

Incidence of Self-Inflicted Injuries

Emergency Department[†] (ED) Visits

New York State Residents, 2005-2006

Characteristics	Mean Annual Frequency	Rate per 100,000 Residents
Total	8,886	46.1
Age Group		
0<1	4	1.6**
1-4	25	2.5
5-9	44	3.6
10-14	683	52.7
15-19	2,309	170.8
20-24	1,515	113.4
25-44	3,205	58.4
45-64	996	20.5
65+	108	4.3
Gender		
Male	3,983	42.6
Female	4,903	49.3
Unknown	*	n/a
Percent Traumatic Brain Injury	0.7%	
Mean Charge per Visit	\$1,458	
Two Year Total ED Charges	\$25.9 Million	

[†]The incidence of ED visits does not include those that were admitted into a hospital.

Rate = Frequency/Population *100,000

*Data based on frequencies less than six not reported

**Caution: Rates calculated using frequencies of less than 20 are unstable

Source: NYSDOH, Bureau of Injury Prevention
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