



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

	Deaths		Hospitalizations		ED Visits	
	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate
Gender						
Female	637	2.4	98	0.4	55	0.2
Male	3,817	14.9	482	1.9	275	1.1
Unknown		-	5	-	7	-
All	4,454	8.5	585	1.1	337	0.6
Race						
Hispanic	151	2.7	17	0.3	15	0.3
White-NH	3,694	11.3	414	1.3	233	0.7
Black-NH	494	4.4	102	0.9	55	0.5
American Indian-NH	41	7.3	7	1.2 ¹	<5	*
Asian-NH	50	2.9	<5	*		
Multi-NH	22	2.0	13	1.2	16	1.5
Unknown	2	-	28	-	16	-
All	4,454	8.5	585	1.1	337	0.6
Age						
00-14	45	0.5	17	0.2	12	0.1
15-24	601	8.6	97	1.4	74	1.1
25-34	664	9.4	113	1.6	65	0.9
35-44	568	8.6	93	1.4	55	0.8
45-54	674	9.9	94	1.4	32	0.5
55-64	741	10.9	79	1.2	23	0.3
65-84	1,005	12.7	77	1.0	46	0.6
>=85	156	17.5	10	1.1	19	2.1
Unknown		-	5	-	11	-
All	4,454	8.5	585	1.1	337	0.6

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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