

In Western Australia
from 2011 to 2015 there were
1,165 DEATHS
DUE TO
FALLS

HOSPITALISATIONS



2011 to 2015

119,413

MALE / FEMALE %



2011 to 2015

55%

Female

AGE RANGE



2011 to 2015

INDIVIDUALS AGED
EXPERIENCED THE
HIGHEST RATE OF
HOSPITALISATIONS
65+

COST



2015

157,259 BED DAYS

\$197,632,284

APPROX.

ACCOUNTS FOR



21.3%

OF HOSPITALISATIONS
BY EXTERNAL CAUSES

FOCUS

In Western Australia Aboriginal people make up **3.1%**¹ of the population, however **5.19%** of Falls hospitalisations were Aboriginal People between 2011 and 2015

References:

1. Australian Bureau of Statistics 2016. "Western Australia, People", viewed 5 September 2017, <www.censusdata.abs.gov.au/census_services/getproduct/census/2016/quickstat/67?opendocument>

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REGIONAL HOSPITALISATION RATES
COMPARED TO THE STATE

115% ▲
KIMBERLEY

14% ▲
PILBARA

20% ▲
MIDWEST

2%
GOLDFIELDS

15% ▲
WHEATBELT

2% ▲
NORTH METRO

1% ▲
EAST METRO

8% ▼
SOUTH METRO

18% ▼
GREAT SOUTHERN

7% ▼
SOUTHWEST

Difference in regional hospitalisation rates compared to the WA State hospitalisation rate, 2011 - 2015