

involuntary

[ɪnˈvɒlənt(ə)rɪ]

- 1) ненамеренный, непреднамеренный
involuntary injury - случайное повреждение /ранение/
- 2) невольный, произвольный, независимый от воли
involuntary weeping - невольные слёзы
- 3) *физиол.* рефлексивный
2. вынужденный, принудительный

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in·vol·un·tar·y [involuntarily involuntary] *BrE* [ɪnˈvɒləntɹɪ] *NAmE* [ɪnˈvɑːləntetʃɪ]

adjective

1. an involuntary movement, etc. is made suddenly, without you intending it or being able to control it
 - an involuntary cry of pain

Opp: ↑voluntary

2. happening without the person concerned wanting it to
 - the involuntary repatriation of immigrants
 - involuntary childlessness

Derived Word ↑involuntarily

Example Bank:

- The distinction between voluntary and involuntary unemployment is often blurred.
- There was a concerted programme of involuntary repatriation.
- the forced/involuntary repatriation of the refugees

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[**Word Family:** **verb:** ↑volunteer; **noun:** ↑volunteer; **adverb:** ↑voluntarily ≠ ↑involuntarily; **adjective:** ↑voluntary ≠ ↑involuntary]

1. an involuntary movement, sound, reaction etc is one that you make suddenly and without intending to because you cannot control yourself:

When Willie tapped on the window, Miguel gave an involuntary jump.

2. happening to you although you do not want it to:

involuntary part-time workers

—**involuntarily** *adverb*

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