

MVD Public Recreation Fatalities One-Page Summary FY98 - FY24

Activity Summary (Based on Codes)	Number	% of Total
Swimming Total	100	35.71%
Designated Area	39	13.93%
Undesignated Area	61	21.79%
Boating Total	142	50.71%
Swimming	41	14.64%
Collision	22	7.86%
PWC	4	1.43%
Capsized	20	7.14%
Falls from Boat	41	14.64%
****Other Boating	14	5.00%
Other Falls Total	23	8.21%
Other Recreation	15	5.36%

TOTAL 280

Total Undesignated Swimming Area	36.43%
Total Falls Boat, Shore, etc.	22.86%

###Outgranted	%
YES	6 10%
NO	55 90%

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MVD Recreation Fatality Data Summary FY98 - FY24

Gender		%
Female	34	12.1%
Male	246	87.9%
Unknown	0	0.0%
Total	280	

*Wearing PFD		%
YES	19	6.8%
NO	248	88.6%
Unknown	6	2.1%
*N/A	7	2.5%

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10 yr Age Groupings		
Age 0-9	6%	16
Age 10-20	19%	53
Age 21-30	19%	52
Age 31-40	16%	45
Age 41-50	14%	38
Age 51-60	12%	33
Age 61-70	8%	22
71 & Over	6%	16
Age Unknown	2%	5
Total		280

**Alcohol/Drug		%
YES	50	18%
NO	131	47%
**** Suspected	10	4%
Unk	89	32%

Other Common Age Groupings		
13 & under	10%	29
Age14-17	8%	22
Ages 18-35	34%	96
Ages 36-53	23%	63
Age 54 & Over	23%	65

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****Swimming Fatalities (includes boat/swim)		%
Designated Area	38	28%
Undesignated Area	103	76%
Total	141	

Cause			
D = Drowning		243	86.8%
T = Trauma		26	9.3%
DH = Hypothermia		7	2.5%
M = Medical		1	0.4%
***CO = Carbon Monoxide		3	1.1%
***HR = Heat Related		0	0.0%
U = Unknown		0	0.0%

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Note:

* Not applicable category in PFD started section in FY06

**FY06-combined alcohol/drugs together so we could summarize with previous data, assumed that if no alcohol reported then no drugs were involved

***Started tracking in FY06 - carbon monoxide as new cause and in FY22 - heat related as a new cause

**** All swimming-related drownings including swimming around boats when location is known

*****BAC, BAE, BAM,BAS (Control/Speed, Electrical, Carbon Monoxide, Skiing/Towing)

Started tracking "Suspected" Alcohol in 2010

Started including all public recreation-related fatalities in FY11

In FY18, started showing how many of the fatalities occurred in Outgranted areas.