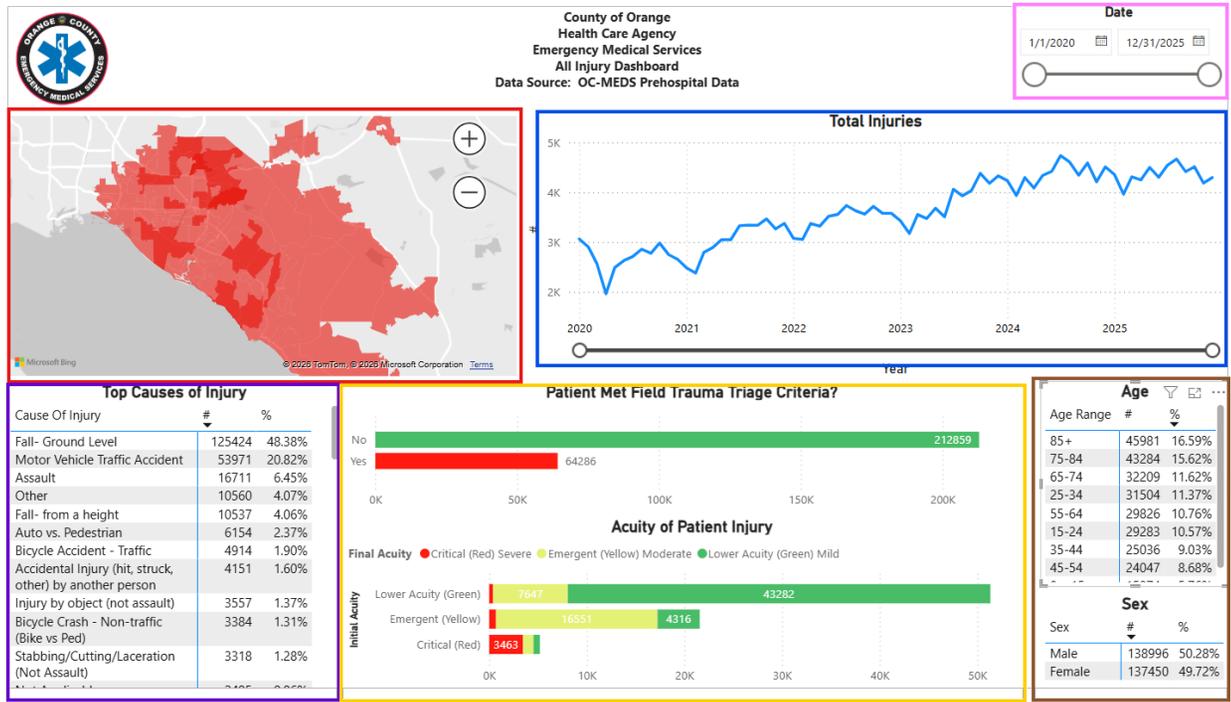




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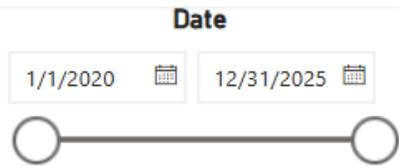
The **OC-MEDS All Injury Dashboard** displays the cause and severity of injury as documented by EMS providers during emergent 9-1-1 patient responses. These instructions provide guidance on how to use the dynamic features and understand the data in these visualizations.

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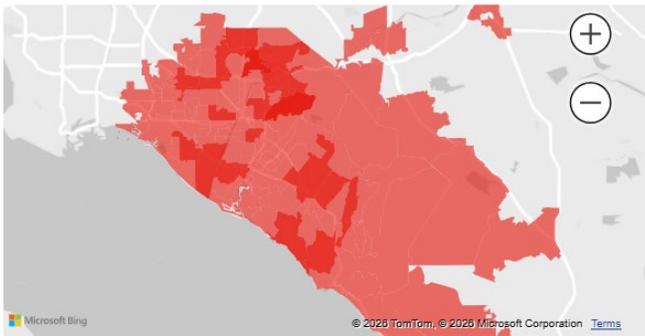
OC-MEDS Prehospital Data

Reference:

[OC-MEDS Data Dictionary](#)



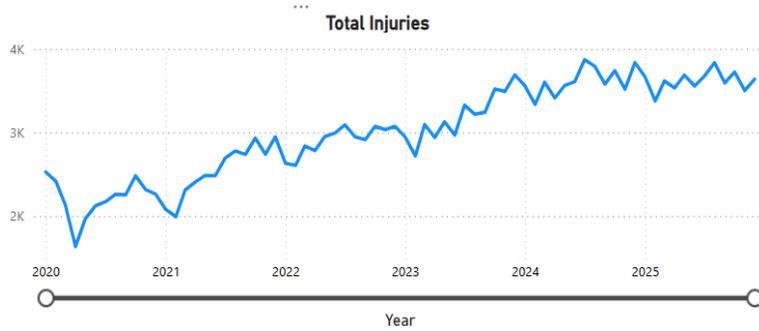
Date Range Slider: Desired date range can be direct entered, or the slider can be used. This dynamic affects ALL of the visualizations displayed.



County Heat Map: Desired geographic focus can be selected by clicking on the map, which is segmented by the zip code of the injury scene location. This dynamic affects ALL visualizations; however, the severity indicators (Patient Met Trauma Triage Criteria & Acuity of Patient Injury) will display a highlighted focus over a total county-wide count.



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Longitudinal Run Chart: The data slider here only affects this visualization. However, individual months can be selected for focus by clicking on the line. Note that OC-MEDS did not start uniformly documenting Acuity of Patient Injury until Jan. 1, 2024.

| Cause Of Injury | # | % |
|--|--------|--------|
| Fall- Ground Level | 125424 | 48.38% |
| Motor Vehicle Traffic Accident | 53971 | 20.82% |
| Assault | 16711 | 6.45% |
| Other | 10560 | 4.07% |
| Fall- from a height | 10537 | 4.06% |
| Auto vs. Pedestrian | 6154 | 2.37% |
| Bicycle Accident - Traffic | 4914 | 1.90% |
| Accidental Injury (hit, struck, other) by another person | 4151 | 1.60% |
| Injury by object (not assault) | 3557 | 1.37% |
| Bicycle Crash - Non-traffic (Bike vs Ped) | 3384 | 1.31% |
| Stabbing/Cutting/Laceration (Not Assault) | 3318 | 1.28% |

| Age Range | # | % |
|-----------|-------|--------|
| 85+ | 45981 | 16.59% |
| 75-84 | 43284 | 15.62% |
| 65-74 | 32209 | 11.62% |
| 25-34 | 31504 | 11.37% |
| 55-64 | 29826 | 10.76% |
| 15-24 | 29283 | 10.57% |
| 35-44 | 25036 | 9.03% |
| 45-54 | 24047 | 8.68% |

| Sex | # | % |
|--------|--------|--------|
| Male | 138996 | 50.28% |
| Female | 137450 | 49.72% |

Categorical Tables: Both tables here work the same way. The default sort for both shows high to low case distribution. By clicking on the column headers, you can custom sort, and click again to reverse the order, low to high vs. high to low.

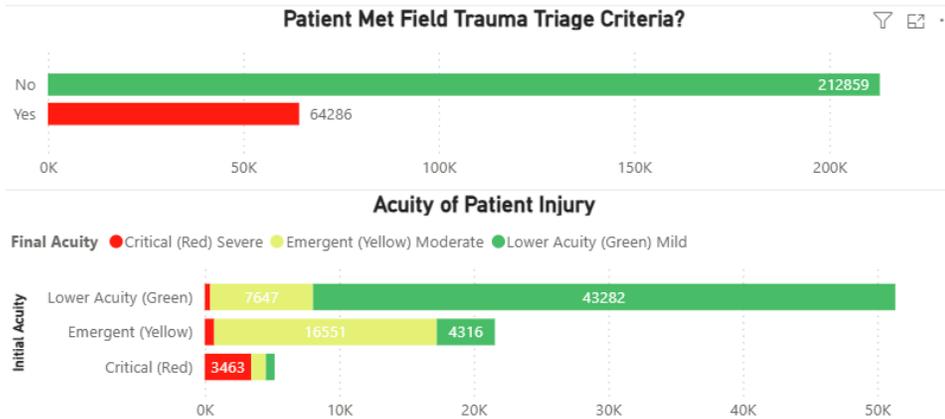
Each category may also be subjected to focus by clicking on each row. Categories may be aggregated by Ctrl + Click.

These dynamics affect ALL visualizations; however, the severity indicators (Patient Met Trauma Triage Criteria & Acuity of Patient Injury) will display a highlighted focus over a total county-wide count.

Note that the data displayed in these tables is conditional on other dynamics selected, such as date range or zip code focus.



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Bar Chart: Provides a comparison between those patients who did and did not meet Trauma Triage Criteria (eInjury.03 and eInjury.04) as an indicator of severity.

When using other dynamics, this bar chart will allow further comparison between a select variable and the total county-wide count, as shown in a highlighted focus.

Hovering over the categories provides a differential count.

Segmented Bar Chart: The bars provide a comparison of Initial Acuity (eSituation.13), while the segments visualize a comparison of Final Acuity (eDisposition.19).

When using other dynamics, this bar chart will allow further comparison between a select variable and the total county-wide count, as shown in a highlighted focus.

Hovering over the categories provides a differential count.