



**Deaths, Hospitalizations and ED Visits by Gender, Age and Race
North Carolina: 2018 to 2022 due to Firearm Injury
Injury Intent: Unintentional**

	Deaths		Hospitalizations		ED Visits	
	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate
Gender						
Female	31	0.1	481	1.8	2,145	8.0
Male	137	0.5	3,053	11.9	12,648	49.3
Unknown		-	6	-	363	-
All	168	0.3	3,540	6.7	15,156	28.8
Race						
Hispanic	7	0.1 ¹	219	4.0	728	13.3
White-NH	85	0.3	777	2.4	4,400	13.5
Black-NH	67	0.6	2,300	20.6	8,760	78.5
American Indian-NH	3	*	72	12.8	280	49.7
Asian-NH	5	0.3 ¹	12	0.7	53	3.1
Multi-NH	1	*	73	6.7	442	40.7
Unknown		-	87	-	493	-
All	168	0.3	3,540	6.7	15,156	28.8
Age						
00-14	27	0.3	158	1.7	581	6.1
15-24	41	0.6	1,340	19.2	5,296	75.7
25-34	34	0.5	1,035	14.7	4,184	59.2
35-44	19	0.3	479	7.2	2,044	30.9
45-54	11	0.2	286	4.2	1,160	17.1
55-64	21	0.3	137	2.0	652	9.6
65-84	14	0.2	98	1.2	495	6.3
>=85	1	*	<5	*	219	24.5
Unknown		-	<5	-	525	-
All	168	0.3	3,540	6.7	15,156	28.8

Rates per 100,000. 2024 rates based on 2023 population estimates. NH=Non-Hispanic

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

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

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

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

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