

**TABLE 2-1**  
**ACCIDENTAL (UNINTENTIONAL INJURY) DEATHS BY YEAR AMONG ARIZONA RESIDENTS, 2002-2012**

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
<b>Unintentional injury<sup>a</sup></b>	2,416	2,466	2,641	3,006	3,156	3,014	2,951	2,887	2,834	2,959	2,804
<b>Railway accidents</b>	*	10	11	10	17	12	9	8	12	6	7
<b>Motor vehicle-related accidents</b>	1,003	1,005	1,060	1,137	1,220	1,035	891	771	711	787	747
<b>Water transport accidents</b>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Accidents involving aircraft</b>	19	23	21	9	32	17	32	15	16	21	13
<b>Poisoning by drugs/medicaments</b>	458	447	517	549	624	669	689	802	798	781	731
<b>Poisoning by gases and vapors</b>	24	18	16	14	22	52	77	85	81	102	86
<b>Falls</b>	448	469	526	685	702	720	748	731	762	776	782
<b>Fire, flames, smoke</b>	41	42	30	56	43	31	50	31	25	33	43
<b>Excessive natural heat</b>	34	50	37	77	63	34	33	39	51	57	51
<b>Excessive natural cold</b>	15	15	17	28	17	20	25	24	17	22	9
<b>Contact with venomous snakes and lizards</b>	0	0	*	0	0	0	*	0	*	0	*
<b>Contact with venomous spiders</b>	0	0	*	*	0	*	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Contact with scorpions</b>	*	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>	0	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Lightning</b>	0	*	0	*	*	*	0	*	*	*	*
<b>Storms and floods</b>	0	*	0	0	*	*	0	0	*	0	0
<b>Accidental drowning and submersion</b>	65	83	97	83	87	85	78	99	86	86	85
<b>Choked on food</b>	18	41	36	27	30	22	35	43	39	34	38
<b>Choked on other objects</b>	54	59	48	62	48	61	53	49	57	44	44
<b>Mechanical suffocation</b>	23	25	21	27	26	43	29	25	28	25	23
<b>Accidental discharge of firearms</b>	26	13	13	15	9	13	10	7	11	8	*
<b>Exposure to electric current</b>	6	*	9	15	*	11	6	7	*	6	0
<b>Overexertion</b>	0	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	0	0
<b>Adverse effects of drugs in therapeutic use</b>	9	6	*	*	*	*	7	8	10	*	6
<b>Misadventures to patients during medical/surgical care</b>	46	49	46	39	51	44	40	42	41	45	42

Notes: \* Cell suppressed due to non-zero count less than 6; a Includes all unintentional injuries including these not identified below.