

**Average Annual Incidence of Fatal Injuries to Children  
Arkansas, 2001-2005  
by Intent, Mechanism, and Age**

<b>Intent</b>	<b>Mechanism</b>	<b>Total 0-24</b>	<b>Rate 0-24</b>	<b>0-4</b>	<b>5-9</b>	<b>10-14</b>	<b>15-19</b>	<b>20-24</b>
<b>Total incidence</b>		<b>458</b>	<b>48.10</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>199</b>
<b>Unintentional</b>		<b>322</b>	<b>33.81</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>123</b>
Unintentional	Cut/pierce	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Unintentional	Drowning	21	2.21	6	2	3	6	4
Unintentional	Fall	3	0.27	1	0	0	1	1
Unintentional	Fire/flare	19	2.00	7	5	3	1	3
Unintentional	Hot object/substance	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Unintentional	Firearm	8	0.82	0	0	2	3	3
Unintentional	Machinery	1	0.15	0	0	0	0	1
Unintentional	Motor Vehicle Traffic	220	23.07	16	9	13	87	94
Unintentional	<i>Occupant</i>	109	11.41	8	4	8	42	47
Unintentional	<i>Motorcyclist</i>	9	0.90	0	0	0	4	5
Unintentional	<i>Pedal cyclist</i>	1	0.15	0	1	0	0	0
Unintentional	<i>Pedestrian</i>	12	1.22	3	1	1	3	4
Unintentional	<i>Unspecified</i>	89	9.37	5	2	4	39	38
Unintentional	<i>Other</i>	0	0.02	0	0	0	0	0
Unintentional	Pedal cyclist, other	1	0.08	0	0	0	0	0
Unintentional	Pedestrian, other	5	0.48	2	0	0	1	1
Unintentional	Other land transport	7	0.71	0	1	1	2	3
Unintentional	Other transport	2	0.19	0	0	0	1	1
Unintentional	Natural/environmental	1	0.13	1	0	0	0	0
Unintentional	Overexertion	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Unintentional	Poisoning	12	1.28	2	0	0	3	6
Unintentional	Struck by/against	2	0.21	0	0	0	1	1
Unintentional	Suffocation	15	1.53	12	0	1	1	1
Unintentional	Other specified	4	0.42	1	1	0	1	2
Unintentional	Unspecified	2	0.25	0	0	0	1	1
<b>Self-inflicted</b>		<b>51</b>	<b>5.34</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>30</b>
Self-inflicted	Cut/pierce	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0
Self-inflicted	Fall	1	0.08	0	0	0	0	1
Self-inflicted	Firearm	32	3.34	0	0	1	11	20
Self-inflicted	Poisoning	2	0.23	0	0	0	1	1
Self-inflicted	Suffocation	15	1.60	0	0	1	7	8
Self-inflicted	Other specified	1	0.08	0	0	0	0	1
Self-inflicted	Unspecified	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Assault</b>		<b>63</b>	<b>6.60</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>34</b>
Assault	Cut/pierce	5	0.50	0	0	0	2	3
Assault	Firearm	41	4.29	0	1	3	10	27
Assault	Struck by/against	0	0.02	0	0	0	0	0
Assault	Other specified	9	0.99	4	0	0	2	2
Assault	Unspecified	8	0.80	6	0	0	1	1
<b>Undetermined</b>		<b>21</b>	<b>2.16</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>11</b>
Undetermined	Poisoning	12	1.30	0	0	0	4	8
Undetermined	Other specified	7	0.78	2	0	1	1	3
Undetermined	Unspecified	1	0.08	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Legal/Military</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

Source: Children's Safety Network Economics & Data Analysis Resource Center, at Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation, Calverton, MD, 2008. Incidence based on the National Center for Health Statistics Multiple Cause-of-Death File, 2001-2005.