COST OF INJURY IN ADULTS 65 YEARS AND OLDER 2022 ATLANTIC CANADA REPORT



IN 2018, THERE WERE:

7,646 HOSPITALIZATIONS 45,090 EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT VISITS



FALLS ARE THE LEADING CAUSE OF INJURY RELATED HOSPITALIZATIONS IN ATLANTIC CANADA, FOLLOWED BY TRANSPORT INCIDENTS, UNINTENTIONAL POISONINGS, AND SUICIDE/SELF-HARM

IN 2018, PER 100,000 IN ATLANTIC CANADA

ALL INJURIES IN OLDER ADULTS

UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES

Injuries that occur without planning or intent

INTENTIONAL AND INFLICTED INJURIES

Injuries that are inflicted directly by another person or self-inflicted





22.5 HOSPITALIZATIONS

67.9 EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT VISITS



INJURIES IN OLDER ADULTS COST ATLANTIC CANADAS ECONOMY

C \$580.31 million IN A SINGLE YEAR

COST OF ALL INJURIES IN OLDER ADULTS, PER CAPITA, IN ATLANTIC CANADA

\$1,177.68 IN TOTAL

Cost per capita is the cost per person in Atlantic Canada

COST OF FALL-RELATED INJURIES IN OLDER ADULTS ACCOUNT FOR



Data Source: **Cost of Injury in Atlantic Canada 2022**. The Atlantic Collaborative on Injury Prevention. Prepared by BC Injury Research and Prevention Unit: Vancouver, BC. Learn more <u>here.</u> © ACIP, October 2022