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## INJURIES AND DEATHS ASSOCIATED WITH SOME SUMMER HAZARDS & PRODUCTS

PRODUCT or HAZARD	DEATHS (RECENTLY REPORTED BY YEAR)	INJURIES (TREATED BY EMERGENCY DEPARTMENTS)
<b>BOUNCE HOUSES (wind-related)</b>	<b>28</b> est. (wind-related, 2000-2021)	<b>479</b> est. (wind-related, 2000-2021) <b>18,000</b> est. (all injuries, 2018)
<b>E-BIKES, E- SCOOTERS, HOVERBOARDS</b>	<b>233</b> (2017-2022)	<b>360,800</b> (2017-2022)
<b>BOATING (recreational)</b>	<b>636</b> (2022)	<b>2,222</b> (2022)
<b>TRAMPOLINES</b>	<b>22</b> (2000-2009)	<b>111,212</b> est. (2023)
<b>WATER BEADS</b>	<b>1</b> (10 mo. old girl, 2023)	<b>7,000</b> (approx., 2018-2022)
<b>NON-MOTORIZED SCOOTER</b>	<b>5</b> (under 15 yrs., 2019-2021)	<b>35,400</b> est. (2022)(31,600 under 15 yrs.)
<b>FIREWORKS</b>	<b>11</b> (2022)	<b>10,200</b> est. (2022) (2,655 under 15 yrs.)
<b>BICYCLES</b>	<b>1,230</b> (bike-related deaths, 2021)	<b>405,688</b> est. (bikes and accessories, 2023)
<b>PLAYGROUNDS</b>	<b>43</b> (playground equipment-related, 2014-2021)	<b>190,942</b> est. (playground equipment, 2023)
<b>ATV's (All-Terrain Vehicles)</b>	<b>651-743</b> est. (per yr since 2011)	<b>269,657</b> est. (ATV's, mopeds, minibikes, etc., 2023)
<b>AMUSEMENT ATTRACTIONS (incl. rides)</b>	<b>22</b> (amusement rides, not including water parks or water slides, 2010-2018)	<b>40,142</b> est. (2023)
<b>SUBMERSION SWIMMING POOLS AND SPAS</b>	<b>357</b> est. (children under 15yrs., EACH YEAR from 2020-2022)	<b>6,300</b> est. (children under 15 yrs., EACH YEAR from 2022-2024)
<b>SUBMERSION RELATED TO NON-POOL &amp; NON-SPA PRODUCTS (buckets, tubs, containers...)</b>	<b>434</b> (children under 5 yrs., 2006-2010)	<b>233</b> (children under 5 yrs., 2006-2010)
<b>CIRCULATION ENTRAPMENT POOLS, SPAS, WHIRLPOOLS</b>	<b>2</b> (2014-2018)	<b>9</b> (2014-2018)(injuries can include hair/limb entrapment, disembowelment, evisceration)
<b>SOCCER GOALS</b>	<b>12</b> (under 16 yrs., 2000-2019)	<b>3,400</b> (under 16 yrs., 2000-2019)
<b>TOYS</b>	<b>40</b> (under 15 yrs., 2021-2023)	<b>226,300</b> (est. 2023)

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In addition to the potential hazards listed above, there are many other types of summer safety traps to avoid. W.A.T.C.H. believes injuries and deaths associated with some warm-weather recreational activities and products can be significantly reduced with increased awareness. Find W.A.T.C.H.'s Summer Safety Report and 10 Top "Summer Safety Traps," as well as more information about toy safety, at [www.toysafety.org](http://www.toysafety.org). Visit [www.cpsc.gov](http://www.cpsc.gov) and [www.saferproducts.gov](http://www.saferproducts.gov) to research safety history and check for recalls of children's products.

\*All statistics in the United States unless otherwise indicated. Sources: Injury Statistics (CPSC.gov), Micromobility Products-Related Deaths, Injuries, and Hazard Patterns: 2017–2022 (CPSC, Sept. 2023), Toy-Related-Deaths-and-Injuries-Calendar-Year-2023 (CPSC, November 2024), Pool or Spa Submersion: Est. Nonfatal Drowning Injuries and Reported Drownings (CPSC, May 2023), 2014–2018 Reported Circulation/Suction Entrapment Incidents Associated with Pools, Spas, and Whirlpool Bathtubs (CPSC, May 2019), NSC (Safety Topics, 2023); Injury Facts, bicycle-related, 2023), <https://www.cpsc.gov/Newsroom/News-Releases/2019/Don't-Get-Swept-Away-CPSC-Reminds-Consumers-to-Be-Grounded-in-Safety-When-Using-Bounce-Houses> (CPSC, August 2019), CPSC Fireworks Injuries and Deaths (CPSC, 2022 Report), Annual Report of ATV-Related Deaths and Injuries (CPSC, 2020), Injuries and Investigated Deaths Associated with Playground Equipment 2009–2014 (CPSC, 4/17), <https://www.cpsc.gov/3fs-public/Inflatable-Amusements-Deaths-and-Injuries-2015.pdf> (CPSC, February 2015), NEISS (National Electronic Injury Surveillance System), <https://www.cpsc.gov/Newsroom/News-Releases/2021/Think-Safety-First-As-Kids-Head-Back-to-School> (CPSC, August 2021), NEISS Data Highlights-Calendar Year 2022 (CPSC, July 2023), <https://www.cnn.com/2018/03/29/health/amusement-park-incidents/index.html> (CNN, June 2018), <https://consumerfed.org/off-highway-vehicle-safety/off-highway-vehicle-fatality-data/> (CFA 2024), CPSC - Water Beads (May 16, 2024), AMS Journal- Wind-Related Bounce House Incidents in Meteorological, Regulatory, and Outreach Contexts (October 2022), [https://pmc.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/articles/PMC8436453/?utm\\_source=chatgpt.com](https://pmc.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/articles/PMC8436453/?utm_source=chatgpt.com)