



**Deaths, Hospitalizations and ED Visits by Gender, Age and Race  
North Carolina: 2017 to 2020 due to Firearm Injury  
Injury Intent: All**

	Deaths		Hospitalizations		ED Visits	
	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate
<b>Gender</b>						
Female	893	4.2	673	3.1	1,904	8.9
Male	5,078	25.0	4,558	22.4	12,280	60.5
Unknown		-	55	-	167	-
All	5,971	14.3	5,286	12.7	14,351	34.4
<b>Race</b>						
Hispanic	234	5.8	264	6.5	704	17.4
White-NH	3,579	13.5	1,360	5.1	4,407	16.6
Black-NH	1,964	21.3	3,266	35.4	8,228	89.1
American Indian-NH	95	19.2	117	23.6	225	45.4
Asian-NH	57	4.1	22	1.6	49	3.5
Other-NH	39	-	119	-	480	-
Unknown	3	-	138	-	258	-
All	5,971	14.3	5,286	12.7	14,351	34.4
<b>Age</b>						
00-14	101	1.3	159	2.1	458	6.0
15-24	1,168	21.1	1,764	31.8	5,156	93.1
25-34	1,295	23.1	1,575	28.0	4,167	74.2
35-44	881	16.9	793	15.2	2,034	39.1
45-54	794	14.5	504	9.2	1,172	21.4
55-64	750	13.9	256	4.7	587	10.9
65-84	858	14.0	179	2.9	464	7.6
>=85	124	16.5	12	1.6	284	37.8
Unknown		-	44	-	29	-
All	5,971	14.3	5,286	12.7	14,351	34.4

Rates are reported per 100,000. NH=Non-Hispanic. Caution: Race classifications changed in July 2020 for all data years.

\* Rate suppressed for Count from 1 to 4. <sup>1</sup> Rate should be interpreted with caution, Count from 5 to 10.

Multiple injuries can be identified for the same individual in the hospitalization and ED visit data, therefore injury categories are not mutually exclusive and do not sum to the total number of injuries.

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For more info explaining this data: <https://www.injuryfreenc.ncdhhs.gov/DataSurveillance/Technical-Notes.pdf>