

**Connecticut Accidental Drug Intoxication Deaths**  
**Office of the Chief Medical Examiner**

	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>
<b>Accidental Intoxication Deaths*</b>	357	495	568	729	917	1038	1017	1200	1374
<b>Opioids</b>									
-Opioid in any death	298	419	513	663	861	961	948	1127	1273
-% intoxication deaths with an opioid	83%	85%	90%	91%	94%	93%	93%	94%	93%
-Fentanyl in any death	14	37	75	189	483	677	760	979	1159
-% intoxication deaths with fentanyl	4%	8%	13%	26%	53%	65%	75%	82%	84%
-Fentanyl + Cocaine	2	16	14	42	143	220	270	393	447
-Fentanyl + Heroin	1	9	37	110	279	333	303	339	243
-Fentanyl/Opioid Analogues**				13	70	142	254	146	58
-Heroin, Morphine, and/or Codeine	195	286	349	446	541	498	407	400	274
-Heroin in any death	174	258	327	417	508	474	391	387	262
-Heroin + Fentanyl	1	9	37	110	279	333	303	339	243
-Heroin + Cocaine	50	69	73	107	153	169	134	143	100
-Morphine/Opioid/Codeine NOS	21	28	22	29	33	24	16	13	12
-Methadone in any death	33	48	51	71	84	99	88	92	120
-Oxycodone in any death	71	75	107	95	110	95	62	92	95
-Hydrocodone in any death	15	19	15	20	20	15	14	14	13
-Hydromorphone in any death	1	0	12	17	22	16	9	14	12
-Any Opioid + Benzodiazepine	41	60	140	221	232	313	249	269	286
-Buprenorphine			5	13	25	19	24	35	51
-Xylazine (veterinary tranquilizer)							0	71	140
<b>Stimulants</b>									
-Cocaine in any death	105	147	126	177	274	347	345	463	529
-Amphetamine/Methamphetamine	7	5	11	20	19	37	56	70	95
-MDMA	0	0	2	1	1	3	4	4	3

\*Some deaths had combinations of drugs; pure ethanol intoxications are not included.

\*\* These included fentanyl analogues such as Acetyl Fentanyl, Para-Fluoroisobutyrylfentanyl, Carfentanil, Fluoroisobutyryl fentanyl, paraisobutyryl fentanyl, Butyryl Fentanyl, and Valeryl Fentanyl.

NOS, not otherwise specified

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