

TABLE 6-23. Unintentional Deaths by Type or Source of Injury, Age Groups, and Sex, Oregon Residents, 2005

Type or Source of Unintentional Injury	Total	Sex		Age Groups									
		M	F	0-4	5-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85+
Total ¹	1,427	900	527	21	23	147	144	161	224	130	107	204	266
Transportation ²	533	377	156	10	16	101	73	65	92	62	51	43	20
Motor vehicle traffic acc't	469	328	141	7	14	96	66	56	85	49	41	37	18
Water transport	13	11	2	–	–	1	1	2	3	2	2	1	1
Air transport	17	13	4	–	–	1	4	2	–	6	3	1	–
Rail transport	4	3	1	–	–	1	1	1	1	–	–	–	–
Poisoning	262	187	75	–	–	23	49	71	79	25	9	4	2
Gas	5	4	1	–	–	–	3	1	–	–	1	–	–
Drugs and medications	249	179	70	–	–	21	45	69	78	23	8	3	2
Suffocation or obstruction	46	25	21	7	–	3	2	–	7	2	3	9	13
Food	5	1	4	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	1	1	2
Gastric contents	5	2	3	1	–	1	–	–	1	1	–	–	1
Other substance/object ³	26	14	12	–	–	1	–	–	4	1	2	8	10
In bed	4	3	1	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cave-in, falling earth, etc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Low oxygen environment	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Hanging/strangulation	5	4	1	2	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
Inanimate mechanical forces ...	27	24	3	–	2	4	1	3	4	8	2	3	–
Struck by falling object ⁴	6	6	–	–	–	–	–	1	2	2	1	–	–
Struck by other object	2	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–
Caught between objects	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	–	–	–
Agricultural machinery	6	5	1	–	1	1	1	–	–	1	–	2	–
Other machinery	6	6	–	–	–	2	–	1	–	2	1	–	–
Firearms	3	3	–	–	1	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–
Miscellaneous	539	275	264	4	5	16	15	20	40	33	38	141	227
Falls	381	181	200	–	1	4	4	6	17	19	25	119	186
Animal bite/envenomation	5	3	2	–	–	–	–	–	1	2	–	–	2
Drowning and submersion	55	45	10	3	4	10	9	9	11	3	1	4	1
Electric current	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–
Fire, flames and smoke	23	12	11	–	–	–	1	2	4	5	5	2	4
Excessive natural heat	2	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–
Excessive natural cold	10	5	5	–	–	–	1	1	3	1	1	–	3

¹ Includes all unintentional injury deaths, not just those in the categories shown.

² Subsets are based on the victim's mode of transport, if known, except for railway transport accidents where all related deaths are included.

³ Inhalation and ingestion of objects/substances, other than food or gastric contents, causing obstruction of the respiratory tract.

⁴ Includes thrown and projected objects.

– Quantity is zero.