Trends in motor vehicle transport hospitalisations in New South Wales (NSW)


- Between 1999–2000 and 2003–2004, there were 53,211 hospitalisations as a result of motor vehicle transport-related injury in NSW.

- There was a statistically significant decreasing trend in motor vehicle transport injury hospitalisation rates in NSW from 1989–1990 to 2003–2004 for both males and females.

- People aged 15-24 years had the highest rates of injury hospitalisation due to motor vehicle transport in NSW from 1999–2000 to 2003–2004.

Hospitalisation rate for injury due to motor vehicle transport by sex, NSW, 1989–1990 to 2003–2004


- From 1999-2000 to 2003-2004, occupants of motor vehicles involved in traffic incidents (48%) were the most common category of road user hospitalised due to motor vehicle transport incidents in NSW.