

**Number and Rate per 100,000 of Fall-Related Treated & Released Emergency Department Visits
Among Los Angeles County Residents by Year, 2009-2013**

Category		2009		2010		2011		2012		2013		2009-2013	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Total Number	Avg Annual Rate
Sex	Male	76214	1615.0	74543	1591.0	76015	1614.9	78749	1667.4	78422	1648.0	383943	1627.3
	Female*	83412	1690.5	82692	1680.2	84045	1686.9	88006	1750.1	87637	1724.2	425792	1706.4
Race/Ethnic	White	53067	1836.7	52365	1842.1	54747	1906.7	55858	1937.0	55018	1905.5	271055	1885.6
	Black	15501	1822.6	15869	1892.3	16869	1998.4	17152	2030.5	16920	1983.6	82311	1945.5
	Latino	66905	1483.7	67905	1497.5	69952	1528.7	74334	1610.3	75121	1609.6	354217	1546.0
	Asian/Pacific Islander	8046	644.6	8197	639.7	8890	691.1	9320	710.8	9687	704.2	44140	678.1
	Other/Unknown	16107	--	12899	--	9602	--	10091	--	9313	--	58012	--
Age Group	<1 Year	3812	2915.1	3470	2698.0	3505	2754.7	3586	2817.3	3569	2759.8	17942	2789.0
	1-4 Years	24146	4579.4	23234	4487.3	22429	4356.9	22924	4512.3	21870	4202.6	114603	4427.7
	5-9 Years	14892	2277.8	14684	2315.1	14840	2370.3	16216	2589.7	16348	2574.0	76980	2425.4
	10-14 Years	13403	1949.1	12901	1898.6	12808	1933.6	13642	2114.9	13828	2136.4	66582	2006.5
	15-19 Years	9944	1324.6	9344	1238.5	9551	1268.8	9811	1322.7	9826	1361.3	48476	1303.2
	20-24 Years	7190	958.3	7102	942.6	7349	998.0	7691	1045.9	7382	940.9	36714	977.1
	25-29 Years	6483	848.3	6498	854.7	6550	867.7	6474	866.8	6454	834.7	32459	854.4
	30-34 Years	5991	823.5	6031	841.5	6408	886.4	6295	862.7	6120	826.3	30845	848.1
	35-44 Years	11969	828.9	12100	845.2	11871	835.1	11818	836.5	11566	813.5	59324	831.8
	45-54 Years	15018	1108.3	14649	1069.0	15068	1098.9	15234	1112.6	14821	1077.9	74790	1093.3
	55-64 Years	13702	1386.7	14152	1395.7	14984	1418.3	15733	1450.0	15992	1463.6	74563	1422.9
65+ Years*	33076	3112.9	33070	3099.7	34697	3098.0	37331	3167.3	38283	3251.0	176457	3145.8	
Service Planning Area	SPA 1: Antelope Valley	6110	1635.3	6296	1668.4	7243	1909.3	6995	1830.7	7049	1841.9	33693	1777.1
	SPA 2: San Fernando*	34799	1686.6	34715	1696.0	34749	1678.6	37262	1783.1	37336	1771.1	178861	1723.1
	SPA 3: San Gabriel	26913	1574.7	26497	1560.3	26462	1547.8	27924	1622.8	27696	1590.7	135492	1579.3
	SPA 4: Metro	17218	1672.2	16739	1627.9	17097	1644.8	17556	1685.4	17693	1680.9	86303	1662.2
	SPA 5: West	10359	1742.4	10387	1711.6	10558	1720.4	10705	1719.9	9940	1586.8	51949	1696.2
	SPA 6: South	16696	1699.2	16674	1686.7	16859	1678.9	17923	1775.8	18064	1780.3	86216	1724.2
	SPA 7: East	22029	1709.8	21713	1706.5	22050	1726.2	22591	1760.6	22468	1743.5	110851	1729.3
	SPA 8 : South Bay	25502	1700.4	24214	1626.6	25042	1666.5	25799	1706.7	25813	1689.4	126370	1677.9
Intent	Unintentional	159485	1671.0	157091	1652.7	159900	1666.7	166615	1724.5	165890	1701.3	808981	1683.2
	Undetermined	108	1.1	102	1.0	117	1.2	102	1.0	122	1.2	551	1.1
	Other	33	0.3	42	0.4	43	0.4	38	0.4	47	0.5	203	0.4
All LA County		159626	1672.3	157235	1654.2	160060	1668.3	166755	1725.9	166059	1702.9	809735	1684.7

Falls ED Visits were identified using International Classification of Disease 9th Revision codes E880.0-E886.9, E888, E957.0-E957.9, E968.1, and E987.0-E987.9.

Note: "--" indicates that rates could not be calculated because population data was not available.

Rates for age group are per 100,000 population. All other rates are per 100,000 population and age adjusted to the 2000 US population.

* The small number of patients of unknown gender are combined with females, patients with unknown age are combined with 65+ year olds, and patients with unknown SPA are combined with SPA 2: San Fernando.

Sources: Hospitalization Data -- Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development, Emergency Department Data
Population Data --
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2009 Smoothed Population Estimates, prepared by the Office of Health Assessment and Epidemiology, Los Angeles
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