

# Profile on Injury Data for Masterton

This factsheet presents all age data on injury deaths and injury hospitalisations by numbers, rates, the three leading causes, gender, ethnicity and place where the injury death occurred. The data for injury deaths were sourced via the Injury Prevention Research Unit (IPRU) from the New Zealand Health Information Service (NZHIS) for the year 2003 (the most recent year for which injury death data was available). The data for injury hospitalisations were sourced via the IPRU from the NZHIS for the year 2005 (the most recent year for which injury hospitalisation data were available).

## INJURY DEATHS:

- ⇒ During 2003, 19 people from Masterton died as a result of an injury.
- ⇒ Motor Vehicle Traffic was the leading cause of injury death.



### Fatalities due to injury for Masterton, including number, rates & leading causes, 2003

Number of Injury Deaths	Rate per 100,000 People	Leading Cause of Injury Death	Other Cause of Injury Death	Other Cause of Injury Death
19	83.98	Motor Vehicle Traffic: 21%	Suffocation: 16%	Falls: 16%

### Fatalities due to injury for Masterton by ethnicity, 2003

European		Maori		Pacific		Asian		Other	
(n)	%	(n)	%	(n)	%	(n)	%	(n)	%
17	89		0		0		0	2	11



### Fatalities due to injury for Masterton by gender, number & rates, 2003

Female		Male	
Number	Rate per 100,000 People	Number	Rate per 100,000 People
8	35.36	11	48.62

### Fatalities due to injury for Masterton by place, 2003

Leading Place of Injury Death	Second Place of Injury Death	Third Place of Injury Death
Home: 9	Street and highway: 5	Other: 5



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## INJURY HOSPITALISATIONS:

- ⇒ During 2005, 362 people from Masterton were hospitalised overnight for treatment of an injury.
- ⇒ Falls were the leading cause of injury hospitalisations (n= 136).

### Hospitalisations due to injury for Masterton, including number, rates & leading causes, 2005

Number of Injury Hospitalisations	Rate per 100,000 People	Leading Cause of Injury Hospitalisations	Second Cause of Injury Hospitalisations	Third Cause of Injury Hospitalisations
362	1600.14	Falls: 38%	Poisoning: 10%	Struck by or against: 9%

### Hospitalisations due to injury for Masterton by ethnicity, 2005

European		Maori		Pacific		Asian		Other	
(n)	%	(n)	%	(n)	%	(n)	%	(n)	%
276	76	70	20	4	1	4	1	4	2



### Hospitalisations due to injury for Masterton by gender, number & rates, 2005

Female		Male	
Number	Rate per 100,000 People	Number	Rate per 100,000 People
163	720.5	199	879.63

### Hospitalisations due to injury for Masterton by place, 2005

Leading Place of Injury Hospitalisations	Second Place of Injury Hospitalisations	Third Place of Injury Hospitalisations
Home: 135	School, other institution and public administration area: 61	Street & highway: 28



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