This fact sheet describes injuries that resulted in either death or hospitalization during the years 2006-2008 to residents who live in the zip code 33014 of Miami-Dade County. This zip code includes the community of Miami Lakes.

Injury was responsible for 51 deaths and 621 hospitalizations during this 3-year period.

Among the 79 county residential zip codes in the county, 33014 ranked 46th in overall injury rate.

**What Caused Deaths From Injury, 2006-2008**
- Occupants of motor vehicle crashes was the leading cause of death, responsible for 24% of all injury deaths during this 3-year period.
- Seven of the 10 firearm deaths were suicides.

**What Caused Hospitalizations From Injury, 2006-2008**
- Unintentional falls were responsible for 50% of injury hospitalizations during this 3-year period, followed by poisonings (14%) and motor vehicle occupants (9%).

**Which Age Groups Were Most At-Risk to be Injured, 2006-2008**
- Residents from zip code 33014 had higher injury rates for the 25-44 and 65+ age groups compared to the county. Residents aged 65 and older had the highest injury rate. Children <15 years old had the lowest rate.
- The age groups most disparate from the county were 25-44 year olds (55% higher than the county rate) and 45-64 year olds (42% lower than the county rate).
Which Types of Injuries Occurred More Often in 33014 than the County or State, 2006-2008

- The injury rates for zip code 33014 were, for the most part, very similar to county injury rates.
- The self-inflicted poisoning rate for residents of zip code 33014 was 49% higher than the county injury rate but this difference was not statistically significant.
- The injury rate for non-Hispanic residents of zip code 33014 was more than 2-times higher than the county injury rate for non-Hispanics. This difference was due to a higher number of elderly falls and self-inflicted poisonings among male and female Non-Hispanics.

Which Types of Injuries Occurred Less Often in 33014 than the County or State, 2006-2008

- The homicide/assault injury rate was 53% lower in 33014 than the county rate.
- Rates for firearm injuries (both all-cause and homicide-related) were significantly lower than the county and state firearm injury rates.
- The injury rate for Hispanic residents of zip code 33014 was 43% lower than the county injury rate for Hispanic residents.