Phoenix Fire Department
Drowning Report
October 2026

Drownings by Month/Year

Month of Date of Service	2023	2024	2025	2026
January	1	1		1
February	1	4	2	1
March	2	3	4	6
April	4	6	7	3
May	4	10	3	10
June	7	5	5	13
July	9	8	8	10
August	6	2	10	5
September	6	3	6	5
October		5	3	2
November	1		1	
December	2	1	2	
Grand Total	43	48	51	56

Victim Age

Age	2023	2024	2025	2026
Peds (0 - 5)	20	24	29	27
Children (6-12)	6	6	6	1
Teens (13-17)		2	1	
Adults (18+)	17	16	15	28
Grand Total	43	48	51	56

Patient Location

	2023	2024	2025	2026
Bathtub	3	4	8	6
Canal		1	3	2
Hot Tub	1	2	1	3
Pond/Lake	1			1
Pool	37	41	38	44
Toilet			1	
Grand Total	42	48	51	56

Information included when available in patient chart.

Fatality (When Available)

		2023	2024	2025	2026
Peds (0 - 5)	Bathtub	1	1		
	Hot Tub		1		
	Pool	2	11	1	3
Adults (18+)	Bathtub		1	1	3
	Canal			2	1
	Hot Tub				2
	Pond/Lake	1			1
	Pool	7	10	9	10
Grand Total		11	24	13	20

Fatality numbers include those patients who were deceased upon fire personnel's arrival, and where available, those patients who died later at the hospital after the transfer of care.

Historically the Phoenix Fire Department has utilized data from the Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) system to produce statistics. CAD data represents what 911 callers and firefighters tell Fire Department dispatchers. With the implementation of electronic patient care reporting (EPCR) in 2021, the department has begun transitioning t the utilization of EPCR for all medical related calls for service, to provide a more comprehensive and accurate dissemination of statistics.

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