391

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 WAYNE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	6,656
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,389
3	MVT - Unintentional	942
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	680
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	242
TOTAL		12,797

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 WILKES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	71
2	MVT - Unintentional	22
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	10
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	4
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	3
TOTAL		130

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 WILKES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	966
2	Poisoning - Unintentional	55
3	MVT - Unintentional	51
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	33
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	26
TOTAL		1,187

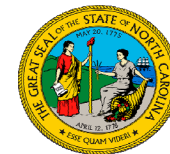
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 WILKES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	6,498
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,615
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	919
4	MVT - Unintentional	479
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	330
TOTAL		10,692

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 WILSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	42
2	MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	13
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	12
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	8
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	5
TOTAL		108

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 WILSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	810
2	MVT - Unintentional	58
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	43
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	14
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	13
TOTAL		1,001

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 WILSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	5,021
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,469
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,052
4	MVT - Unintentional	737
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	234
TOTAL		9,272

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 YADKIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	46
2	MVT - Unintentional	13
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	10
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	6
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	5
TOTAL		89

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 YADKIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	479
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	42
3	MVT - Unintentional	33
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	21
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	17
TOTAL		620

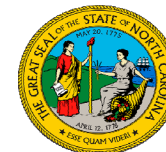
Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 YADKIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,032
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	916
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	170
4	MVT - Unintentional	158
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	110
TOTAL		3,683

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2019 to 2023 YANCEY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	24
2	MVT - Unintentional	8
3	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	4
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	2
5	Suffocation - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	1
TOTAL		50

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2019 to 2023 YANCEY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	367
2	MVT - Unintentional	28
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	16
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	13
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	10
TOTAL		452

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2019 to 2023 YANCEY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,967
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	265
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	232
4	MVT - Unintentional	138
5	Overexertion - Unintentional	108
TOTAL		3,079

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