

Table 1 Mechanisms of injury in the studied patients

Mechanism of injury	No. of patients	%
<i>Unintentional injury</i>	692	88.8
Road traffic accident	417	53.5
Pedestrian	184	23.6
Car occupant	124	15.9
Motorcyclist	100	12.8
Other	3	0.4
Unknown	6	0.8
Fall	224	28.8
From a height < 4 m	150	19.3
From a height \geq 4 m	11	1.4
Stumbling/slipping	58	7.4
Unknown	5	0.6
Laceration	23	3.0
Striking with blunt object	12	1.5
Other	16	2.1
<i>Intentional injury</i>	87	11.2
Interpersonal violence	79	10.1
Stabbing	44	5.6
Striking with blunt object	18	2.3
Gunshot	15	1.9
Other	2	0.3
Attempted suicide	8	1.0
<i>Total</i>	779	100.0