Traffic Safety Unit 2012

January 1 - September 30, 2012



This leaflet presents an analysis of pedestrian collisions to Sept. 30, 2012 showing relevant facts and trends.

This leaflet includes reportable collisions involving pedestrians with motorized vehicles in the City of Toronto.

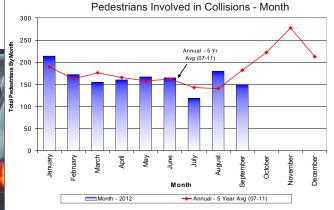
Fatal Collision: A death that has occurred within 366 days of the collision.

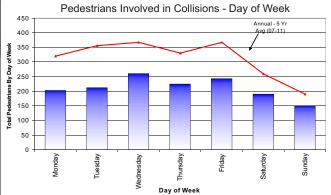


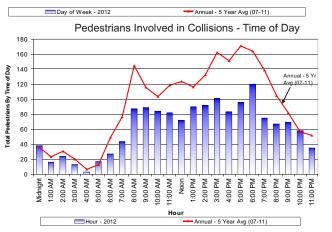
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Pedestrian Collisions - History

Year	Fatal	Injured	Not Injured	Total
2007	23	2,125	104	2,252
2008	27	1,920	108	2,055
2009	31	2,069	100	2,200
2010	20	2,050	92	2,162
2011	19	2,176	82	2,277
2012	18	1,410	54	1,482
Total	138	11,750	540	12,428







Pedestrians Involved in Collisions - Pedestrian Condition

		Annual 5 Yr			
Pedestrian Condition	Fatal	Injured	Not Injured	Total	Avg (07-12)
Normal	7	944	40	991	1,563
Inattentive	1	205	4	210	275
Unknown	8	117	5	130	155
Had been drinking	0	66	2	68	82
Blank	0	28	1	29	44
Medical or physical disability	2	23	1	26	34
Other	0	13	0	13	10
Ability impaired, alcohol	0	9	1	10	16
Ability impaired, alcohol (over .08)	0	2	0	2	3
Ability impaired, drugs	0	2	0	2	5
Fatigue	0	1	0	1	1
Total	18	1,410	54	1,482	2,189

Pedestrians Involved in Collisions - Pedestrian Age Group by Road Class

		2012						
Age Group	Collector	Expressway	Local	Major Arterial	Minor Arterial	Private Property	Grand Total	
Unknown or Blank	2	0	1	24	8	5	40	
0-4 yrs	0	0	5	10	4	4	23	
5-14 yrs	15	0	13	40	14	12	94	
15-19 yrs	9	1	5	77	13	7	112	
20-24 yrs	6	0	10	116	27	9	168	
25-34 yrs	24	3	19	174	30	33	283	
35-44 yrs	13	1	16	104	26	26	186	
45-54 yrs	16	0	7	109	42	34	208	
55-64 yrs	11	0	7	90	24	20	152	
65+ yrs	21	0	15	108	27	45	216	
Total	117	5	98	852	215	195	1,482	

Pedestrians Involved in Collisions - Pedestrian Age Group by Injury

	2012					
Age Group	Fatal	Injured	Not Injured	Total	5 Yr Avg (07-11)	
0-4 yrs	0	18	5	23	41	
5-14 yrs	0	90	4	94	158	
15-19 yrs	2	103	7	112	183	
20-24 yrs	0	163	5	168	238	
25-34 yrs	3	271	9	283	360	
35-44 yrs	1	183	2	186	298	
45-54 yrs	3	198	7	208	306	
55-64 yrs	3	145	4	152	234	
65+ yrs	6	206	4	216	294	
Unknown or Blank	0	33	7	40	77	
Total	18	1,410	54	1,482	2,189	

Pedestrians Involved in Collisions - Road Surface Condition

		Annual 5					
Road Surface Condition	Fatal	Injured	Not Injured	Total	Yr Avg (07-11)		
Dry	15	1,117	46	1,178	1,603		
Wet	2	259	7	268	504		
Other, Unknown or Blank	1	17	1	19	14		
Loose Snow	0	5	0	5	33		
Slush	0	4	0	4	17		
Ice	0	3	0	3	8		
Packed Snow	0	2	0	2	9		
Loose Gravel	0	2	0	2	1		
Spilled Liquid	0	1	0	1	0		
Mud	0	0	0	0	0		
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Pedestrians Involved in Collisions - Traffic Control Type

		2012					
					Annual 5 Yr Avg		
Traffic Control Type	Fatal	Injured	Not Injured	Total	(07-11)		
No Control	11	650	24	685	969		
Traffic Signal	6	615	24	645	946		
Stop Sign	1	113	3	117	202		
Ped Crossover	0	19	2	21	46		
Traffic Controller	0	5	1	6	6		
Streetcar - Stop	0	3	0	3	6		
Other, Unknown, or Blank	0	1	0	1	2		
Yield Sign	0	1	0	1	3		
Police Control	0	1	0	1	6		
School Guard	0	1	0	1	2		
School Bus	0	1	0	1	1		
Traffic Gate	0	0	0	0	1		
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Pedestrians Involved in Collisions - Severity of Injury

Injury Type	2012	Annual 5 Yr Avg (07-11)
Minor	723	1,032
Minimal	558	850
Major	129	186
No Injury	54	97
Fatal	18	24
Total	1,482	2,189

Pedestrians Involved in Collisions - Traffic Control Type by Number of Times Driver Charged

	Number of Times
Type of Control	Driver Charged
Traffic Signal	347
No Control	150
Stop Sign	63
Ped Crossover	15
Streetcar-Stop	0
Police Control	1
School Bus	1
Yield Sign	0
Traffic Controller	3
School Guard	1
Traffic Gate	1
Total	582

The collision information presented in this leaflet was summarized from Motor Vehicle Collision Reports obtained from the Toronto Police Service.

		2012						
Driver Action	Fatal	Injured	Not Injured	Total	Avg (07-11)			
Failed to yield right-of-way	4	572	17	593	950			
Driving Properly	8	362	18	388	652			
Other, Unknown or Blank	2	316	11	329	302			
Improper turn	2	82	2	86	110			
Disobey traffic control	0	36	1	37	62			
Lost control	2	16	1	19	59			
Improper passing	0	14	1	15	16			
Speed too fast for condition	0	9	0	9	15			
Following too close	0	1	2	3	6			
Improper lane change	0	1	1	2	4			
Exceeding speed limit	0	1	0	1	9			
Speed too slow	0	0	0	0	0			
Wrong way on one-way road	0	0	0	0	3			
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		20		Annual 5 Yr	
Driver Condition	Fatal	Injured	Not Injured	Total	Avg (07-11)
Normal	12	736	35	783	1,297
Inattentive	6	404	8	418	473
Unknown	0	213	8	221	310
Blank	0	36	1	37	61
Other	0	9	1	10	14
Had been drinking	0	3	1	4	11
Ability impaired, alcohol (over 0.08)	0	4	0	4	11
Medical or physical disability	0	3	0	3	5
Ability impaired, alcohol	0	2	0	2	6
Ability impaired, drugs	0	0	0	0	1
Fatigue	0	0	0	0	1
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Pedestrian Collision Rate - Toronto compared to other Canadian Cities*

		Total	Collision Rate / 100,000	Pedestrian	Pedestrian Collision Rate / 100,000
City	Population	Collisions	Population	Collisions	Population
Vancouver	642,843	19,566	3,044	532	83
Toronto	2,791,140	54,158	1,940	2,171	78
Montreal	1,978,066	33,756	1,707	1,435	73
Calgary	1,090,936	32,812	3,008	506	46
Hamilton	519,949	3,673	706	221	43
Edmonton	793,000	23,442	2,956	316	40
Ottawa	923,000	14,925	1,617	350	38
Winnipeg	691,800	13,048	1,886	241	35

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	Pedestrian Collisions - 2012			Annual 5 Yr	
Collision Types	Fatal	Injured	Not Injured	Total	Avg (07-11)
Vehicle turns left while ped crosses with ROW at inter.	4	317	5	326	487
Pedestrian hit at mid-block		225	8	241	305
Vehicle turns right while ped crosses with ROW at inter.		182	11	194	247
Pedestrian hit at parking lot		186	4	192	279
Vehicle is going straight thru intersection while ped crosses without ROW		108	4	113	218
Vehicle is going straight Thru intersection while ped crosses with ROW		81	3	85	127
Other, Unknow, or Undefined		59	4	63	98
Pedestrian hit at private driveway		50	3	53	52
Pedestrian hit on sidewalk or shoulder		44	3	48	93
Vehicle is reversing and hits pedestrian		41	2	43	70
Pedestrian involved in a collision with transit vehicle at mid-block		38	1	39	64
Vehicle turns left while ped crosses without ROW at inter.		31	1	32	58
Pedestrian hit at pedestrian crossover (PXO)		20	2	22	46
Vehicle turns right while ped crosses without ROW at inter.		17	2	19	25
Vehicle hits the ped. walking, running out between parked vehicles - midblock		11	1	12	20
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