

**TABLE 2-21**  
**ACCIDENTAL (UNINTENTIONAL INJURY) DEATHS BY YEAR AMONG RESIDENTS OF LA PAZ COUNTY,**  
**ARIZONA, 2002-2012**

|   | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 |
|---|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>Unintentional injury<sup>a</sup></b>                       | 20   | 19   | 16   | 21   | 21   | 22   | 20   | 11   | 13   | 14   | 12   |
| <b>Railway accidents</b>                                      | 0    | *    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | *    | 0    | *    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Motor vehicle-related accidents</b>                        | 9    | 13   | 8    | 11   | 10   | 13   | 9    | *    | *    | 12   | 10   |
| <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    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Poisoning by drugs/medicaments</b>                         | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    | 6    | *    | 0    |
| <b>Poisoning by gases and vapors</b>                          | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | *    | 0    | *    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Falls</b>  | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    |
| <b>Fire, flames, smoke</b>                                    | *    | 0    | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    | 0    | *    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Excessive natural heat</b>                                 | *    | 0    | 0    | 0    | *    | *    | *    | *    | *    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Excessive natural cold</b>                                 | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Contact with venomous snakes and lizards</b>               | 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    |
| <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>                                | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Lightning</b>  | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Storms and floods</b>                                      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Accidental drowning and submersion</b>                     | *    | *    | 0    | *    | *    | 0    | *    | *    | 0    | 0    | *    |
| <b>Choked on food</b>   | 0    | 0    | 0    | *    | *    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Choked on other objects</b>                                | 0    | *    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | *    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Mechanical suffocation</b>                                 | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | *    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Accidental discharge of firearms</b>                       | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Exposure to electric current</b>                           | *    | 0    | *    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| <b>Overexertion</b>   | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 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    | 0    |
| <b>Misadventures to patients during medical/surgical care</b> | 0    | *    | 0    | 0    | *    | 0    | *    | 0    | *    | 0    | 0    |

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