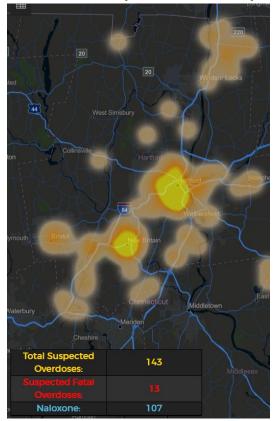
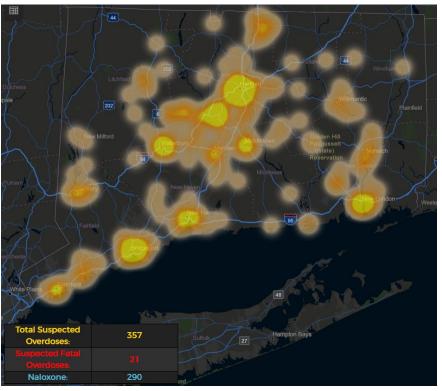


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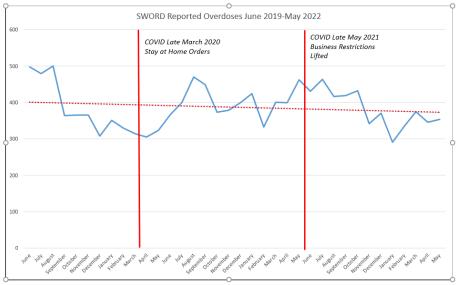
Connecticut Opioid Heat Map



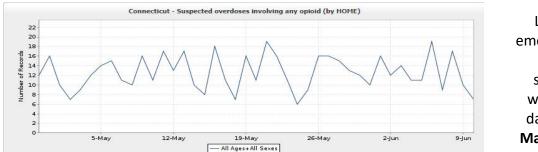


In the month of May the State of Connecticut saw increased overdose activity in Hartford and Fairfield counties. Hartford county pictured on the left. The heatmaps depicted, above show cumulative data for the month of May 2022.

Apparent Decline in Non-fatal Overdoses

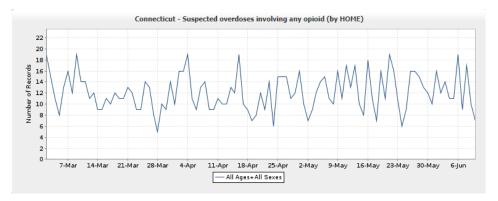


- Since June of 2021, SWORD-reported opioid overdoses are down 6.1% over the previous year.
- Since August 2021, SWORD reported overdoses were lower every month over the preceding year with the exception of October 2021 and February 2022.\
- January 1, 2022 to May 31, 2022, overdoses are down 15.5% over the same January to May period in 2021.
- According to the Office of the State Medical Examiner (OCME) fatal opioid overdoses increased by 10.9% percent in calendar year 2021 over calendar year 2020. SWORD-reported opioid overdoses during this same time period increased by 9.6%.

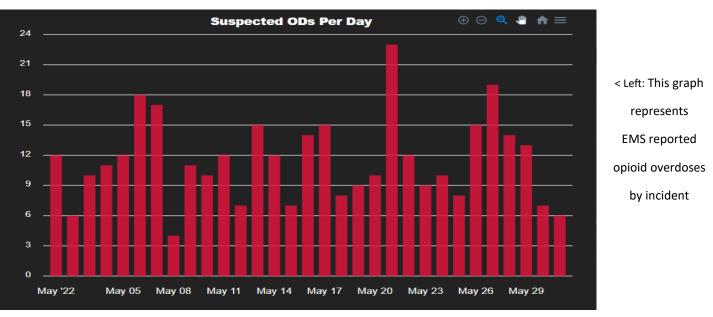


Left: < Total count of emergency department visits related to suspected overdoses with any opioid*. This data shows counts for May 2022 for the state

Right: > Total count of emergency department visits related to suspected overdoses with any opioid*. This data shows total counts for the **previous 90 days** for the state of Connecticut.



Data, above, represents the total count of emergency department visits (Syndromic Surveillance) related to prescription and illicit opioid drug overdoses. Data reflects overdoses based on town/city resident. It does not include non-resident overdoses. Data subject to change.



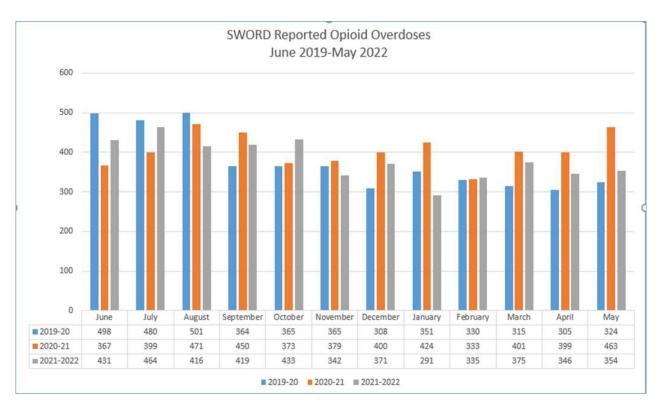
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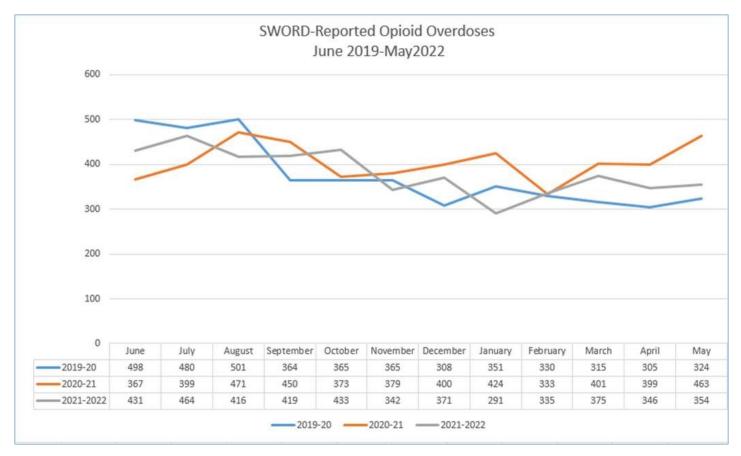
SWORD Statewide Reporting May 2022

In the month of May 2022, there were 357 calls to the Connecticut Poison Control Center (CPCC) for SWORD. Of these calls, 336 were non-fatal and 21 resulted in fatalities. There were 290 total naloxone administrations: one hundred and 157 non-fatal multiple doses of naloxone administered, 125 non-fatal single dose naloxone, and 47 non-fatal with no naloxone administered. Of the 21 fatalities, seven received multiple doses of naloxone, one received single dose, and 13 with no naloxone administered.

The 357 cases involved suspected overdoses from all of our counties: Fairfield 67, Hartford 143, Litchfield 17, Middlesex 18, New Haven 57, New London 42, Tolland five, and Windham eight eight.

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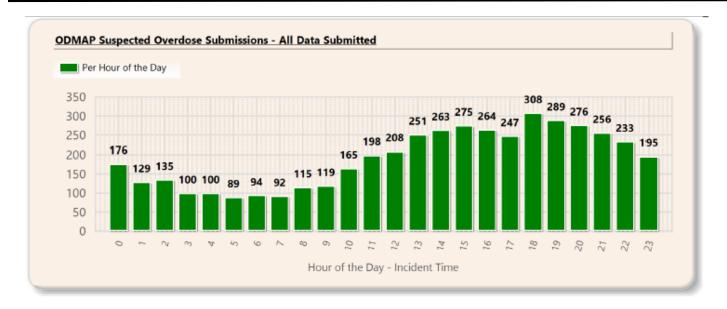






ODMAP Suspected OD Submissions by day.

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.



Cumulative (June 2019—June 2022) 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.

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