3,829 children were seen in an emergency department for a non-fatal pedestrian or pedal-cycle injury in 2013.

215 children were hospitalized for a non-fatal injury, 59 percent of which involved a motor-vehicle crash (n=126).

25 children died as a result of pedestrian or pedal-cycle injury, 64 percent of which involved a motor-vehicle crash (n=16).

The highest age-specific rate for non-fatal pedestrian or pedal-cycle inpatient hospitalizations were among teens 15 to 19 years of age.

Inpatient hospitalization changes totaled over $14.7 million; 53 percent of which was charged AHCCCS ($7.8 million)

Arizona children spent a total of 923 days hospitalized for these injuries; the average hospitalization stay was 4 days.

The highest age-specific rate for emergency department visits were for children 10 to 14 years of age.

The 3,829 non-fatal emergency department visits totaled over $14.7 million.

Prevent pedestrian and pedal-cycle injuries!

- Wear a helmet that fits correctly.
- Practice bike safety with your child.
- Drivers should check for children or objects before backing up.
- Use crosswalks and obey traffic signals when crossing the street.

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