

**TABLE 2-13**  
**ACCIDENTAL (UNINTENTIONAL INJURY) DEATHS BY YEAR AMONG AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKA NATIVE**  
**RESIDENTS OF ARIZONA, 1999-2009**

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
<b>Unintentional injury</b>	281	243	257	256	269	219	279	273	281	265	276
<b>Railway accidents</b>	1	2	2	0	7	3	4	5	6	2	6
<b>Motor vehicle-related accidents</b>	170	160	154	174	166	122	166	172	159	133	125
<b>Water transport accidents</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Accidents involving aircraft</b>	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Poisoning by drugs/medicaments</b>	16	12	17	23	18	26	21	20	20	26	31
<b>Poisoning by gases and vapors</b>	9	5	4	3	6	2	2	2	12	22	28
<b>Falls</b>	20	11	17	18	19	21	16	20	21	26	29
<b>Fire, flames, smoke</b>	9	6	10	4	4	1	4	3	3	2	4
<b>Excessive natural heat</b>	4	2	1	2	5	1	6	3	1	5	4
<b>Excessive natural cold</b>	11	5	6	10	11	7	19	11	13	15	12
<b>Contact with venomous snakes and lizards</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Contact with venomous spiders</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Contact with scorpions</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Contact with hornets, wasps, bees</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Bitten or struck by dog</b>	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Lightning</b>	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Storms and floods</b>	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
<b>Accidental drowning and submersion</b>	12	13	3	2	7	8	8	5	7	7	12
<b>Choked on food</b>	3	6	1	1	2	4	2	1	3	3	2
<b>Choked on other objects</b>	3	2	4	2	1	4	3	5	5	1	2
<b>Mechanical suffocation</b>	5	1	8	1	5	5	2	4	7	5	4
<b>Accidental discharge of firearms</b>	1	1	*NA	1	1	3	4	0	1	0	1
<b>Exposure to electric current</b>	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
<b>Overexertion</b>	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Adverse effects of drugs in therapeutic use</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Misadventures to patients during medical/surgical care</b>	1	1	0	2	4	1	2	1	5	5	3

\* See Technical Notes.