HALLOWEEN SAFETY

By the Numbers

An estimated total of 4,500 Halloween related injuries from October through November 2017.

41% were related to pumpkin carving activities.

32% were due to falls while putting up or taking down decorations, tripping on costumes, or just walking while trick-or-treating.

22% of the injuries included lacerations, ingestions, and other costume, pumpkin or decoration related injuries.

5% were due to allergic reactions or rashes.

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