

**TABLE 2-18
ACCIDENTAL (UNINTENTIONAL INJURY) DEATHS BY YEAR AMONG RESIDENTS OF GILA COUNTY,
ARIZONA, 1998-2008**

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Unintentional injury	35	35	35	29	33	46	43	45	45	48	48
Railway accidents	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Motor vehicle-related accidents	15	17	14	10	11	18	18	25	14	17	19
Water transport accidents	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Accidents involving aircraft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Poisoning by drugs/medicaments	5	4	*NA	3	5	6	4	5	8	9	9
Poisoning by gases and vapors	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Falls	7	6	8	8	2	8	3	5	10	8	8
Fire, flames, smoke	2	1	3	2	1	1	2	0	0	1	1
Excessive natural heat	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0
Excessive natural cold	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Contact with venomous snakes and lizards	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contact with venomous spiders	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contact with scorpions	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contact with hornets, wasps, bees	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bitten or struck by dog	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lightning	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Storms and floods	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Accidental drowning and submersion	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	1
Choked on food	0	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	1
Choked on other objects	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	2	1
Mechanical suffocation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Accidental discharge of firearms	0	1	0	*NA	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Exposure to electric current	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Overexertion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adverse effects of drugs in therapeutic use	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Misadventures to patients during medical/surgical care	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1

* See Technical Notes.