

**Table 2 The 5 leading causes of injury deaths among children aged 0–19 years in the Palestinian Territory, Israel and England and Wales for the period 2001–03: distribution according to age**

Cause (ICD-10 code)	0–4 years		5–9 years		10–14 years		15–19 years		Total	
	No.	Rate <sup>a</sup> (95% CI)	No.	Rate <sup>a</sup> (95% CI)	No.	Rate <sup>a</sup> (95% CI)	No.	Rate <sup>a</sup> (95% CI)	No.	Rate <sup>a</sup> (95% CI)
<i>Palestinian territory</i>										
Firearms missiles (W32–W34)	26	1.4 (0.9–2.0)	51	3.2 (2.4–4.2)	112	8.3 (6.8–10.0)	377	34.6 (31.2–38.3)	566	3.2 (3.0–3.4)
Transport accidents (V01–V99)	102	5.4 (4.4–6.5)	75	4.7 (3.7–5.8)	28	2.1 (1.4–3.0)	24	2.2 (1.4–3.3)	229	1.3 (1.0–1.4)
Accidental drowning & submersion (W65–W74)	50	2.7 (5.9–10.5)	13	0.8 (0.4–1.4)	10	0.7 (0.4–1.4)	17	1.6 (0.9–2.5)	90	0.5 (4.3–0.7)
Falls (W00–W19)	40	2.1 (1.5–2.9)	18	1.1 (0.7–1.8)	7	0.5 (0.21–1.1)	3	0.3 (0.1–0.8)	68	0.4 (0.3–0.5)
Assault (X85–Y09)	3	0.2 (0.03–0.5)	3	0.2 (0.03–0.6)	2	0.2 (0.01–0.5)	19	1.7 (1.0–2.6)	27	0.2 (0.1–0.2)
<i>Israel</i>										
Transport accidents (V01–V99)	69	3.5 (2.7–4.4)	56	3.1 (2.3–4.0)	40	2.3 (1.7–3.2)	197	11.8 (10.2–13.6)	362	1.7 (1.5–1.8)
Falls (W00–W19)	8	0.4 (0.17–0.8)	0	–	3	0.2 (0.03–0.5)	7	0.4 (0.2–0.9)	18	0.1 (0.05–0.1)
Intentional self harm (X60–X84)	0	–	0	–	7	0.4 (0.16–0.9)	98	5.8 (4.8–7.2)	105	0.5 (0.4–0.6)
Accidental drowning and submersion (W65–W74)	10	0.5 (0.24–0.93)	7	0.4 (0.15–0.8)	8	0.5 (0.20–0.9)	14	0.8 (0.5–1.4)	39	0.2 (0.1–0.2)
Assault (X85–Y09)	11	0.6 (0.27–1.0)	3	0.2 (0.03–0.5)	2	0.1 (0.01–0.4)	43	2.6 (1.8–3.5)	59	0.3 (0.2–0.4)
<i>England &amp; Wales</i>										
Transport accidents (V01–V99)	84	0.9 (0.7–1.1)	88	0.8 (0.7–1.0)	191	1.8 (1.5–2.1)	1004	9.7 (9.1–10.3)	1374	3.5 (3.3–3.7)
Event of undetermined intent (Y10–Y34)	95	1.0 (0.8–1.2)	27	0.3 (0.2–0.4)	49	0.5 (0.3–0.6)	461	4.5 (4.1–4.9)	632	1.5 (1.4–1.7)
Intentional self harm (X60–X84)	0	–	0	–	13	0.1 (0.06–0.2)	232	2.2 (1.9–2.5)	248	0.6 (0.5–0.7)
Suffocation & exposure (W75–W99) <sup>b</sup>	103	1.1 (0.9–1.3)	6	0.1 (0.02–0.1)	45	0.4 (0.3–0.6)	53	0.5 (0.4–0.7)	207	0.5 (0.4–0.6)
Poisoning (X40–X49) <sup>c</sup>	4	<0.1 (0.01–0.1)	0	–	3	0.3 (0.01–0.08)	106	1.0 (0.8–1.2)	112	0.3 (0.2–0.3)

CI = confidence interval.

<sup>a</sup>Per 100 000 children year per.

<sup>b</sup>Accidental suffocation and exposure to unspecified man-made environmental factors.

<sup>c</sup>Accidental poisoning by, and exposure to, noxious substances.