

**Top 5 Leading Causes of Injury Death, Hospitalization, and Emergency Department Visits by County  
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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 ALAMANCE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	10
2	Firearm - Assault	6
3	Suffocation - Unintentional	5
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	2
5	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/NEC - Undetermined; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Fall - Self-Inflicted; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>29</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 ALAMANCE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	64
2	Fall - Unintentional	47
3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	37
4	MVT - Unintentional	34
5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	32
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>286</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 ALAMANCE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	3,286
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,356
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,305
4	MVT - Unintentional	1,273
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	909
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>12,807</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 ALEXANDER		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	4
2	Firearm - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 ALEXANDER		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	10
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	9
3	Fall - Unintentional	7
4	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	6
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>54</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 ALEXANDER		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	550
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	407
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	258
4	MVT - Unintentional	223
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	216
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,260</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1	1	Fall - Unintentional	4	1	Fall - Unintentional	384
2			2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	2	2	Unspecified - Unintentional	301
3			3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1	3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	241
4			4			4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	240
5			5			5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	140
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>11</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,607</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	4	1	MVT - Unintentional	7	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,125
2	Firearm - Assault	2	2	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	4	2	Fall - Unintentional	582
3	Unspecified - Undetermined; Firearm - Unintentional	1	3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	2	3	MVT - Unintentional	334
4			4	Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	1	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	265
5			5			5	Unspecified - Unintentional	211
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>8</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>24</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,306</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 ASHE			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 ASHE			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 ASHE		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	2	1	Fall - Unintentional	5	1	Fall - Unintentional	701
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1	2	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	4	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	455
3			3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	3	3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	333
4			4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Assault; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	1	4	Unspecified - Unintentional	200
5			5			5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	190
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>27</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,629</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 AVERY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	1
2		
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 AVERY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	2
2	Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	1
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>13</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 AVERY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	442
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	267
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	210
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	158
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	108
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,623</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 BEAUFORT		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	4
2	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted	2
3	Unspecified - Assault; Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>10</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 BEAUFORT		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	19
2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	15
3	Fall - Unintentional	11
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	9
5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>76</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 BEAUFORT		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,028
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	576
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	509
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	498
5	MVT - Unintentional	473
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4,127</b>

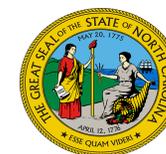
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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	3	1	Poisoning - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	6	1	Fall - Unintentional	505
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	1	2	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	4	2	Unspecified - Unintentional	341
3			3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	2	3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	286
4			4	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Overexertion - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Firearm - Assault; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	1	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	272
5			5			5	MVT - Unintentional	237
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>26</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,207</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	4	1	Poisoning - Unintentional	12	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,780
2	Poisoning - Unintentional	3	2	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	11	2	Fall - Unintentional	366
3	Firearm - Assault	2	3	MVT - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	10	3	MVT - Unintentional	224
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Pedestrian Other - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1	4	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	6	4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	162
5			5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	5	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	131
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>76</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,098</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Suffocation - Unintentional	4	1	Fall - Unintentional	32	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	4,350
2	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; MVT - Unintentional	2	2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	25	2	Fall - Unintentional	775
3	Other Specified/NEC - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Assault; Fall - Unintentional	1	3	MVT - Unintentional	24	3	MVT - Unintentional	518
4			4	Poisoning - Unintentional	19	4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	397
5			5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	13	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	299
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>173</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7,178</b>

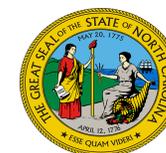
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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted	8	1	Fall - Unintentional	81	1	Fall - Unintentional	4,522
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	3	2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	72	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,628
3	MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional; Firearm - Self- Inflicted	2	3	MVT - Unintentional	59	3	MVT - Unintentional	1,039
4	Unspecified - Assault; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/NEC - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	1	4	Poisoning - Unintentional	44	4	Unspecified - Unintentional	873
5			5	Unspecified - Unintentional	24	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	868
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>29</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>347</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>12,697</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	3	1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	30	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,182
2	Unspecified - Assault	2	2	MVT - Unintentional	23	2	Fall - Unintentional	1,518
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	3	Fall - Unintentional	20	3	MVT - Unintentional	645
4			4	Poisoning - Unintentional	14	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	570
5			5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	11	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	390
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>14</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>119</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6,798</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	9	1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	103	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	5,218
2	Suffocation - Unintentional	7	2	Fall - Unintentional	53	2	Fall - Unintentional	5,116
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	5	3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	49	3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	2,076
4	Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	3	4	MVT - Unintentional	40	4	MVT - Unintentional	1,712
5	Pedestrian Other - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	2	5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	30	5	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,501
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>35</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>373</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>20,309</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 CALDWELL		
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1	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	4
2	Suffocation - Unintentional	3
3	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	2
4	Suffocation - Undetermined; Poisoning - Assault; Pedestrian Other - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional	1
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>17</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CALDWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	25
2	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	24
3	Fall - Unintentional	18
4	MVT - Unintentional	14
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	12
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>127</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 CALDWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,525
2	Fall - Unintentional	1,240
3	MVT - Unintentional	542
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	405
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	404
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7,384</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 CAMDEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	1
2		
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CAMDEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	*
2		
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>*</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 CAMDEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	272
2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	230
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	126
4	Overexertion - Unintentional	90
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	76
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,065</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 CARTERET		
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1	Other Transport - Unintentional	4
2	Suffocation - Unintentional	2
3	Unspecified - Assault; Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>10</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CARTERET		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	19
2	Fall - Unintentional	17
3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	9
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	8
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	7
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>84</b>

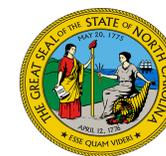
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Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,401
2	Fall - Unintentional	528
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	197
4	MVT - Unintentional	161
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	146
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,022</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 CASWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	4
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CASWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	8
2	Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	7
3	MVT - Unintentional	6
4	Fall - Unintentional	5
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>36</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 CASWELL		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	204
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	145
3	MVT - Unintentional	88
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	86
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	81
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>850</b>

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1	MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	5
2	Poisoning - Unintentional	4
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2
4	Poisoning - Assault; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional	1
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>24</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CATAWBA		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	45
2	Fall - Unintentional	41
3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	31
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	27
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	20
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>206</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 CATAWBA		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,137
2	Fall - Unintentional	2,511
3	MVT - Unintentional	1,163
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,113
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	804
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>11,729</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 CHATHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	8
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	4
3	Suffocation - Undetermined	2
4	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Land Transport - Unintentional	1
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>17</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CHATHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	29
2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	22
3	Fall - Unintentional	18
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	15
5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	14
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>122</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 CHATHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,901
2	Fall - Unintentional	430
3	MVT - Unintentional	300
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	231
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	191
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,518</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 CHEROKEE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	3
2	Drowning/Submersion - Assault	2
3	Other Land Transport - Undetermined	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CHEROKEE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	*
2	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	*
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>*</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 CHEROKEE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	229
2	Fall - Unintentional	102
3	MVT - Unintentional	56
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	47
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	38
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>602</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 CHOWAN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	1
2		
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CHOWAN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	4
2	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>9</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 CHOWAN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	394
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	282
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	241
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	209
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	129
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,701</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 CLAY			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CLAY			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 CLAY		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1	1	Fall - Unintentional	*	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	54
2			2			2	Fall - Unintentional	30
3			3			3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	12
4			4			4	Overexertion - Unintentional	8
5			5			5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	7
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>*</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>147</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 CLEVELAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	6
2	Firearm - Assault	5
3	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	4
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	2
5	Suffocation - Undetermined; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>24</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CLEVELAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	38
2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	30
3	Fall - Unintentional	21
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	20
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	16
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>158</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 CLEVELAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,413
2	Fall - Unintentional	2,879
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,383
4	MVT - Unintentional	1,280
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	943
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>13,251</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 COLUMBUS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	5
2	Firearm - Assault	4
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Undetermined	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>11</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 COLUMBUS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	23
2	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	20
3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	15
4	Fall - Unintentional	12
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	10
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>111</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 COLUMBUS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	870
2	Fall - Unintentional	834
3	MVT - Unintentional	449
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	343
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	323
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,947</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 CRAVEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	4
2	MVT - Unintentional	3
3	Unspecified - Undetermined; Unspecified - Assault; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Undetermined; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>17</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CRAVEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	34
2	Poisoning - Unintentional	23
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Fall - Unintentional	21
4	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	20
5	MVT - Unintentional	15
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>164</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 CRAVEN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	2,341
2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,324
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	961
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	947
5	MVT - Unintentional	652
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>8,880</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 CUMBERLAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	16
2	MVT - Unintentional	14
3	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	12
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	11
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	10
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>107</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CUMBERLAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	161
2	Fall - Unintentional	135
3	MVT - Unintentional	120
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	112
5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	83
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>839</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 CUMBERLAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	17,924
2	Fall - Unintentional	2,595
3	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	1,747
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	1,547
5	MVT - Unintentional	1,438
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>28,931</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 CURRITUCK		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Undetermined; MVT - Unintentional	1
2		
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 CURRITUCK		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Struck By/Against - Undetermined; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	*
2		
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>*</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 CURRITUCK		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	294
2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	191
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	132
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	91
5	Overexertion - Unintentional	71
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,049</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 DARE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	3
2	MVT - Unintentional	2
3	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 DARE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	3
2	Poisoning - Undetermined; Other Transport - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	1
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 DARE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	497
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	338
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	274
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	271
5	MVT - Unintentional	139
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,007</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 DAVIDSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	9
2	Suffocation - Unintentional	5
3	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	4
4	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	3
5	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>32</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 DAVIDSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	54
2	Fall - Unintentional	47
3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	46
4	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	44
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	30
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>273</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 DAVIDSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	5,476
2	Fall - Unintentional	2,957
3	MVT - Unintentional	1,325
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,138
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,091
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>15,038</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 DAVIE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	3
2	MVT - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	2
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 DAVIE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Fall - Unintentional	18
2	Poisoning - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	10
3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	9
4	MVT - Unintentional	7
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>76</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 DAVIE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,034
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	856
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	512
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	428
5	MVT - Unintentional	282
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,987</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 DUPLIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	7
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	2
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>11</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 DUPLIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	28
2	MVT - Unintentional	24
3	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	18
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	9
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	8
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>129</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 DUPLIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,625
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,547
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	992
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	771
5	MVT - Unintentional	720
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7,251</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 DURHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	20
2	MVT - Unintentional	10
3	Suffocation - Unintentional	7
4	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	6
5	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>60</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 DURHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	138
2	Fall - Unintentional	91
3	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	65
4	MVT - Unintentional	61
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	51
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>589</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 DURHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	8,509
2	Fall - Unintentional	2,254
3	MVT - Unintentional	1,923
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	968
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	680
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>16,317</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 EDGECOMBE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	7
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	3
3	Other Land Transport - Unintentional	2
4	Unspecified - Undetermined; Unspecified - Assault; Poisoning - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>20</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 EDGECOMBE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	20
2	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	15
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	13
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	10
5	Fall - Unintentional	9
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>106</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 EDGECOMBE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,472
2	Fall - Unintentional	990
3	MVT - Unintentional	672
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	522
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	360
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5,261</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 FORSYTH		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	17
2	MVT - Unintentional	14
3	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	6
4	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	4
5	Suffocation - Unintentional	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>66</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 FORSYTH		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	157
2	MVT - Unintentional	124
3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	121
4	Fall - Unintentional	107
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	77
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>731</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 FORSYTH		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	9,095
2	Fall - Unintentional	6,977
3	MVT - Unintentional	3,382
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	3,158
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	2,642
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>31,801</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 FRANKLIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	7
2	Pedestrian Other - Unintentional	3
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Suffocation - Assault; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Firearm - Self- Inflicted	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>15</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 FRANKLIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	22
2	MVT - Unintentional	19
3	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	16
4	Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	13
5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	10
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>120</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 FRANKLIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,295
2	Fall - Unintentional	721
3	MVT - Unintentional	514
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	297
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	277
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5,200</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 GASTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	8
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	7
3	MVT - Unintentional	6
4	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	5
5	Poisoning - Undetermined; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>47</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 GASTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	83
2	MVT - Unintentional	59
3	Fall - Unintentional	42
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	40
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	30
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>331</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 GASTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	10,999
2	Fall - Unintentional	2,516
3	MVT - Unintentional	2,110
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	1,175
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	1,032
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>20,838</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	2	1	Other Land Transport - Unintentional	*	1	Fall - Unintentional	102
2	Firearm - Undetermined; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	2			2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	88
3			3			3	Unspecified - Unintentional	81
4			4			4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	65
5			5			5	Overexertion - Unintentional	52
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>*</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>539</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death GRAHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1		0
2		0
3		0
4		0
5		0
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>0</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 GRAHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	4
2	Unspecified - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Assault; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	1
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>8</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 GRAHAM		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	225
2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	112
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	92
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	46
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	45
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>704</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 GRANVILLE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	6
2	Firearm - Assault	2
3	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>9</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 GRANVILLE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	27
2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	23
3	Fall - Unintentional	22
4	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	19
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	10
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>143</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 GRANVILLE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,020
2	Fall - Unintentional	785
3	MVT - Unintentional	414
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	370
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	310
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,973</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 GREENE			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 GREENE			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 GREENE		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Pedestrian Other - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	1	1	Poisoning - Unintentional	7	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	362
2			2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; MVT - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	6	2	Fall - Unintentional	229
3			3	Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	3	3	MVT - Unintentional	144
4			4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional	2	4	Unspecified - Unintentional	104
5			5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Fire/Burn - Undetermined	1	5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	93
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>39</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,223</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 GUILFORD			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 GUILFORD			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 GUILFORD		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	21	1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	182	1	Fall - Unintentional	11,984
2	MVT - Unintentional	12	2	Fall - Unintentional	122	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	5,382
3	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	5	3	MVT - Unintentional	121	3	MVT - Unintentional	4,335
4	Unspecified - Assault; Other Specified/NEC - Legal Intervention	4	4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	84	4	Unspecified - Unintentional	4,058
5	Suffocation - Undetermined; Firearm - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	3	5	Poisoning - Unintentional	73	5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,771
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>76</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>740</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>41,247</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 HALIFAX			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 HALIFAX			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 HALIFAX		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	6	1	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	12	1	Fall - Unintentional	885
2	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Undetermined; Firearm - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Assault	1	2	MVT - Unintentional	11	2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	812
3			3	Poisoning - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	8	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	627
4			4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	7	4	MVT - Unintentional	510
5			5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Unintentional	5	5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	426
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>18</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>71</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4,214</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 HARNETT			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 HARNETT			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 HARNETT		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	10	1	Fall - Unintentional	49	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	4,986
2	Firearm - Assault; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	4	2	MVT - Unintentional	48	2	Fall - Unintentional	1,822
3	Unspecified - Assault; Firearm - Self- Inflicted	3	3	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	36	3	MVT - Unintentional	982
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	2	4	Poisoning - Unintentional	34	4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	721
5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Assault	1	5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	33	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	685
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>29</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>276</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>11,851</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 HAYWOOD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	4
2	MVT - Unintentional	2
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Assault; Firearm - Unintentional	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>10</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 HAYWOOD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Fall - Unintentional	14
2	Poisoning - Unintentional	9
3	MVT - Unintentional	8
4	Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	5
5	Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>56</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 HAYWOOD		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,389
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	627
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	494
4	Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	298
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	254
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4,020</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 HENDERSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	5
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	4
3	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted	3
4	Suffocation - Unintentional	2
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Assault	1
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>18</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 HENDERSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	38
2	Fall - Unintentional	30
3	MVT - Unintentional	16
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	12
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	9
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>127</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 HENDERSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,245
2	Fall - Unintentional	1,528
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	506
4	MVT - Unintentional	462
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	359
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6,366</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 HERTFORD			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 HERTFORD			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 HERTFORD		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	3	1	Fall - Unintentional	7	1	Fall - Unintentional	517
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Other Transport - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	1	2	Firearm - Unintentional	6	2	Unspecified - Unintentional	422
3			3	MVT - Unintentional	5	3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	297
4			4	Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	2	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	292
5			5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	1	5	MVT - Unintentional	291
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>10</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>27</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,437</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 HOKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	4
2	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	3
3	Firearm - Assault	2
4	Poisoning - Unintentional; Pedestrian Other - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Firearm - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>14</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 HOKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	28
2	MVT - Unintentional	23
3	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	17
4	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	16
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	11
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>130</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 HOKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,699
2	Fall - Unintentional	634
3	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	359
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	273
5	MVT - Unintentional	254
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5,747</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 HYDE		
Rank	Cause	#
1		0
2		0
3		0
4		0
5		0
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>0</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 HYDE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	*
2	Other Land Transport - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	*
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>*</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 HYDE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	52
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	29
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	26
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	16
5	Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	11
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>183</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 IREDELL			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 IREDELL			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 IREDELL		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	7	1	MVT - Unintentional	57	1	Fall - Unintentional	4,395
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	6	2	Fall - Unintentional	39	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	2,007
3	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted	3	3	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	36	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,894
4	Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	2	4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	31	4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,794
5	Unspecified - Assault; Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Assault; Other Specified/NEC - Undetermined; Firearm - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional; Fall - Self-Inflicted	1	5	Unspecified - Unintentional	28	5	MVT - Unintentional	1,444
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>30</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>260</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>15,827</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 JACKSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	2
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Assault	1
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 JACKSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	11
2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	8
3	MVT - Unintentional	7
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	5
5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>45</b>

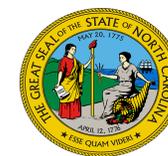
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Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	950
2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	493
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	460
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	210
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	208
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,180</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 JOHNSTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	13
2	Suffocation - Unintentional	6
3	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	5
4	Firearm - Assault	3
5	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>37</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 JOHNSTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	73
2	MVT - Unintentional	61
3	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	40
4	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	39
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	38
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>349</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 JOHNSTON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	8,610
2	Fall - Unintentional	1,936
3	MVT - Unintentional	1,706
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	823
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	822
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>15,959</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 JONES			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 JONES			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 JONES		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	2	1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	5	1	Fall - Unintentional	214
2			2	Poisoning - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	3	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	126
3			3	Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	2	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	95
4			4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Poisoning - Undetermined; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	1	4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	79
5			5			5	MVT - Unintentional	61
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>17</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>861</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 LEE			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 LEE			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 LEE		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	4	1	Fall - Unintentional	20	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,173
2	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	3	2	MVT - Unintentional	19	2	Fall - Unintentional	706
3	Suffocation - Unintentional	2	3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	15	3	MVT - Unintentional	545
4	Unspecified - Assault; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	4	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	9	4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	343
5			5	Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	4	5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	255
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>17</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>103</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5,846</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	6	1	MVT - Unintentional	15	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,608
2	MVT - Unintentional	3	2	Fall - Unintentional	14	2	Fall - Unintentional	924
3	Unspecified - Assault; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Firearm - Unintentional	2	3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	10	3	MVT - Unintentional	670
4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	9	4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	381
5			5	Poisoning - Unintentional	8	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	328
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>25</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>89</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6,016</b>

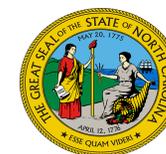
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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 LINCOLN			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 LINCOLN			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 LINCOLN		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	4	1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	19	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,391
2	MVT - Unintentional	3	2	Fall - Unintentional	18	2	Fall - Unintentional	1,885
3	Firearm - Assault	2	3	MVT - Unintentional	17	3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	737
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1	4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	9	4	MVT - Unintentional	625
5			5	Unspecified - Unintentional	8	5	Unspecified - Unintentional	520
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>14</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>104</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7,986</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 McDOWELL			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 McDOWELL			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 McDOWELL		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted	2	1	Fall - Unintentional	15	1	Fall - Unintentional	1,666
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Pedestrian Other - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1	2	MVT - Unintentional	14	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	681
3			3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	8	3	MVT - Unintentional	383
4			4	Unspecified - Unintentional	6	4	Unspecified - Unintentional	309
5			5	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	5	5	Overexertion - Unintentional	308
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>8</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>63</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4,796</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 MACON			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 MACON			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 MACON		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	2	1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; MVT - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	11	1	Fall - Unintentional	1,523
2	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Suffocation - Assault; Poisoning - Undetermined; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	3	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	747
3			3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional	2	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	355
4			4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Pedestrian Other - Unintentional; Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1	4	Overexertion - Unintentional	342
5			5			5	Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	315
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>45</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4,348</b>

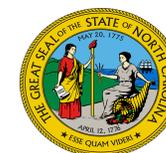
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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 MADISON			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 MADISON			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 MADISON		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	2	1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	6	1	Fall - Unintentional	409
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1	2	Fall - Unintentional	5	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	135
3			3	Poisoning - Unintentional	3	3	MVT - Unintentional	88
4			4	Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	2	4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	65
5			5	Unspecified - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Undetermined; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle- Nontraffic - Unintentional; Machinery - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	63
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>23</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,052</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 MARTIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	2
2	Unspecified - Assault	1
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 MARTIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	12
2	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	6
3	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	5
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	3
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>44</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 MARTIN		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	513
2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	322
3	MVT - Unintentional	223
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	185
5	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	174
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,001</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 MECKLENBURG		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	57
2	MVT - Unintentional	29
3	Suffocation - Unintentional	21
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	18
5	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	14
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>198</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 MECKLENBURG		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	394
2	Fall - Unintentional	269
3	MVT - Unintentional	266
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	242
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	181
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,820</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 MECKLENBURG		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	31,366
2	Fall - Unintentional	16,197
3	MVT - Unintentional	9,470
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	5,690
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	4,985
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>85,458</b>

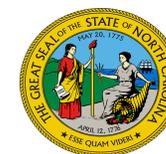
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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1		0	1	MVT - Unintentional	7	1	Fall - Unintentional	596
2		0	2	Unspecified - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Fall - Unintentional	2	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	250
3		0	3	Poisoning - Unintentional; Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	1	3	Overexertion - Unintentional	134
4		0	4			4	Unspecified - Unintentional	128
5		0	5			5	Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	110
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>14</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,641</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 MONTGOMERY			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 MONTGOMERY			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 MONTGOMERY		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Assault	1	1	MVT - Unintentional	21	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,715
2			2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Fall - Unintentional	6	2	Fall - Unintentional	298
3			3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	4	3	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	183
4			4	Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional	2	4	MVT - Unintentional	155
5			5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Assault; Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	1	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	102
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>50</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,703</b>

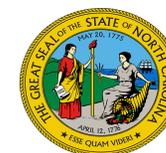
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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 MOORE			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 MOORE			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 MOORE		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	7	1	Fall - Unintentional	40	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,577
2	Suffocation - Undetermined	4	2	MVT - Unintentional	34	2	Fall - Unintentional	751
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	2	3	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	21	3	MVT - Unintentional	390
4	Unspecified - Assault; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Undetermined; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	19	4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	299
5			5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	17	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	269
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>21</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>189</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5,888</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Unspecified - Assault	5	1	MVT - Unintentional	29	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,580
2	MVT - Unintentional	3	2	Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	23	2	Fall - Unintentional	1,089
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Assault	2	3	Poisoning - Unintentional	18	3	MVT - Unintentional	1,030
4	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	4	Unspecified - Unintentional	17	4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	490
5			5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	15	5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	439
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>20</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>163</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7,952</b>

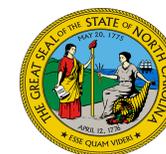
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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	5	1	Fall - Unintentional	76	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	7,408
2	Suffocation - Unintentional	4	2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	55	2	Fall - Unintentional	1,371
3	Unspecified - Assault; MVT - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	2	3	MVT - Unintentional	37	3	MVT - Unintentional	1,042
4	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Cut/Pierce - Assault	1	4	Poisoning - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	30	4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	485
5			5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	29	5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	434
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>20</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>340</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>11,724</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Suffocation - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	1	1	MVT - Unintentional	7	1	Fall - Unintentional	285
2			2	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	5	2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	216
3			3	Fall - Unintentional	4	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	208
4			4	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	3	4	MVT - Unintentional	174
5			5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2	5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	148
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>30</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,430</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Suffocation - Unintentional	7	1	Fall - Unintentional	62	1	Fall - Unintentional	3,916
2	Unspecified - Assault	6	2	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	56	2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,305
3	MVT - Unintentional	5	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	47	3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,968
4	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	4	4	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	45	4	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,601
5	Poisoning - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2	5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	36	5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	985
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>43</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>325</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>14,528</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 ORANGE			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 ORANGE			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 ORANGE		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	3	1	Fall - Unintentional	37	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,425
2	MVT - Unintentional	2	2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	35	2	Fall - Unintentional	1,013
3	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; MVT - Unintentional	28	3	MVT - Unintentional	503
4			4	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	20	4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	426
5			5	Unspecified - Unintentional	17	5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	325
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>8</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>191</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6,589</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	1	1	Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Fall - Unintentional	3	1	Fall - Unintentional	178
2			2	Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	2	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	141
3			3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; MVT - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1	3	Overexertion - Unintentional	84
4			4			4	Unspecified - Unintentional	72
5			5			5	MVT - Unintentional	59
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>772</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 PASQUOTANK			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 PASQUOTANK			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 PASQUOTANK		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	5	1	Unspecified - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Fall - Unintentional	1	1	Fall - Unintentional	1,213
2	MVT - Unintentional	3	2			2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	975
3	Unspecified - Assault; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1	3			3	Unspecified - Unintentional	631
4			4			4	Overexertion - Unintentional	377
5			5			5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	368
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>11</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4,956</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 PENDER			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 PENDER			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 PENDER		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	3	1	Fall - Unintentional	27	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	4,740
2	MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Assault	2	2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	19	2	Fall - Unintentional	636
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Suffocation - Assault; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional	1	3	MVT - Unintentional	17	3	MVT - Unintentional	474
4			4	Poisoning - Unintentional	15	4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	341
5			5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	11	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	258
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>14</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>151</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6,876</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 PERQUIMANS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	2
2	Other Land Transport - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	1
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 PERQUIMANS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	*
2	Other Land Transport - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded; Firearm - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	*
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 PERQUIMANS		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	345
2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	224
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	219
4	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	119
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	109
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,424</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 PERSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	5
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Undetermined; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Firearm - Assault	1
3		
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>10</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 PERSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	18
2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	14
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	11
4	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	9
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Fall - Unintentional	7
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>81</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 PERSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	714
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	554
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	510
4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	380
5	MVT - Unintentional	360
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,321</b>

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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	10	1	Fall - Unintentional	59	1	Fall - Unintentional	4,024
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	8	2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	43	2	Unspecified - Unintentional	2,479
3	Firearm - Self-Inflicted	4	3	MVT - Unintentional	36	3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,348
4	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2	4	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional	33	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,936
5	Unspecified - Assault; Suffocation - Assault; Poisoning - Undetermined; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Firearm - Undetermined; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	32	5	MVT - Unintentional	1,932
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>44</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>311</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>16,505</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 POLK			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 POLK			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 POLK		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Other Land Transport - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	1	1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	5	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	997
2			2	Fall - Unintentional	3	2	Fall - Unintentional	228
3			3	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Unintentional; Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional; Other Specified/NEC - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	1	3	MVT - Unintentional	71
4			4			4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	66
5			5			5	Poisoning - Unintentional	27
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>13</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,587</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 RANDOLPH			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 RANDOLPH			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 RANDOLPH		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	7	1	Fall - Unintentional	44	1	Fall - Unintentional	3,022
2	Suffocation - Undetermined; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	4	2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	37	2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,818
3	Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	3	3	MVT - Unintentional	35	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,557
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	2	4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	27	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,248
5	Unspecified - Assault; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Pedestrian Other - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Fall - Self- Inflicted	1	5	Unspecified - Unintentional	15	5	MVT - Unintentional	1,118
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>33</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>208</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>11,506</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 RICHMOND			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 RICHMOND			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 RICHMOND		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	5	1	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	26	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	3,837
2	MVT - Unintentional	3	2	MVT - Unintentional	21	2	Fall - Unintentional	661
3	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Undetermined	2	3	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	15	3	MVT - Unintentional	420
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Undetermined; Poisoning - Undetermined; Other Specified/NEC - Assault; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Assault	1	4	Poisoning - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	10	4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	352
5			5	Fall - Unintentional	9	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	224
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>21</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>107</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6,197</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 ROBESON			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 ROBESON			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 ROBESON		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	23	1	MVT - Unintentional	87	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	9,485
2	Firearm - Assault	10	2	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	57	2	MVT - Unintentional	1,522
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	4	3	Fall - Unintentional	55	3	Fall - Unintentional	1,405
4	Firearm - Unintentional	3	4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	34	4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	732
5	Firearm - Undetermined	2	5	Poisoning - Unintentional	24	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	730
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>54</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>384</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>15,346</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 ROCKINGHAM			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 ROCKINGHAM			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 ROCKINGHAM		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Assault	2	1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	23	1	Fall - Unintentional	2,148
2	Unspecified - Assault; Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Transport - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; MVT - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Undetermined; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	2	MVT - Unintentional	21	2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,630
3			3	Fall - Unintentional	20	3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	882
4			4	Poisoning - Unintentional	14	4	MVT - Unintentional	691
5			5	Unspecified - Unintentional	12	5	Unspecified - Unintentional	677
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>13</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>115</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>8,315</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 ROWAN			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 ROWAN			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 ROWAN		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	8	1	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	40	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	4,898
2	MVT - Unintentional	6	2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; MVT - Unintentional	34	2	Fall - Unintentional	2,075
3	Suffocation - Undetermined	4	3	Fall - Unintentional	29	3	MVT - Unintentional	1,113
4	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional	3	4	Poisoning - Unintentional	26	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	663
5	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	2	5	Unspecified - Unintentional	24	5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	639
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>35</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>211</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>11,781</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 RUTHERFORD			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 RUTHERFORD			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 RUTHERFORD		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Suffocation - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	3	1	Fall - Unintentional	17	1	Fall - Unintentional	2,234
2	Poisoning - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2	2	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; MVT - Unintentional	10	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,049
3	Unspecified - Undetermined; Firearm - Assault; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	3	Poisoning - Unintentional	9	3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,048
4			4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	7	4	Overexertion - Unintentional	593
5			5	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	5	5	MVT - Unintentional	582
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>13</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>77</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>8,201</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 SAMPSON			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 SAMPSON			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 SAMPSON		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	11	1	MVT - Unintentional	25	1	Fall - Unintentional	1,758
2	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Assault; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2	2	Poisoning - Unintentional	17	2	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,202
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	3	Fall - Unintentional	15	3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	983
4			4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	12	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	766
5			5	Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	11	5	MVT - Unintentional	672
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>22</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>116</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7,406</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 SCOTLAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Firearm - Assault	5
2	MVT - Unintentional	3
3	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	2
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	1
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>11</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 SCOTLAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	18
2	MVT - Unintentional	13
3	Fall - Unintentional	8
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	7
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>73</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 SCOTLAND		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	2,735
2	MVT - Unintentional	470
3	Fall - Unintentional	347
4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	205
5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	165
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4,309</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 STANLY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	4
2	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	2
3	Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Firearm - Undetermined; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>13</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 STANLY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	21
2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	17
3	Fall - Unintentional	13
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	7
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>81</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 STANLY		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,810
2	Fall - Unintentional	1,694
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	659
4	MVT - Unintentional	516
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	492
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6,705</b>

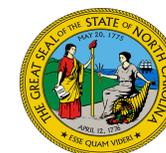
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Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted	2	1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	16	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,086
2	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1	2	MVT - Unintentional	14	2	Fall - Unintentional	590
3			3	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Fall - Unintentional	12	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	274
4			4	Unspecified - Unintentional	9	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	242
5			5	Poisoning - Unintentional	8	5	MVT - Unintentional	206
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>75</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,960</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 SURRY			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 SURRY			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 SURRY		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; MVT - Unintentional	2	1	MVT - Unintentional	32	1	Fall - Unintentional	2,134
2	Suffocation - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	1	2	Fall - Unintentional	25	2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,040
3			3	Unspecified - Unintentional	16	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	914
4			4	Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	13	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	889
5			5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	6	5	MVT - Unintentional	491
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>10</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>139</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7,556</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 SWAIN			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 SWAIN			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 SWAIN		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Unspecified - Assault; Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Undetermined; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Assault; Other Transport - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1	1	Fall - Unintentional	11	1	Fall - Unintentional	508
2			2	MVT - Unintentional	8	2	Unspecified - Unintentional	309
3			3	Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	6	3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	245
4			4	Unspecified - Unintentional	4	4	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	140
5			5	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	137
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>9</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>46</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,851</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 TRANSYLVANIA			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 TRANSYLVANIA			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 TRANSYLVANIA		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	2	1	Fall - Unintentional	10	1	Fall - Unintentional	1,145
2			2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	7	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	632
3			3	Poisoning - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	4	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	290
4			4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional	2	4	Overexertion - Unintentional	289
5			5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Self-Inflicted	1	5	MVT - Unintentional	247
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>35</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,604</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death TYRRELL			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 TYRRELL			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 TYRRELL		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1		0	1	Unspecified - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	*	1	Fall - Unintentional	82
2		0	2			2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	63
3		0	3			3	Unspecified - Unintentional	58
4		0	4			4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	35
5		0	5			5	Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	19
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>*</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>329</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 UNION			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 UNION			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 UNION		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	12	1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	65	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	7,247
2	Firearm - Assault	7	2	Fall - Unintentional	58	2	Fall - Unintentional	4,108
3	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted	3	3	MVT - Unintentional	56	3	MVT - Unintentional	1,887
4	Machinery - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	2	4	Poisoning - Unintentional	32	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	1,557
5	Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Undetermined; Poisoning - Unintentional; Pedestrian Other - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	5	Unspecified - Unintentional	25	5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	1,043
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>33</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>324</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>19,949</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 VANCE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	8
2	Firearm - Assault	4
3	Poisoning - Unintentional	3
4	Unspecified - Assault; Suffocation - Undetermined; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>19</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 VANCE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	21
2	MVT - Unintentional	20
3	Unspecified - Unintentional	10
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Firearm - Unintentional	9
5	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	7
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>95</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 VANCE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,157
2	Fall - Unintentional	908
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	457
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	454
5	MVT - Unintentional	452
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4,722</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 WAKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	28
2	Firearm - Assault	19
3	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted	13
4	Poisoning - Unintentional	12
5	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	11
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>128</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 WAKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	337
2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	204
3	MVT - Unintentional	187
4	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	166
5	Poisoning - Unintentional	128
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,390</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 WAKE		
Rank	Cause	#
1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	40,877
2	MVT - Unintentional	6,782
3	Fall - Unintentional	6,679
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	3,401
5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	2,933
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>66,668</b>

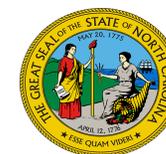
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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 WARREN			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 WARREN			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 WARREN		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	3	1	MVT - Unintentional	6	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	281
2	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Undetermined; Firearm - Assault	1	2	Fall - Unintentional	3	2	Fall - Unintentional	223
3			3	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	2	3	MVT - Unintentional	111
4			4	Poisoning - Undetermined; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Machinery - Unintentional; Firearm - Unintentional; Firearm - Self- Inflicted; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Assault	1	4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	107
5			5			5	Unspecified - Unintentional	91
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>6</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>19</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,097</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death WASHINGTON			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 WASHINGTON			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 WASHINGTON		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1		0	1	Unspecified - Unintentional	3	1	Fall - Unintentional	182
2		0	2	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; MVT - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	2	2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	141
3		0	3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; No Mechanism or Intent Recorded; Firearm - Assault; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Fall - Unintentional	1	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	116
4		0	4			4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	75
5		0	5			5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	58
		0						
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>759</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 WATAUGA			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 WATAUGA			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 WATAUGA		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted	2	1	Fall - Unintentional	12	1	Fall - Unintentional	650
2	Suffocation - Unintentional	1	2	Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	5	2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	461
3			3	MVT - Unintentional	3	3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	247
4			4	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	2	4	Unspecified - Unintentional	222
5			5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Pedal Cyclist Other - Unintentional; Overexertion - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Cut/Pierce - Assault	1	5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	146
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>34</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,336</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 WAYNE			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 WAYNE			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 WAYNE		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	11	1	MVT - Unintentional	42	1	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	4,763
2	Firearm - Assault	8	2	Fall - Unintentional	36	2	Fall - Unintentional	1,635
3	Unspecified - Assault; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	3	3	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	28	3	MVT - Unintentional	1,344
4	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Fall - Unintentional	2	4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	22	4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	578
5	Suffocation - Unintentional; Suffocation - Self-Inflicted; Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Specified/NEC - Unintentional; Other Land Transport - Unintentional; Firearm - Self- Inflicted; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Unintentional	1	5	Unspecified - Unintentional	20	5	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional	553
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>37</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>225</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>10,657</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 WILKES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	3
2	Firearm - Assault	2
3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Suffocation - Unintentional; Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>9</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 WILKES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	22
2	MVT - Unintentional	21
3	Fall - Unintentional	16
4	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	15
5	Unspecified - Unintentional; Poisoning - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional	10
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>116</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 WILKES		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,964
2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,460
3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	850
4	Unspecified - Unintentional	767
5	MVT - Unintentional	530
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7,186</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 WILSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Unintentional; Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Firearm - Assault	3
2	Suffocation - Unintentional	2
3	Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Assault	1
4		
5		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>13</b>

Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 WILSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	MVT - Unintentional	24
2	Fall - Unintentional	21
3	Fire/Burn - Unintentional	15
4	Poisoning - Unintentional; Poisoning - Self-Inflicted	13
5	Unspecified - Unintentional	12
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>135</b>

Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 WILSON		
Rank	Cause	#
1	Fall - Unintentional	1,644
2	Unspecified - Unintentional	1,140
3	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	1,063
4	MVT - Unintentional	949
5	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	669
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7,399</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 YADKIN			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 YADKIN			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 YADKIN		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Poisoning - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional; Firearm - Assault	2	1	MVT - Unintentional	10	1	Fall - Unintentional	913
2	Firearm - Self-Inflicted; Drowning/Submersion - Unintentional	1	2	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Fall - Unintentional	9	2	No Mechanism or Intent Recorded	484
3			3	Unspecified - Unintentional	7	3	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	424
4			4	Poisoning - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	6	4	Unspecified - Unintentional	341
5			5	Other Specified/Classifiable - Assault	5	5	MVT - Unintentional	251
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>8</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>60</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,197</b>

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Leading Causes of Injury Death 2020 to 2024 YANCEY			Leading Causes of Injury Hospitalization 2020 to 2024 YANCEY			Leading Causes of Injury ED Visits 2020 to 2024 YANCEY		
Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#	Rank	Cause	#
1	Natural/Environmental - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional	2	1	Poisoning - Self-Inflicted; Fall - Unintentional	6	1	Fall - Unintentional	669
2	Suffocation - Self-Inflicted	1	2	Poisoning - Unintentional	3	2	Struck By/Against - Unintentional	241
3			3	Unspecified - Unintentional; Other Specified/Classifiable - Unintentional; MVT - Unintentional; Motor Vehicle-Nontraffic - Unintentional	2	3	Unspecified - Unintentional	136
4			4	Struck By/Against - Unintentional; Machinery - Unintentional; Fire/Burn - Unintentional; Cut/Pierce - Self-Inflicted	1	4	Overexertion - Unintentional	130
5			5			5	MVT - Unintentional	114
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>22</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,727</b>

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