



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

	Deaths		Hospitalizations		ED Visits	
	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate
Gender						
Female	1,260	4.7	948	3.5	2,655	9.9
Male	6,944	27.0	5,983	23.3	15,618	60.8
Unknown		-	41	-	441	-
All	8,204	15.6	6,972	13.3	18,715	35.6
Race						
Hispanic	401	7.3	400	7.3	892	16.2
White-NH	4,590	14.1	1,677	5.1	5,377	16.5
Black-NH	2,914	26.1	4,397	39.4	10,930	98.0
American Indian-NH	155	27.5	142	25.2	302	53.7
Asian-NH	77	4.5	29	1.7	62	3.6
Multi-NH	62	5.7	150	13.8	551	50.7
Unknown	5	-	177	-	601	-
All	8,204	15.6	6,972	13.3	18,715	35.6
Age						
00-14	148	1.6	267	2.8	675	7.1
15-24	1,758	25.1	2,400	34.3	6,580	94.0
25-34	1,814	25.7	2,058	29.1	5,258	74.4
35-44	1,157	17.5	1,048	15.9	2,599	39.3
45-54	1,049	15.4	621	9.1	1,422	20.9
55-64	973	14.3	319	4.7	769	11.3
65-84	1,139	14.4	211	2.7	573	7.3
>=85	166	18.6	18	2.0	253	28.4
Unknown		-	30	-	586	-
All	8,204	15.6	6,972	13.3	18,715	35.6

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

* Rate suppressed for count 1-4. † 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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