## Leading causes of unintentional injury hospitalizations\* in Canada for 2000/01 to 2005/06, both sexes, ages 0-14 years

Cause	Count (2000-05)	Annual Average	% of Total	
Fall (without PGE <sup>1</sup> )	48,721	8,120	37.8%	Suffo
Struck by/against	11,840	1,973	9.2%	1.4%
Fall-PGE <sup>1</sup> Only	9,973	1,662	7.7%	L Cut/Pi
Cyclist	9,413	1,569	7.3%	2.2%
Poisoning	7,681	1,280	6.0%	Pedest
MVT <sup>2</sup> -Occupant	4,233	706	3.3%	2.6%
Fire/Hot objects/substance	3,711	619	2.9%	Fire/Hc substa
Pedestrian	3,323	554	2.6%	2.9%
Cut/Pierce	2,793	466	2.2%	MVT <sup>2</sup> (C
Suffocation <sup>3</sup>	1,747	291	1.4%	3.3%
Drowning	782	130	0.6%	
Other <sup>4</sup>	24,653	4,109	19.1%	
Total <sup>5</sup>	128,870	21,478	100%	

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<sup>1</sup> Playground equipment

<sup>2</sup> Motor vehicle traffic

<sup>3</sup> Includes strangulation and choking on objects/food.

<sup>4</sup> Includes other and unspecified unintentional injuries (e.g. other transport, dog bites, exposure to excessive cold).

<sup>5</sup> Excluding adverse effects.

\* Injury and Child Maltreatment Section analysis of hospitalization data from the Canadian Institute for Health Information.

## Leading causes of unintentional injury deaths\* in Canada for 2000-2005, both sexes, ages 0-14 years

Cause	Count (2000-05)	Annual Average	% of Total
Drowning	266	44	15.0%
MVT <sup>1</sup> -Occupant	251	42	14.1%
Suffocation <sup>2</sup>	234	39	13.2%
Pedestrian	213	36	12.0%
Fire/Flame	149	25	8.4%
Cyclist	72	12	4.1%
Fall	55	9	3.1%
Struck by/against	32	5	1.8%
Poisoning	32	5	1.8%
Firearm	13	2	0.7%
Other <sup>3</sup>	458	76	25.8%
Total <sup>4</sup>	1,775	296	100%



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