

Deaths, Hospitalizations and ED Visits by Gender, Age and Race North Carolina: 2019 to 2023 Firearm Injury Injury Intent: Assault

	Deaths		Hospitalizations		ED Visits	
	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate
Gender						
Female	613	2.3	343	1.3	476	1.8
Male	3,054	11.8	2,252	8.7	2,795	10.8
Unknown		-	19	-	58	-
All	3,667	6.9	2,614	4.9	3,330	6.3
Race						
Hispanic	268	4.7	169	2.9	158	2.8
White-NH	746	2.3	402	1.2	694	2.1
Black-NH	2,455	21.9	1,868	16.7	2,247	20.0
American Indian-NH	118	21.2	58	10.4	20	3.6
Asian-NH	27	1.5	13	0.7	8	0.4 ¹
Multi-NH	48	4.3	52	4.6	92	8.1
Unknown	5	-	52	-	111	-
All	3,667	6.9	2,614	4.9	3,330	6.3
Age						
00-14	85	0.9	79	0.8	103	1.1
15-24	1,161	16.4	917	13.0	1,225	17.3
25-34	1,109	15.6	806	11.3	1,019	14.3
35-44	608	9.1	445	6.6	497	7.4
45-54	363	5.4	208	3.1	221	3.3
55-64	221	3.2	104	1.5	114	1.7
65-84	110	1.4	36	0.4	23	0.3
>=85	10	1.1	<5	*	20	2.3
Unknown		-	17	-	108	-
All	3,667	6.9	2,614	4.9	3,330	6.3

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

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