

International Collaborative Effort on Injury Statistics



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ICE on injury of statistics

- An international activity sponsored by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS)
- Meetings held annually since May 1994.
- Proceedings and past presentations are available at: www.cdc.gov/nchs/advice.htm
- Recent presentations included on the Global Burden of Diseases – Injury website.

Goals of the ICE

- To provide a forum for international exchange and collaboration among injury researchers who develop and promote international standards in injury data collection and analysis.
- To produce products of the highest quality to facilitate the comparability and improved quality of injury data.

Mission and vision

- Mission: To improve international comparability and quality of injury data. The ultimate aim is to provide the data needed to better assess the causes and consequences of injury, differences in injury occurrence over time and place, and the most effective means of prevention and control.
- Vision: There will be injury statistics, which are internationally comparable and useful for injury prevention and control

Organizational collaborations

- US CDC-- NCHS, NCIPC and NIOSH
- WHO Department of Violence and Injury Prevention and Disability
- GBD Injury Expert Group
- Pan American Health Organization
- European Union/Commission
- WHO Center Heads for Classification
- Washington City Group (UN sponsored)
- ISVIP- International Society for Violence and Injury Prevention

What countries have participated?



- Argentina
- Australia
- Barbados
- Brazil
- Canada
- Chile
- Colombia
- Denmark
- England
- Egypt
- Ethiopia
- France
- Ghana
- Israel
- Japan
- Kenya
- Mexico
- New Zealand
- The Netherlands
- Nicaragua
- Nigeria
- Norway
- Puerto Rico
- Scotland
- South Africa
- Spain
- Sri Lanka
- Sweden
- Thailand
- St. Lucia
- United States
- Wales
- Zambia

Previous ICE Projects

- Reporting Frameworks
 - External causes of injury mortality and morbidity
 - Injury diagnoses for both morbidity and mortality
- Selecting a main injury among multiple causes of death
- ICD comparability and definitions
- Occupational injury
- Household survey questions about injuries
- Poisoning – definition and classification questions
- Technical assistance to development of the ICECI

Our most recent projects

- Last meeting in Boston October 2009

Injury Indicators (fatal and nonfatal)

Injury Severity measurement

Disability metrics

Quality of external cause of injury coding

Agenda

Sunday, Sept 19

- 8:45 Non-fatal injury indicators (Colin, Rolf)
- 10:00 WHO VIP update (Margie)
- 11:00 Non-fatal injury indicators outcomes (Belinda)
- 1:00 Updates from participants
- 3:20 Organize breakout work groups for Monday (Margy)

Monday, Sept 20

- 8:30 Breakout work groups
 - Non fatal indicators (Colin, Rolf)
 - Non-fatal injury outcomes (Belinda, Ronan)
- 11:00 Report back and discussion
- 12:00 Next steps (Belinda, Ronan)
- 12:30 Meeting adjourned
- 1:30 Meeting of the ICD-11 Injury and External Causes Topic Advisory Group

Regards from Lois!