



State Trauma Registry Report

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2017 Data compiled from current patient records reported from nine facilities to LERN State Trauma Registry. Includes standard dataset established by National Trauma Data Bank (NTDB)

Figure 1: Age Distribution

Patients reported by age group. Highest patient population lies in the age range 25 – 34 years old. This is also the highest patient population on a national level.

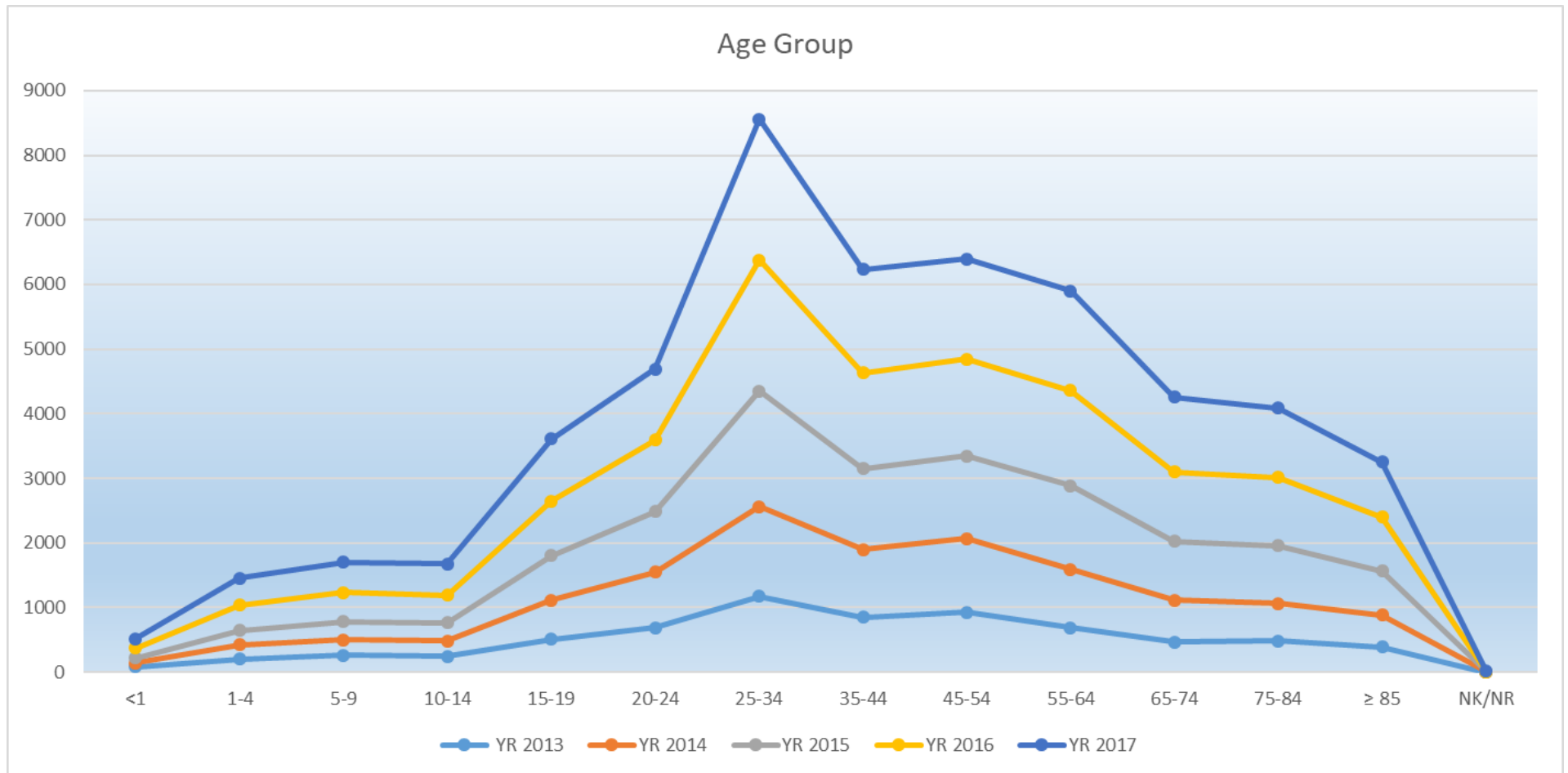


Figure 2: Cause of Injury

Cause of Injury	Total
Fall	4532
Motor Vehicle Accident	3034
Assault	2281
Motorcycle Accident	631
Pedestrian Injured	527
Pedal Cycle Accident	297
Machinery Accident	263
Struck by Object	261
Firearm Discharge	233
Suicide or Self Inflicted Injury	215
Contact by Sharp Object	209
Other Accident	157
Animal Bite	121
Caught, Crushed, Pinched Between	118
Acc Struck by Person	110
Activity Accident	108
Animal Rider	71
Fire or Flames or Explosion	69
NK/NR	43
Foreign Body	42
Watercraft Accident	30
Struck by Animal	29
Abuse or Neglect	27
Contact with Hot Food or Object	24
Legal Intervention	24
Drowning or Submersion	20
Electrical Accident	18
Three Wheeled Vehicle Acc	18
Contact with Sharp Object	10
ATV Accident	8
Aircraft Accident	4
Weather Related	4
Railway Accident	2
Total	13540

Falls by Age	Total	Percent
Pediatric (0-14)	376	8.30%
Adult (15-64)	3113	68.69%
Geriatric (>64)	1041	22.97%
NK/NR	2	0.04%
Grand Total	4532	100.00%

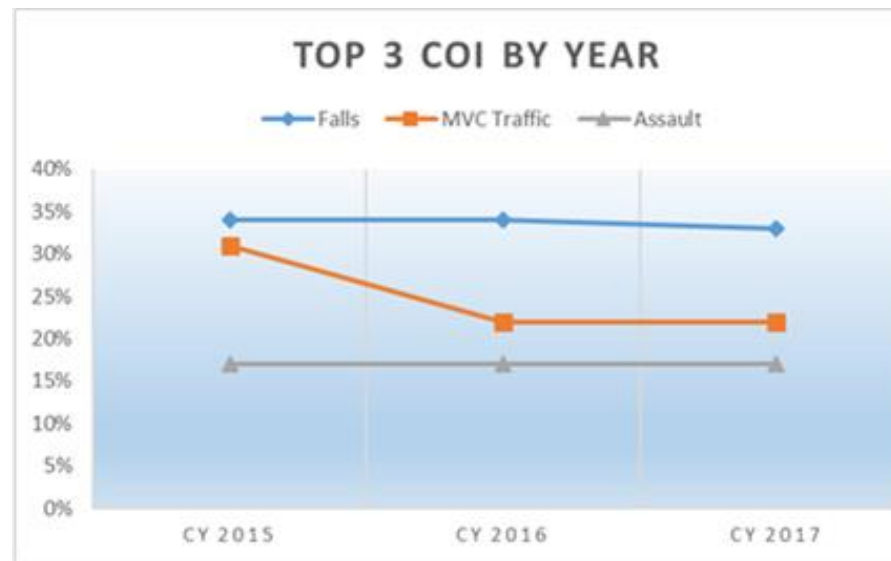


Figure 3: Cause of Injury by Mortality

A total of 5.66% of all trauma registry patients expired with 94.34% surviving.

Cause of Injury	Died	Percent
Fall	350	58.43%
Struck by Object	71	11.85%
Motor Vehicle Accident	65	10.85%
Assault	34	5.68%
NK/NR	13	2.17%
Pedestrin Injured	9	1.50%
Pedal Cycle Accident	9	1.50%
Motorcycle Accident	7	1.17%
Other Accident	6	1.00%
Acc Struck by Person	5	0.83%
Suicide or Self Inflicted Injury	5	0.83%
Machinery Accident	5	0.83%
Firearm Discharge	4	0.67%
Animal Bite	2	0.33%
Animal Rider	2	0.33%
Caught, Crushed, Pinched Between	2	0.33%
Contact by Sharp Object	2	0.33%
Legal Intervention	2	0.33%
Abuse or Neglect	2	0.33%
Electrical Accident	1	0.17%
Drowning or Submersion	1	0.17%
Activity Accident	1	0.17%
Contact with Hot Food or Object	1	0.17%
Grand Total	599	100.00%

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Falls by Age	Died	Percent
Pediatric (0-14)	20	5.71%
Adult (15-64)	239	68.29%
Geriatric (>64)	90	25.71%
NK/NR	1	0.29%
Total	350	100.00%

ISS Score for Deaths

Cause of Injury	Mean ISS
All	22.35
Falls	22.20
Struck by Object	44.94
Motor Vehicle Collision	12.31
Assault	9.33

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Age Group	ISS Score Range MVC Deaths			
	1-8	9-15	16-24	>24
Pediatric (0-14)	0	0	1	1
Adult (15-64)	8	16	4	8
Geriatric(>64)	9	12	5	1
Total	17	28	10	10

Figure 4: Received Pre-Hospital or by Transfer

Patients reported as received pre-hospital or transferred from another acute care facility. Patients transferred from a private physician office, stand-alone ambulatory surgery center, or delivered to hospital by a non-EMS transport are not considered an inter-facility transfer. Outlying facilities that provide emergency services or that are utilized to stabilize a patient are considered acute care facilities.

Received	CY 2012	CY2013	CY2014	CY2015	CY2016	CY2017
Pre-Hospital	4986	5110	6170	7971	9677	10411
Inter-Facility Transfer	1722 26%	1858 27%	2256 27%	2625 25%	3272 25%	3129 23%
Total	6708	6968	8426	10596	12949	13540

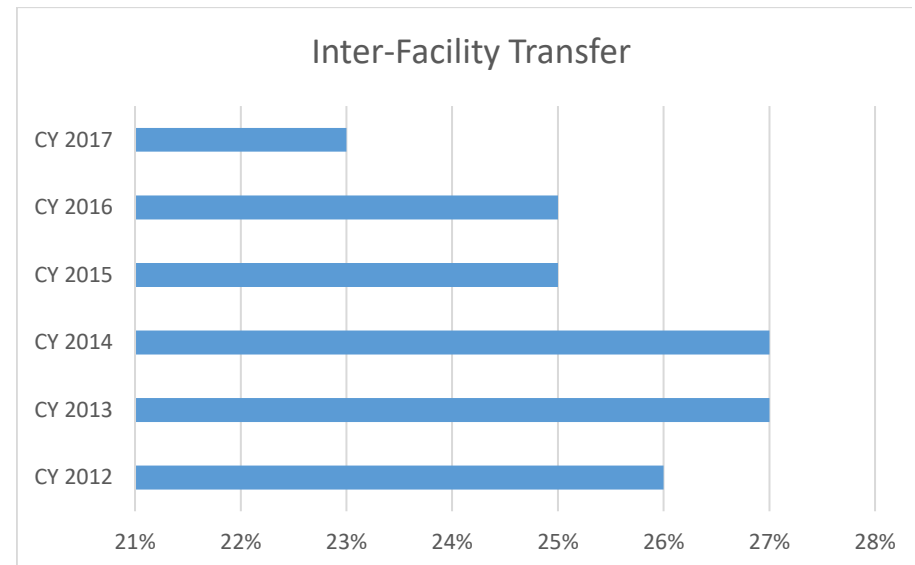
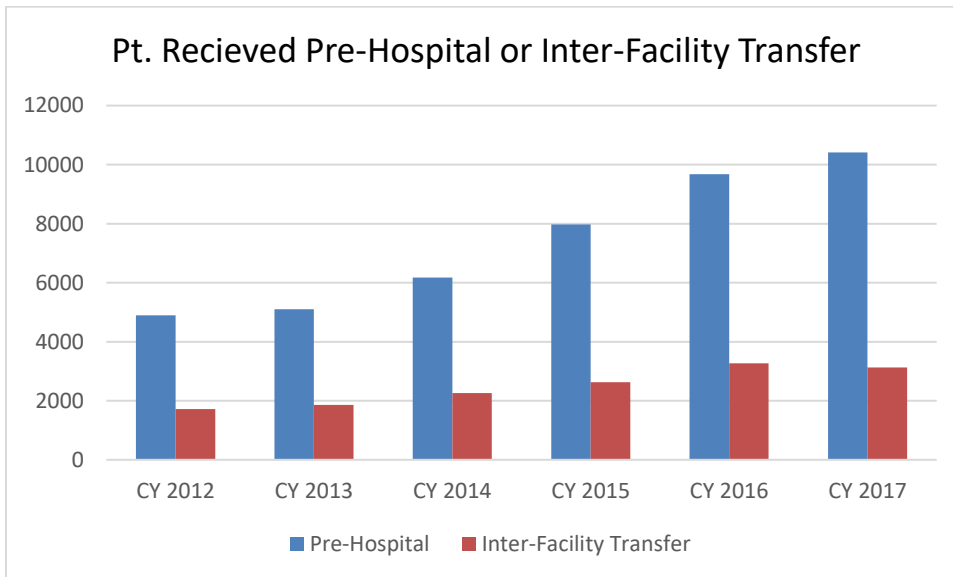


Figure 5: Payor Mix

Not Paid is inclusive of Primary Payment listed as Other, Not Known, Self-Pay, or Not Billed.

Paid/Not Paid	CY 2013	Percent	CY 2014	Percent	CY 2015	Percent	CY 2016	Percent	CY 2017	Percent
Paid	4489	64%	5402	64%	7381	70%	9876	77%	11212	83%
Not Paid	2479	36%	3026	36%	3215	30%	3018	23%	2328	17%
Total	6968	100%	8428	100%	10596	100%	12894	100%	13540	100%

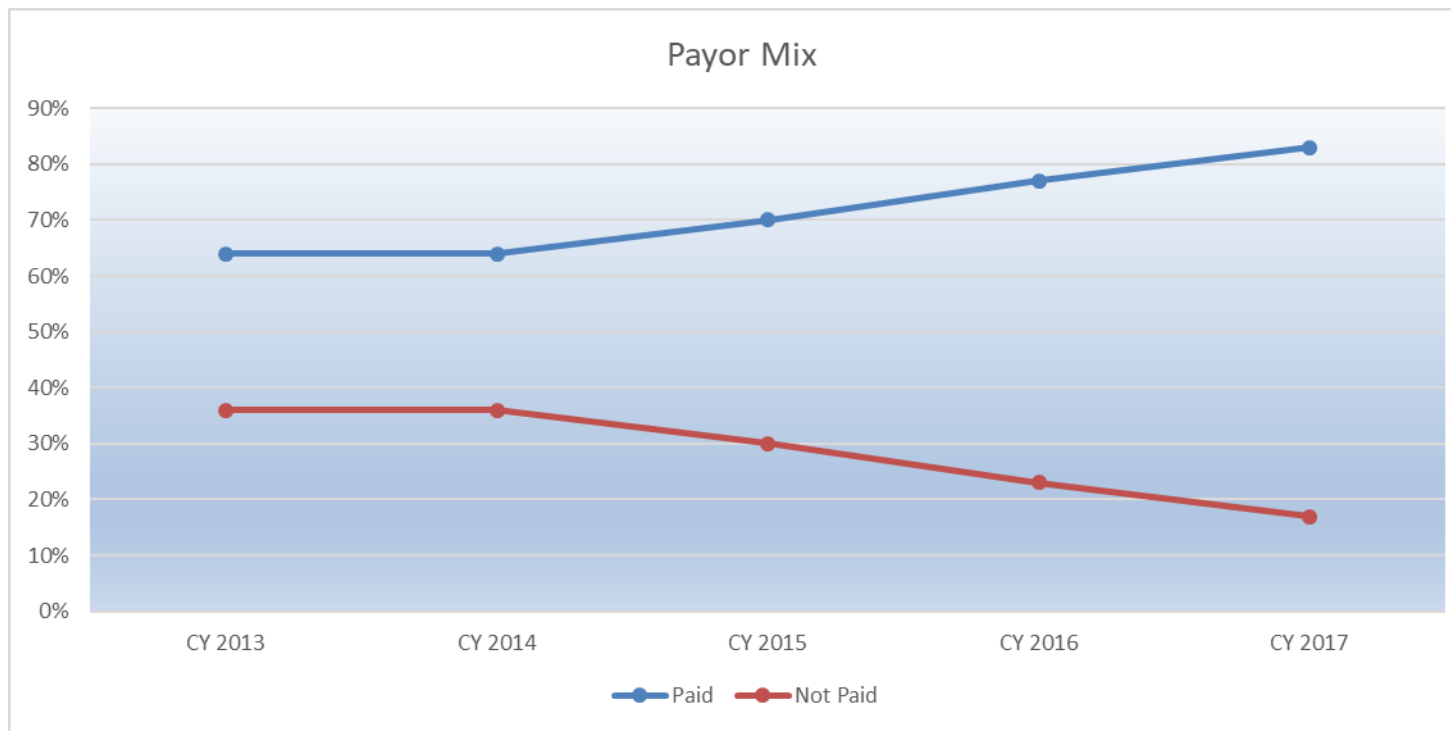
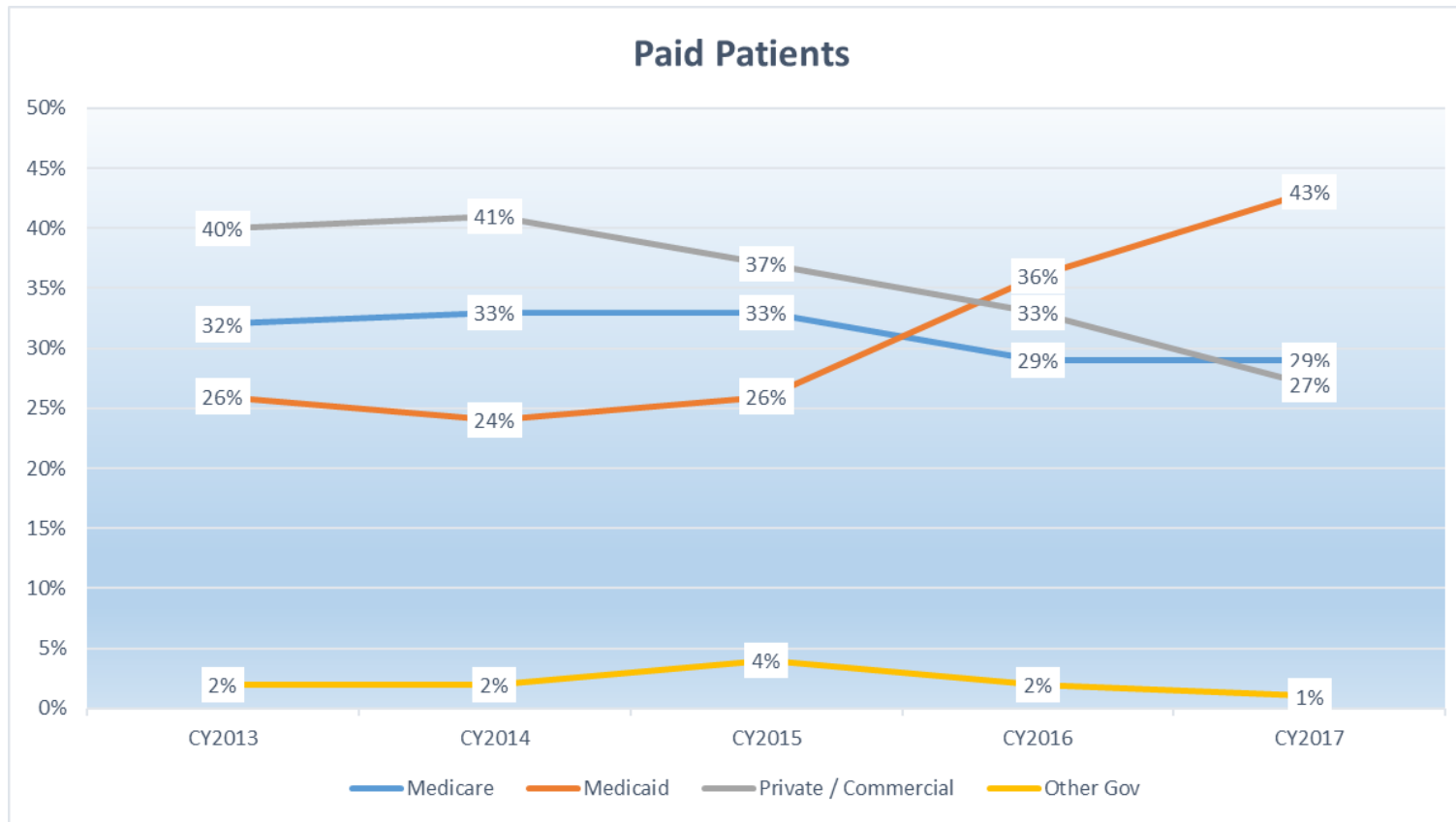


Figure 6: Payor Type

Payor type for paid patients. Data for 2016 and 2017 include Children’s Hospital New Orleans, which was not included in previous years.



Paid Method	CY2013	Percent	CY2014	Percent	CY2015	Percent	CY2016	Percent	CY2017	Percent
Medicare	1448	32%	1782	33%	2468	33%	2904	29%	3234	29%
Medicaid	1159	26%	1287	24%	1880	26%	3568	36%	4812	43%
Private / Commercial	1814	40%	2207	41%	2740	37%	3234	33%	3025	27%
Other Gov	68	2%	126	2%	293	4%	170	2%	141	1%
Total	4489	100%	5402	100%	7381	100%	9876	100%	11212	100%

Figure 7: Hospital Average/Median Length of Stay

The hospital length of stay (LOS) is calculated by the using the admit time/date and the discharged time/date. For the purpose of this report days were adjusted based on each partial or full day is measured as one calendar day. Patients admitted and discharged on same day count as 0.

Year	Average Hospital LOS	Median
CY2012	5.33	2
CY2013	5.19	2
CY2014	5.20	3
CY2015	5.41	3
CY2016	5.38	3
CY2017	5.41	3

Figure 8: ICU Days

The intensive care unit (ICU) length of stay is the cumulative amount of time spent in ICU. Each partial or full day is measured as one calendar day.

ICU Days	Total	Percent
0	9862	72.84%
1-5	2818	20.81%
6-10	434	3.21%
11-15	186	1.37%
16-20	115	0.85%
21-25	63	0.47%
26-30	25	0.18%
31-35	14	0.10%
36-40	10	0.07%
41-45	6	0.04%
46-50	2	0.01%
51-55	4	0.03%
56-60	1	0.01%
Total	13540	100.00%

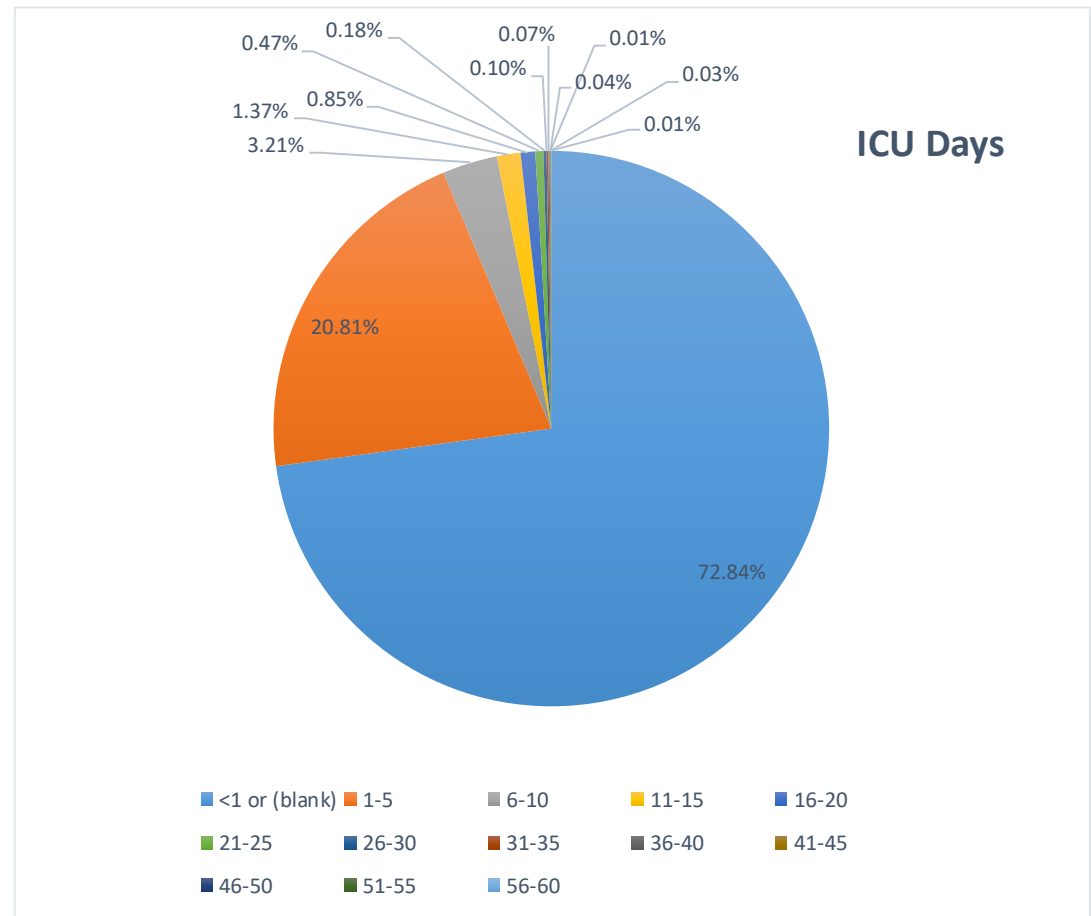


Figure 9: Blood Alcohol Testing

Patients reported by based on blood alcohol testing. Of the 13,540 patients in the 2017 data, 56% were not tested, 3% tested negative, and the remaining 41% tested positive for alcohol.

Blood Alcohol	Total	Percent
Yes	5476	40.44%
No	459	3.39%
Not Tested	7605	56.17%
Total	13540	100.00%

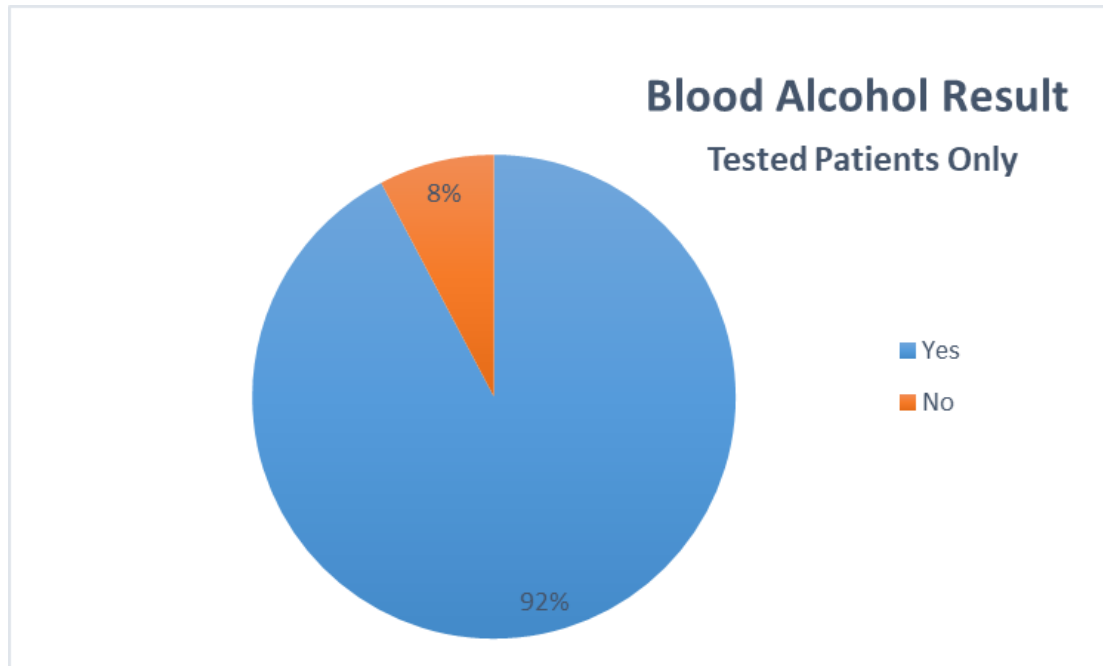


Figure 10: Drug Screening

Patients reported by based on drug screening. Of the 13,540 patients in the 2017 data, 56% were not tested, 20% tested negative, and the remaining 24 % tested positive for drugs.

Drug Screening	Total	Percent
Not Tested	7644	56.45%
None	2675	19.76%
THC (Cannabinoid)	1035	7.64%
BZO (Benzodiazepines)	698	5.16%
OPI (Opioid)	614	4.53%
AMP (Amphetamine)	491	3.63%
COC (Cocaine)	299	2.21%
BAR (Barbiturate)	41	0.30%
Other Evidence of Drugs	12	0.09%
mAMP (Methamphetamine)	10	0.07%
MTD (Methadone)	8	0.06%
PCP (Phencyclidine)	5	0.04%
MDMA (Ecstasy)	4	0.03%
TCA (Tricyclic Antidepressant)	4	0.03%
Total	13540	100.00%

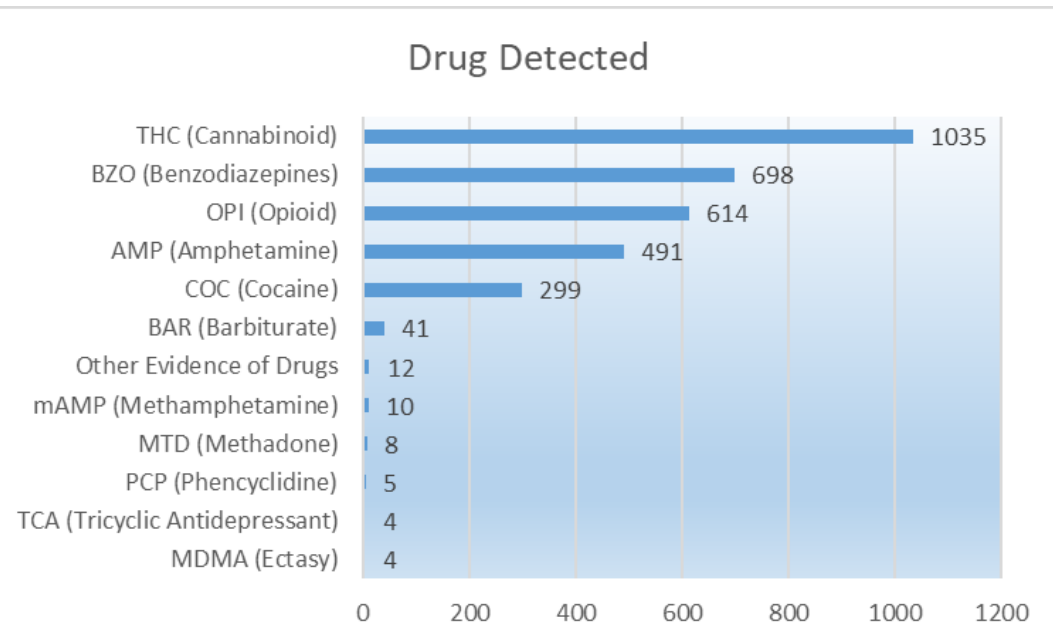
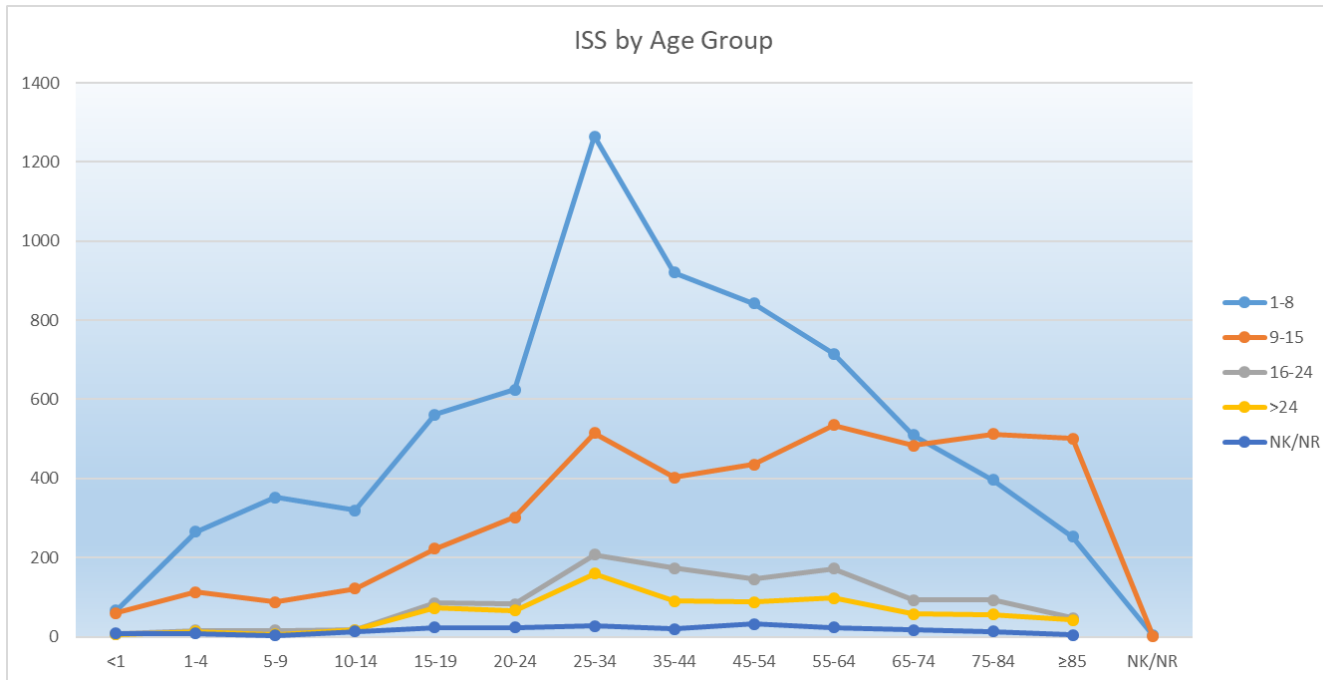


Figure 11: ISS by Age

Patients reported by age group and ISS score. The Injury Severity Score (ISS) is a system for numerically stratifying injury severity. The ISS system has a range of 1-75 and risk of death increases with a higher score. NTDB categorizes ISS 1-8 as Minor; 9-15 as Moderate; 16-24 as Severe; and greater than 24 as Very Severe.



Year	Mean ISS Score		
	All Trauma Facilities	Level I and II	Level III
CY 2012	10.79	10.79	N/A
CY 2013	10.95	10.95	N/A
CY 2014	10.8	10.81	8.17
CY 2015	10.32	10.42	7.60
CY 2016	9.27	9.29	8.52
CY 2017	8.45	8.46 (8.64 without Childrens)	8.24

Figure 12: Total Patients in Registry by Year / Deaths Percent by Year

Trauma registry patient totals by year. In 2012 there were 4 facilities reporting. In 2016 the number of facilities reporting increased to 9. Death percent includes patient that arrived to ED without signs of life.

