

TABLE 2-22
ACCIDENTAL (UNINTENTIONAL INJURY) DEATHS BY YEAR AMONG RESIDENTS OF MARICOPA COUNTY,
ARIZONA, 2004-2014

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Unintentional injury^a	1,421	1,664	1,770	1,672	1,640	1,578	1,549	1,632	1,451	1,615	1,660
Railway accidents	*	*	0	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Motor vehicle-related accidents	537	587	643	504	416	356	336	358	347	373	371
Water transport accidents	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	0	*	0
Accidents involving aircraft	14	*	17	8	17	8	10	7	7	*	*
Poisoning by drugs/medicaments	294	318	374	390	420	450	431	448	388	463	495
Poisoning by gases and vapors	*	9	10	28	37	43	31	32	25	32	36
Falls	323	435	441	497	480	480	494	516	466	515	537
Fire, flames, smoke	14	33	20	7	24	13	7	12	13	23	15
Excessive natural heat	22	46	40	21	22	20	28	36	38	30	18
Excessive natural cold	*	0	*	*	*	0	*	*	*	*	0
Contact with venomous snakes and lizards	0	0	0	0	*	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contact with venomous spiders	0	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	0
Contact with scorpions	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	0	0	*	*	0	*	0	0	*	*	0
Lightning	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	66	55	56	54	44	54	52	54	51	41	40
Choked on food	16	12	19	11	21	33	20	20	17	17	19
Choked on other objects	37	39	28	35	32	33	36	21	16	27	28
Mechanical suffocation	10	15	17	24	17	13	16	15	12	10	17
Accidental discharge of firearms	*	6	7	6	7	*	9	*	*	*	*
Exposure to electric current	*	11	*	8	*	*	*	*	0	*	*
Overexertion	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	0	0	0	0
Adverse effects of drugs in therapeutic use	*	*	*	*	*	*	8	*	*	*	*
Misadventures to patients during medical/surgical care	21	20	32	22	21	17	22	24	22	22	*

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