ND Drug Overdose Deaths Overview

North Dakota Drug Overdose Death Reporting

Data Notes: Finalized Data for 2019 and 2020 *Preliminary Data for 2021 and 2022

Numbers represent both ND residents and Out-of-State residents where the initial injury occurred in ND

Data Source: ND Department of Health & Human Services

Last Updated: February 9, 2023

2019 Drug
Overdose Deaths
76

(Statewide)

2020 Drug
Overdose Deaths

115
(Statewide)

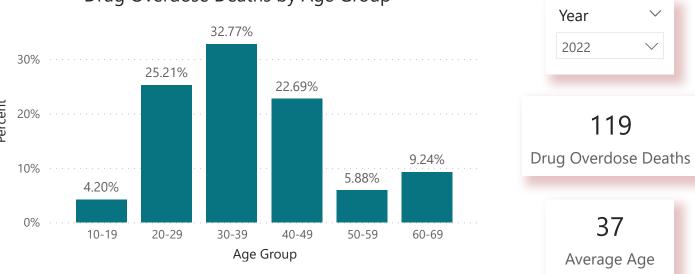
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Overdose Deaths

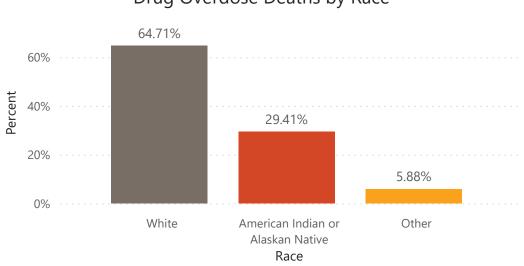
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(Statewide)

2022* Drug
Overdose Deaths

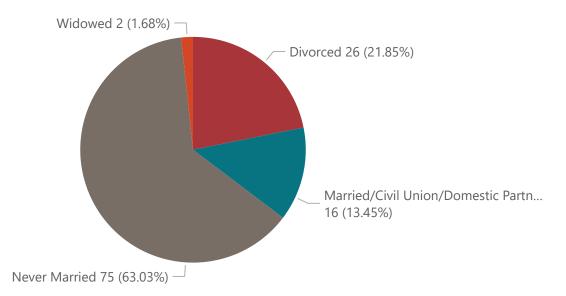
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Benzodiazepines

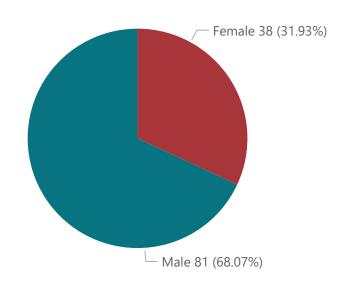




Drug Overdose Deaths Marital Status



Drug Overdose Deaths Gender





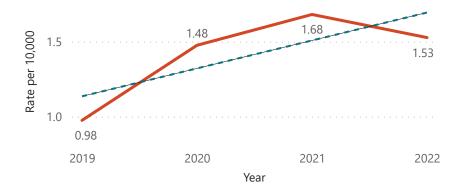


ND Drug Overdose Death Location

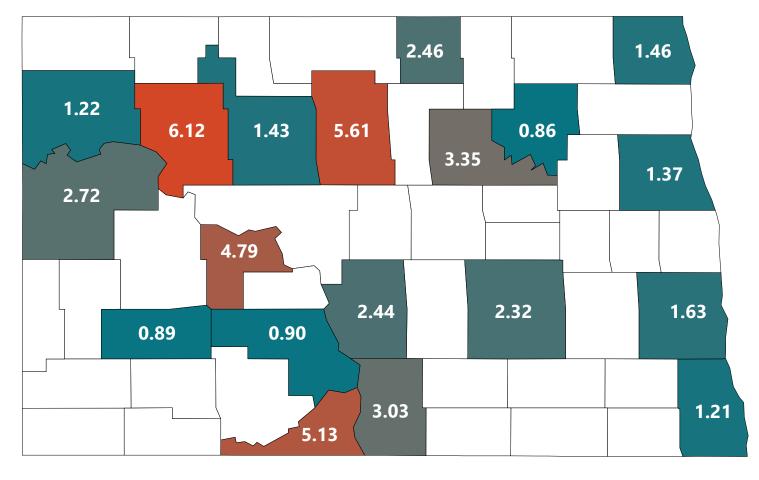


Drug Overdose Death Rate per 10,000

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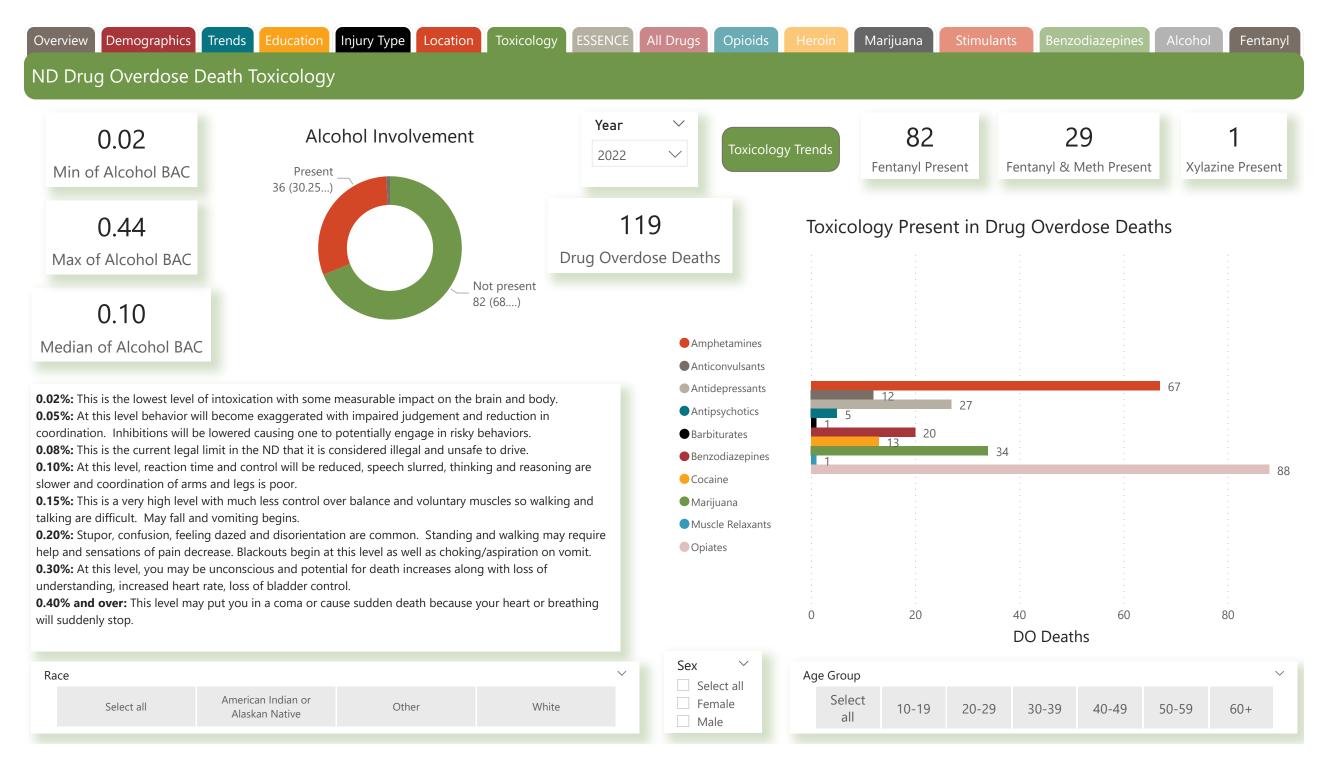


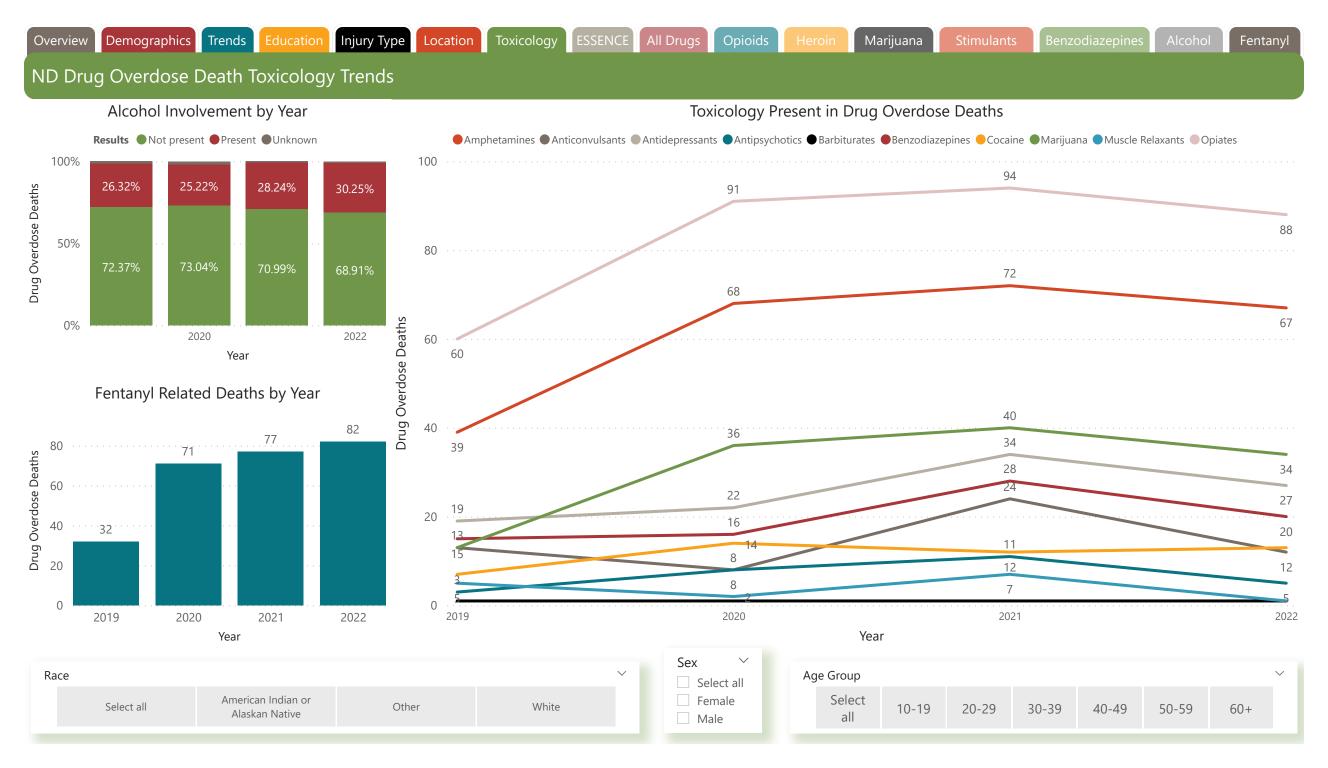
Drug Overdose Death Rate per 10,000 by County Where Injury Occurred



High

Low





ESSENCE Data Information

North Dakota ESSENCE Data Information

The Electronic Surveillance System for the Early Notification of Community-Based Epidemics (ESSENCE), captures syndromic surveillance data from hospitals in the State. This includes data from all acute care and critical access hospitals. This data consists of emergency department, urgent care and walk-in-clinic visit information. The purpose is to capture and analyze health-indicator data to identify abnormal health conditions, events, and enable early detection of outbreaks.

The data provided on the "Attempts" page was obtained from the ND ESSENCE. Please note the caveats of this data:

- 1. These numbers represent a syndrome definition that utilizes both ICD-10 codes and chief complaint which looks for key words. These **should not** be considered a true "number of cases." Syndromes may also contain "noise" meaning that the syndrome data may count actual non-related events.
- 2. NOT every hospital submits both ICD and chief complaint so some visits may be missing.
- 3. Some hospitals only submit data on ND residents. Transient populations may not be included; therefore, underestimating the impact.
- 4. Increase in number may be due to actual increases or it may be due to increase in number of facilities participating.



