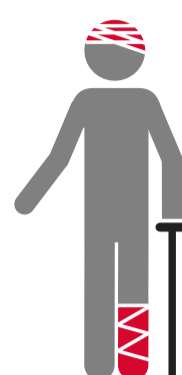


# U.S. BURN INJURY STATISTICS



FROM A FIRE OR BURN IN THE UNITED STATES

IN 2013, THERE WERE  
**3,220 DEATHS**

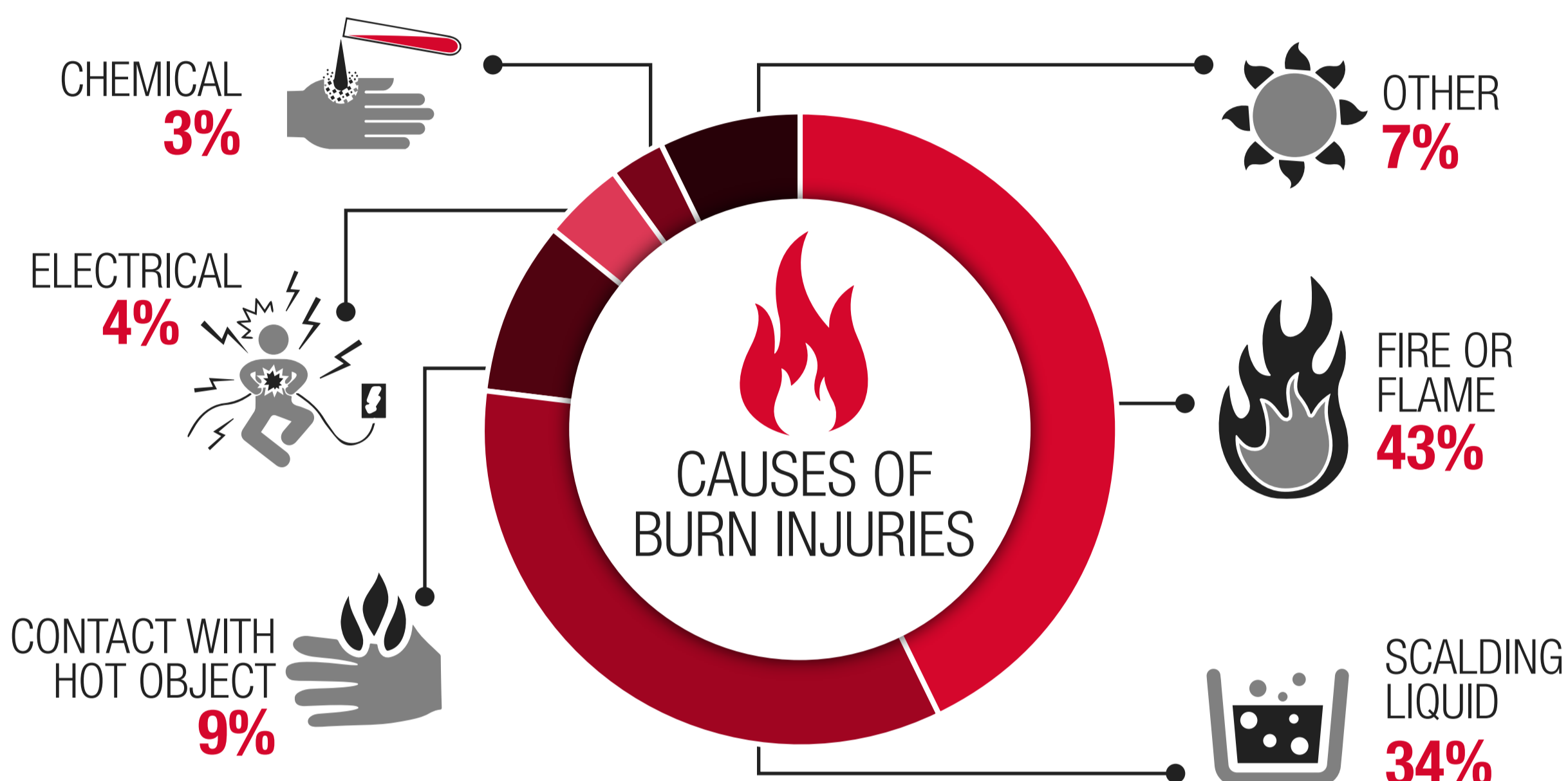


APPROXIMATELY  
**436,000** PEOPLE  
REQUIRED MEDICAL  
TREATMENT FOR BURNS



IN 2013,  
**334 CHILDREN**  
(AGES 19 AND UNDER)  
DIED FROM  
**FIRES OR BURNS**

**126,035 CHILDREN**  
(AGES 19 AND UNDER)  
WERE SEEN IN EMERGENCY ROOMS  
FOR FIRE AND BURN INJURIES



## WHERE BURN INJURIES OCCUR



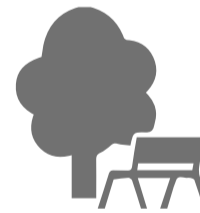
**73%** AT HOME



**8%** INDUSTRIAL



**5%** STREET OR HIGHWAY



**5%** RECREATIONAL OR SPORT



**9%** OTHER

WORK-RELATED  
BURN INJURIES  
ACCOUNTED  
FOR **13.7%**  
OF ALL BURN  
INJURIES



NEARLY **1 OUT OF 5** HOSPITAL  
ADMITTED BURN PATIENTS REQUIRE



PLASTIC OR RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY  
FOLLOWING A RESIDENTIAL FIRE

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