



**Deaths, Hospitalizations and ED Visits by Gender, Age and Race
North Carolina: 2017 to 2021 due to Firearm Injury
Injury Intent: Assault**

	Deaths		Hospitalizations		ED Visits	
	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate
Gender						
Female	516	1.9	333	1.2	492	1.8
Male	2,653	10.4	2,321	9.1	3,232	12.7
Unknown		-	37	-	61	-
All	3,169	6.1	2,691	5.2	3,786	7.3
Race						
Hispanic	189	3.7	148	2.9	180	3.5
White-NH	703	2.2	441	1.4	878	2.7
Black-NH	2,119	19.1	1,925	17.3	2,438	21.9
American Indian-NH	95	16.7	56	9.8	55	9.7
Asian-NH	23	1.4	11	0.7	14	0.8
Multi-NH	36	3.4	52	5.0	120	11.4
Unknown	4	-	58	-	101	-
All	3,169	6.1	2,691	5.2	3,786	7.3
Age						
00-14	64	0.7	64	0.7	86	0.9
15-24	986	14.1	908	13.0	1,443	20.6
25-34	998	14.3	866	12.4	1,210	17.3
35-44	514	7.9	457	7.0	562	8.6
45-54	302	4.4	233	3.4	276	4.0
55-64	182	2.7	94	1.4	103	1.5
65-84	113	1.5	35	0.5	36	0.5
>=85	10	1.1	5	0.5 ¹	54	5.8
Unknown		-	29	-	16	-
All	3,169	6.1	2,691	5.2	3,786	7.3

Rates per 100,000. 2023 rates based on 2022 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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