

**TABLE 2-24
ACCIDENTAL (UNINTENTIONAL INJURY) DEATHS BY YEAR AMONG RESIDENTS OF PIMA COUNTY,
ARIZONA, 2000-2010**

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Unintentional injury¹	425	415	421	428	442	498	518	448	441	453	445
Railway accidents	2	1	0	2	4	1	6	3	2	0	2
Motor vehicle-related accidents	128	116	143	129	144	157	162	132	132	111	104
Water transport accidents	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
Accidents involving aircraft	4	1	5	3	0	2	2	4	3	1	3
Poisoning by drugs/medicaments	* NA	113	119	138	131	142	151	135	127	157	160
Poisoning by gases and vapors	1	5	2	5	1	2	2	4	6	9	12
Falls	75	82	73	84	97	121	123	90	107	103	108
Fire, flames, smoke	3	4	7	8	3	5	8	4	5	8	6
Excessive natural heat	3	2	8	17	5	9	8	6	2	4	10
Excessive natural cold	2	4	2	2	4	1	2	1	3	1	1
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	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contact with scorpions	0	0	0	0	0	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	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0
Lightning	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Storms and floods	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Accidental drowning and submersion	12	11	8	7	11	12	13	8	7	19	7
Choked on food	10	0	3	8	8	5	3	2	3	2	5
Choked on other objects	4	3	9	6	4	7	6	11	9	7	6
Mechanical suffocation	5	14	4	4	3	1	3	3	1	2	1
Accidental discharge of firearms	3	* NA	8	0	2	3	2	2	1	0	2
Exposure to electric current	4	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	1
Overexertion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adverse effects of drugs in therapeutic use	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	2
Misadventures to patients during medical/surgical care	5	9	5	8	15	5	7	5	8	8	5

Notes: * See Technical Notes; ¹ includes all unintentional injuries including these not identified below.