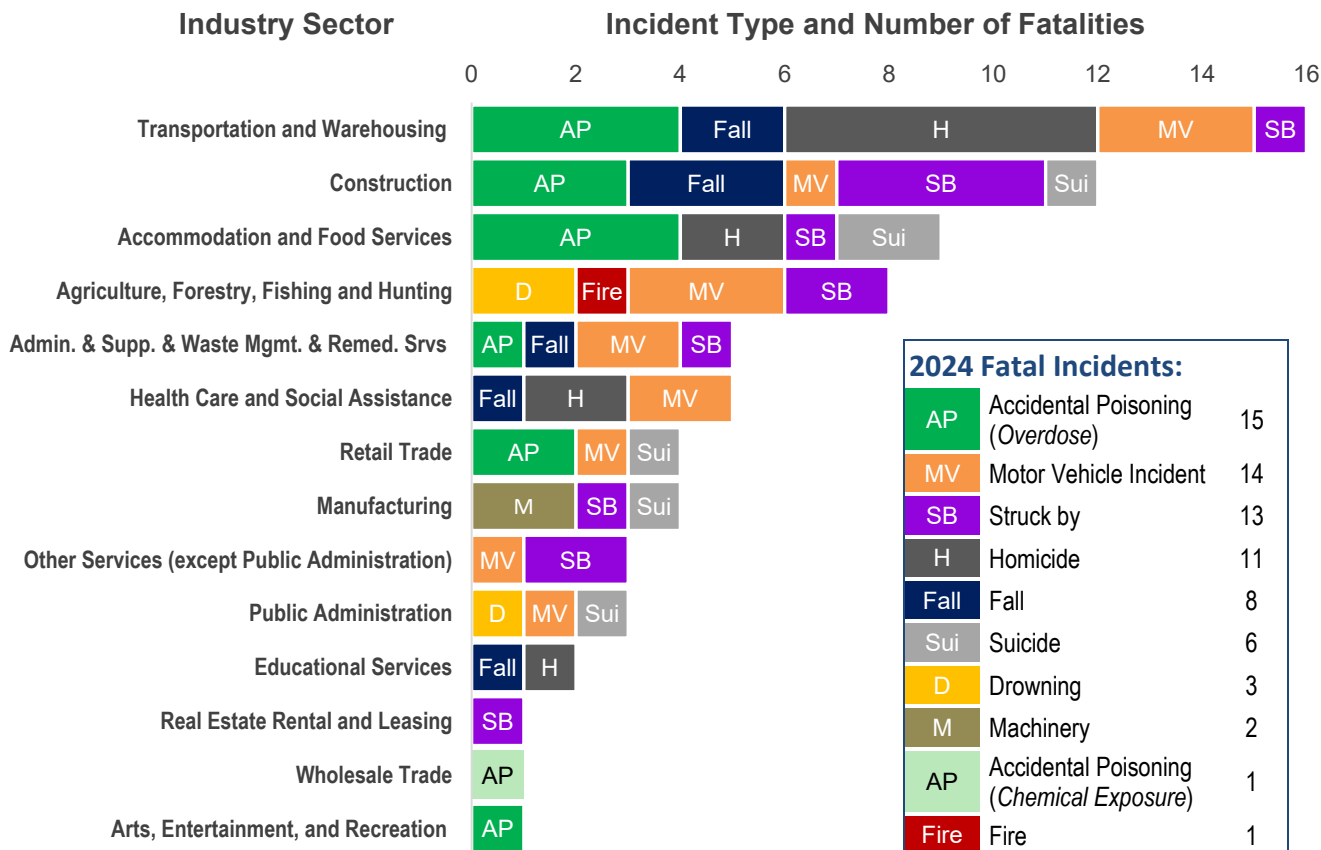


Washington State Work-Related Fatalities, 2024

Washington Fatality Assessment and Control Evaluation program (WA FACE)¹



- 74 workers died on the job in 2024, two more than in 2023.^{2,3}
- 16 transportation and warehousing workers died in 2024, nearly double the number from 2023. Six died by homicide and four died by accidental overdoses.
- 15 workers died of accidental drug overdoses, the most of any incident type, across six industry sectors.
- Motor vehicle incidents (14) were the next most frequent and included four semi-truck drivers.
- Struck by incidents (13) more than doubled in 2024. They included workers in eight industry sectors, four worked in construction.
- Homicides (11) and suicides (6) also increased in 2024.

Fatalities in Previous Years

Year	Annual Total
2020	74
2021	61
2022	82
2023	72
2024	74

1. WA FACE collects information on occupational fatalities in WA State. It receives funding from the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH).
 2. Data are preliminary and are current as of May 15, 2025. Changes to fatality information may occur due to late reports or updates.
 3. Deaths are attributed to the year of injury, not the year of death.