

ODMAP Suspected Overdose Submissions - In the Last Month

■ Entries Per Day — 3-Day Moving Avg



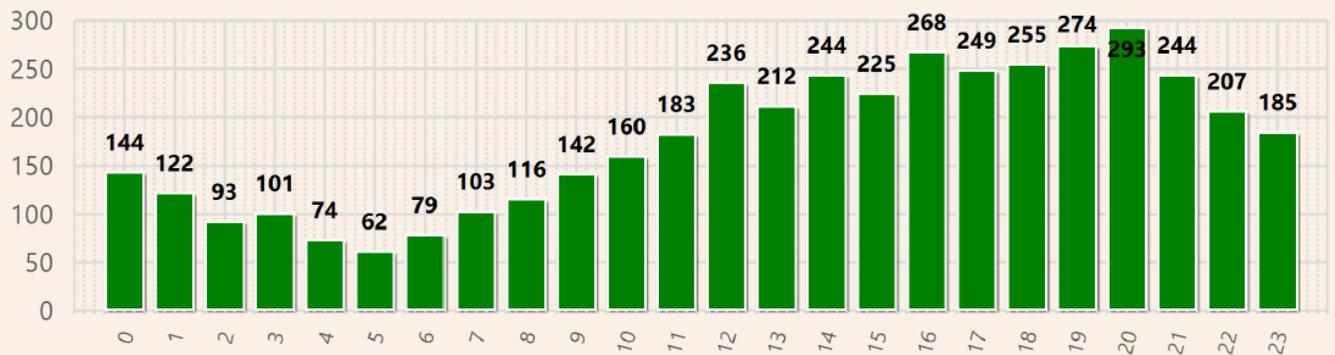
These counts represent the number of overdoses reported to ODMAP and are not official counts.

April, 2020 ODMAP Suspected OD Submissions by day.

This graph shows total suspected overdoses called in each day during the time period. The red line running horizontally shows a 3-day moving average of call-ins.

ODMAP Suspected Overdose Submissions - All Data Submitted

■ Per Hour of the Day



Hour of the Day - Incident Time

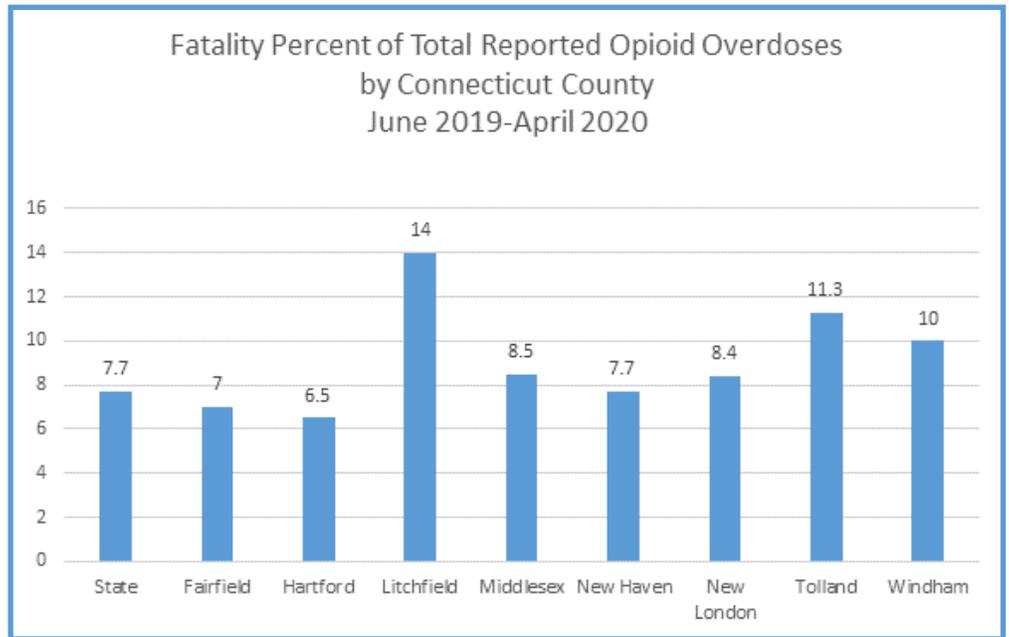
Cumulative (June—April 30, 2020) Overdoses by the Hour of the Day

This graph shows the hour of the day suspected overdose incidents have occurred statewide since the SWORD program began on June 1, 2019.

Note: All data in this newsletter comes from reports made by CT EMS and can be viewed in ODMAP Level 2

SWORD Sees The Highest Number of Fatal OD's Reported To Date In April 2020

In April, 10% of SWORD reported overdoses were fatal, this is the highest monthly fatality percentage since reporting began in June of 2019. Of the thirty (30) fatalities, New London County had the highest percentage 23%, followed by Hartford County at 12%. The eleven (11) month fatality percentage is currently 7.7% percent. Please do your best to report all suspected overdose fatalities to the Connecticut Poison Control Center. This reporting is not only important for public safety, but our public health, and behavioral health partners, and is required by law.



Above is the eleven (11) month fatality percentage rate for the State of CT , as well as all CT Counties.



The following are some of the bag stamps encountered in May: Way to Go, USA, Decoy, Apple, Atomic, Triple X, Wells Fargo, Just for You, and Corona Virus. This information is shared with public health and safety officials and harm reduction groups, enabling them to better target resources. If present, and safe to do so, responders are urged to take a photo of the identified heroin bag at the scene and email to poisoncontrol@uchc.edu with the CPCC case number given when the reported overdose is called in.

* Though difficult to read, the "Corona Virus" bag is pictured at left

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Thank you for your participation!

