

Table 164. Visits to Hospital Emergency Departments by Diagnosis: 2007

[53,632 represents 53,632,000. See headnote, Table 162]

Leading diagnosis ¹	Number (1,000)	Rate per 1,000 per- sons ²	Leading diagnosis ¹	Number (1,000)	Rate per 1,000 per- sons ²
MALE			FEMALE		
All ages	53,632	372	All ages	63,170	421
Under 15 years old ³	12,233	394	Under 15 years old ³	10,072	340
Acute upper respiratory infections ⁴	1,249	40	Acute respiratory infections ⁴	929	31
Otitis media and Eustachian tube disorders	944	30	Otitis media and Eustachian tube disorders	614	21
Open wound of head	651	21	Unspecified viral and chlamydial infections	503	17
Contusion with intact skin surface	583	19	Contusion with intact skin surface	451	15
Pyrexia of unknown origin	541	17	Pyrexia of unknown origin	433	15
15 to 44 years old ³	22,685	368	15 to 44 years old ³	29,780	481
Open wound, excluding head	1,259	20	Abdominal pain	1,947	31
Contusions with intact skin surfaces	1,050	17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	1,784	29
Sprains and strains,			Contusions with intact skin surfaces	1,074	17
excluding ankle and back	744	13	Chest pain	882	14
Chest pain	724	12	Sprains and strains of neck and back	880	14
Cellulitis and abscess	716	12	45 to 64 years old ³	12,776	334
45 to 64 years old ³	11,715	324	Chest pain	690	18
Chest pain	697	19	Abdominal pain	650	17
Open wound, excluding head	557	15	Spinal disorders	482	13
Spinal disorders	416	12	Contusion with intact skin surface	429	11
Cellulitis and abscess	402	11	Arthropathies and related disorders	357	9
Contusion with intact skin surface	375	10	65 years old and over ³	10,541	517
65 years old and over ³	6,999	460	Chest pain	576	28
Heart disease, excluding ischemic	461	30	Contusion with intact skin surface	548	27
Chest pain	422	28	Heart disease, excluding ischemic	520	25
Pneumonia	225	15	Urinary tract infection site not speci- fied	391	19
Cellulitis and abscess	206	14	Abdominal pain	322	16
Open wound, excluding head	197	13			

¹ Based on the International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-9-CM). ² Based on U.S. Census Bureau estimated civilian noninstitutional population as of July 1. ³ Includes other first-listed diagnosis, not shown separately. ⁴ Excluding pharyngitis.