INJURY DEATH RATES IN CHILDREN UNDER AGE 15 YEARS IN NEW SOUTH WALES BY CAUSE OF INJURY: 1998-2002

- Suffocation was the leading cause of injury death in children under age one year, followed by drowning.
- Drowning was the leading cause of injury death in children aged one to four years, followed very closely by motor vehicle transport.
- Motor vehicle transport was the leading cause of injury death in children aged five to 14 years.