

## SECTION 7: LOCAL BODY CASUALTIES AND CRASHES



TABLE 46: CRASHES AND CASUALTIES BY POPULATION CENTRE\* YEAR ENDING 31 DECEMBER 2008

Local Body Name	Population (000)	Injury crashes	Fatal crashes	Total injuries	Total deaths	Crashes per 10,000 population	Casualties per 10,000 Population
CITIES							
North Shore	223.0	408	3	480	4	18	22
Waitakere	201.3	440	3	561	3	22	28
Auckland	438.1	1146	8	1421	8	26	33
Manukau	361.9	651	15	835	20	18	24
Hamilton	138.5	362	1	462	1	26	33
Napier	57.0	152	-	181	-	27	32
Palmerston North	79.3	158	8	210	8	21	28
Porirua	51.0	83	4	105	4	17	21
Upper Hutt	40.2	81	3	95	3	21	24
Hutt	101.7	262	3	330	4	26	33
Wellington	192.8	549	5	664	6	29	35
Nelson	44.7	109	1	129	1	25	29
Christchurch	369.0	1013	16	1278	16	28	35
Dunedin	123.0	480	4	682	4	39	56
DISTRICTS							
Far North	57.9	174	8	265	10	31	48
Whangarei	78.2	214	15	296	15	29	40
Kaipara	18.6	74	4	100	4	42	56
Rodney	96.4	293	9	421	9	31	45
Papakura	48.3	125	2	178	2	26	37
Franklin	63.2	195	9	295	9	32	48
Thames Coromandel	26.8	78	3	115	3	30	44
Hauraki	17.7	68	7	87	7	42	53
Waikato	46.8	181	7	252	10	40	56
Matamata-Piako	31.4	125	15	196	16	45	68
Waipa	44.7	117	7	170	7	28	40
Otorohanga	9.2	46	-	59	-	50	64
South Waikato	22.8	64	8	98	12	32	48
Waitomo	9.6	46	2	58	2	50	63
Taupo	33.4	118	14	180	15	40	58
Western Bay of Plenty	44.4	108	6	171	6	26	40
Tauranga	110.5	166	3	202	5	15	19
Rotorua	68.1	175	6	250	6	27	38
Whakatane	34.4	90	6	143	6	28	43
Kawerau	7.1	3	1	4	1	6	7
Opotiki	9.1	30	4	39	5	38	49
Gisborne	45.9	146	7	219	8	33	50
Wairoa	8.5	28	5	37	6	39	51
Hastings	73.9	215	7	300	7	30	42
Central Hawke's Bay	13.3	34	-	52	-	26	39
New Plymouth	71.8	212	4	283	4	30	40
Stratford	9.1	33	1	48	1	37	54
South Taranaki	26.8	72	2	123	2	28	47
Ruapehu	13.7	52	3	69	3	40	53
Wanganui	43.4	98	1	126	1	23	29
Rangitikei	15.0	56	3	80	3	40	56

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Local Body Name	Population (000)	Injury crashes	Fatal crashes	Total injuries	Total deaths	Crashes per 10,000 population	Casualties per 10,000 Population
DISTRICTS							
Manawatu	29.3	99	6	150	8	36	54
Tararua	17.8	67	3	90	3	39	52
Horowhenua	30.6	94	4	133	5	32	45
Kapiti Coast	48.4	79	1	101	1	17	21
Masterton	23.2	68	1	90	1	30	39
Carterton	7.4	17	-	22	-	23	30
South Wairarapa	9.2	29	2	35	2	34	40
Tasman	46.5	131	8	192	8	30	43
Marlborough	44.5	123	1	170	1	28	38
Kaikoura	3.8	18	2	24	2	53	69
Buller	10.0	35	2	55	2	37	57
Grey	13.7	40	4	55	5	32	44
Westland	8.8	41	1	63	1	48	73
Hurunui	10.9	64	2	96	2	61	90
Waimakariri	46.1	78	3	105	4	18	24
Selwyn	37.5	103	4	144	7	29	40
Ashburton	28.7	58	7	83	7	23	31
Timaru	43.9	92	4	121	4	22	29
Mackenzie	4.0	19	3	29	3	56	81
Waimate	7.5	21	3	26	3	32	39
Chatham Island	0.6	3	1	3	1	63	63
Waitaki	20.7	87	4	125	4	44	62
Central Otago	17.7	64	5	99	6	39	59
Queenstown-Lakes	26.4	90	3	137	3	35	53
Clutha	17.4	77	3	113	4	46	67
Southland	29.1	159	4	235	4	56	82
Gore	12.3	40	4	62	5	36	55
Invercargill	51.6	190	3	267	3	37	52

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**TABLE 47: PEDESTRIAN, MOTORCYCLE AND PEDAL CYCLE CRASHES BY POPULATION CENTRE \***  
YEAR ENDING 31 DECEMBER 2008

Local Body Name	Number of crashes					
	Pedestrians		Motorcyclists		Pedal cyclists	
CITIES						
North Shore	46	(1)	44	(1)	28	(-)
Waitakere	36	(-)	44	(1)	27	(-)
Auckland	132	(-)	140	(2)	94	(1)
Manukau	69	(3)	54	(3)	32	(-)
Hamilton	37	(-)	50	(-)	43	(-)
Napier	11	(-)	25	(-)	22	(-)
Palmerston North	9	(-)	21	(3)	25	(-)
Porirua	6	(2)	9	(1)	5	(-)
Upper Hutt	8	(-)	15	(-)	9	(1)
Hutt	32	(1)	25	(-)	26	(1)
Wellington	96	(1)	72	(1)	88	(-)
Nelson	9	(-)	19	(-)	23	(-)
Christchurch	88	(4)	113	(3)	156	(-)
Dunedin	59	(2)	40	(-)	34	(-)
DISTRICTS						
Far North	8	(2)	18	(1)	-	(-)
Whangarei	16	(-)	24	(3)	5	(2)
Kaipara	1	(-)	10	(-)	-	(-)
Rodney	13	(2)	40	(1)	10	(-)
Papakura	7	(-)	15	(-)	5	(-)
Franklin	10	(-)	18	(-)	9	(-)
Thames Coromandel	1	(-)	14	(1)	2	(-)
Hauraki	2	(-)	7	(2)	2	(-)
Waikato	7	(-)	17	(-)	4	(-)
Matamata-Piako	6	(1)	13	(-)	4	(-)
Waipa	5	(-)	11	(1)	6	(-)
Otorohanga	-	(-)	10	(-)	1	(-)
South Waikato	4	(-)	9	(1)	4	(-)
Waitomo	-	(-)	5	(-)	2	(-)
Taupo	5	(1)	12	(4)	5	(1)
Western Bay of Plenty	3	(-)	12	(-)	2	(-)
Tauranga	19	(1)	31	(-)	17	(-)
Rotorua	14	(1)	13	(-)	16	(-)
Whakatane	4	(-)	9	(2)	5	(-)
Kawerau	-	(-)	-	(-)	-	(-)
Opotiki	-	(-)	6	(1)	1	(-)
Gisborne	10	(-)	12	(-)	19	(-)
Wairoa	2	(-)	1	(1)	-	(-)
Hastings	9	(-)	26	(1)	23	(-)
Central Hawkes Bay	1	(-)	3	(-)	-	(-)
New Plymouth	17	(-)	40	(1)	11	(-)
Stratford	2	(-)	2	(-)	-	(-)
South Taranaki	8	(-)	5	(-)	1	(-)
Ruapehu	2	(-)	1	(1)	1	(-)
Wanganui	8	(-)	16	(-)	10	(-)
Rangitikei	2	(-)	7	(1)	-	(-)

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YEAR ENDING 31 DECEMBER 2008

Local Body Name	Number of crashes					
	Pedestrians		Motorcyclists		Pedal cyclists	
DISTRICTS						
Manawatu	5	(-)	12	(-)	6	(-)
Tararua	2	(-)	4	(2)	1	(-)
Horowhenua	5	(-)	14	(-)	3	(-)
Kapiti Coast	5	(-)	10	(-)	5	(-)
Masterton	10	(-)	15	(1)	6	(-)
Carterton	4	(-)	5	(-)	-	(-)
South Wairarapa	-	(-)	3	(1)	1	(-)
Tasman	4	(2)	23	(-)	8	(-)
Marlborough	3	(-)	17	(-)	10	(-)
Kaikoura	-	(-)	3	(1)	1	(-)
Buller	1	(1)	8	(-)	1	(-)
Grey	2	(1)	5	(-)	4	(-)
Westland	-	(1)	11	(-)	-	(-)
Hurunui	3	(-)	7	(-)	2	(-)
Waimakariri	4	(1)	13	(-)	2	(-)
Selwyn	1	(-)	12	(2)	3	(-)
Ashburton	4	(1)	4	(1)	7	(-)
Timaru	4	(-)	11	(1)	10	(1)
Mackenzie	-	(-)	-	(-)	2	(-)
Waimate	-	(-)	3	(-)	1	(-)
Chatham Island	-	(-)	-	(-)	-	(-)
Waitaki	4	(-)	10	(-)	7	(1)
Central Otago	1	(1)	4	(1)	1	(-)
Queenstown-Lakes	3	(-)	8	(1)	7	(-)
Clutha	2	(-)	9	(-)	-	(-)
Southland	2	(-)	16	(-)	-	(-)
Gore	2	(1)	3	(1)	2	(-)
Invercargill	12	(-)	21	(-)	17	(2)

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**TABLE 48: LOCAL BODY CRASHES AND CASUALTIES YEAR ENDING 31 DECEMBER**

City	Number of crashes Year crash happened					2008 Casualties			
Local body names	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Fatal injuries	Serious injuries	Minor injuries	Total Casualties
Auckland	1094	1201	1162	1132	1154	8	150	1271	1429
Christchurch	717	807	939	1067	1029	16	216	1062	1294
Dunedin	499	535	475	500	484	4	99	583	686
Hamilton	274	275	292	368	363	1	58	404	463
Hutt	188	143	182	275	265	4	42	288	334
Manukau	552	543	706	702	666	20	105	730	855
Napier	137	134	136	164	152	-	32	149	181
Nelson	119	105	111	105	110	1	24	105	130
North Shore	453	464	472	447	411	4	33	447	484
Palmerston North	160	183	186	180	166	8	46	164	218
Porirua	112	105	99	105	87	4	23	82	109
Upper Hutt	43	72	71	90	84	3	20	75	98
Waitakere	433	381	397	402	443	3	45	516	564
Wellington	328	376	412	515	554	6	92	572	670
<b>Total</b>	<b>5109</b>	<b>5324</b>	<b>5640</b>	<b>6052</b>	<b>5968</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>985</b>	<b>6448</b>	<b>7515</b>

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TABLE 48: LOCAL BODY CRASHES AND CASUALTIES YEAR ENDING 31 DECEMBER

District	Number of crashes Year crash happened					2008 Casualties			
Local body names	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Fatal injuries	Serious injuries	Minor injuries	Total Casualties
Ashburton	47	48	45	79	65	7	14	69	90
Buller	36	32	39	55	37	2	12	43	57
Carterton	17	22	12	35	17	-	4	18	22
Central Hawkes Bay	36	45	36	35	34	-	28	24	52
Central Otago	86	85	74	74	69	6	21	78	105
Chatham Island	5	4	6	5	4	1	-	3	4
Clutha	99	112	119	105	80	4	17	96	117
Far North	224	179	226	245	182	10	51	214	275
Franklin	187	184	212	189	204	9	51	244	304
Gisborne	101	124	114	109	153	8	39	180	227
Gore	48	44	41	29	44	5	10	52	67
Grey	38	34	36	37	44	5	7	48	60
Hastings	263	294	286	273	222	7	65	235	307
Hauraki	88	80	69	83	75	7	16	71	94
Horowhenua	58	85	95	95	98	5	33	100	138
Hurunui	54	64	66	83	66	2	33	63	98
Invercargill	198	212	256	206	193	3	25	242	270
Kaikoura	23	13	25	29	20	2	5	19	26
Kaipara	87	87	95	103	78	4	29	71	104
Kapiti Coast	78	97	96	95	80	1	19	82	102
Kawerau	3	3	6	5	4	1	1	3	5
Mackenzie	16	20	27	23	22	3	5	24	32
Manawatu	101	82	95	95	105	8	43	107	158
Marlborough	107	113	124	135	124	1	32	138	171
Masterton	57	70	74	61	69	1	15	75	91
Matamata-Piako	90	92	91	94	140	16	43	153	212
New Plymouth	167	180	213	229	216	4	46	237	287
Opotiki	35	24	27	27	34	5	11	28	44
Otorohanga	29	37	54	40	46	-	14	45	59
Papakura	127	118	121	141	127	2	25	153	180
Queenstown-Lakes	107	125	105	126	93	3	23	114	140
Rangitikei	43	58	57	59	59	3	16	64	83
Rodney	247	232	263	288	302	9	82	339	430
Rotorua	193	167	178	184	181	6	43	207	256
Ruapehu	64	44	55	67	55	3	9	60	72
Selwyn	67	81	81	99	107	7	29	115	151
South Taranaki	92	80	68	72	74	2	22	101	125
South Waikato	82	74	63	70	72	12	31	67	110
South Wairarapa	41	26	28	37	31	2	9	26	37
Southland	129	184	171	174	163	4	54	181	239
Stratford	16	15	29	37	34	1	9	39	49
Taranua	51	63	64	69	70	3	22	68	93
Tasman	113	107	108	138	139	8	40	152	200
Taupo	98	126	141	150	132	15	43	137	195
Tauranga	144	173	167	179	169	5	37	165	207
Thames Coromandel	57	88	81	88	81	3	20	95	118
Timaru	78	85	104	115	96	4	24	97	125
Waikato	203	192	195	216	188	10	45	207	262
Waimakariri	84	91	81	85	81	4	17	88	109
Waimate	26	19	14	36	24	3	8	18	29
Waipa	117	125	132	121	124	7	33	137	177
Wairoa	34	46	29	47	33	6	10	27	43
Waitaki	103	97	94	94	91	4	22	103	129
Waitomo	53	71	60	65	48	2	8	50	60
Wanganui	81	101	71	93	99	1	21	105	127
Western Bay of Plenty	110	82	108	145	114	6	56	115	177
Westland	26	40	45	31	42	1	20	43	64
Whakatane	85	82	76	97	96	6	28	115	149
Whangarei	210	226	203	195	229	15	51	245	311
<b>Totals</b>	<b>5259</b>	<b>5484</b>	<b>5651</b>	<b>5991</b>	<b>5679</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>1546</b>	<b>6195</b>	<b>8025</b>





FIGURE 29: 2008 CASUALTIES PER 10,000 POPULATION

