

Connecticut Accidental Drug Intoxication Deaths
Office of the Chief Medical Examiner

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Accidental Intoxication Deaths*	568	729	917	1038	1017	1200	1374	1524	1452	1328	982	831
Opioids												
-Opioid in any death	513	663	861	961	948	1127	1273	1413	1339	1216	845	662
-% intoxication deaths with opioid	90%	91%	94%	93%	93%	94%	93%	93%	92%	92%	86%	80%
-Fentanyl in any death	75	189	483	677	760	979	1159	1312	1253	1124	762	578
-% intoxication deaths with fentanyl	13%	26%	53%	65%	75%	82%	84%	86%	86%	85%	78%	70%
-Fentanyl + Cocaine	14	42	143	220	270	393	447	561	599	620	454	320
-Fentanyl + Heroin	37	110	279	333	303	339	243	153	119	103	35	41
-Analogues of Fentanyl/Opioid**		13	70	142	254	146	58	131	76	179	47	73
-Heroin, Morphine, and/or Codeine	349	446	541	498	407	400	274	176	138	112	61	51
-Heroin in any death	327	417	508	474	391	387	262	165	125	106	58	50
-Heroin + Fentanyl	37	110	279	333	303	339	243	153	119	103	35	41
-Heroin + Cocaine	73	107	153	169	134	143	100	58	43	45	36	26
-Morphine/Opioid/Codeine NOS	22	29	33	24	16	13	12	11	13	6	3	1
-Methadone in any death	51	71	84	99	88	92	120	128	124	140	113	112
-Oxycodone in any death	107	95	110	95	62	92	95	83	73	66	54	47
-Hydrocodone in any death	15	20	20	15	14	14	13	10	8	6	4	8
-Hydromorphone in any death	12	17	22	16	9	14	12	5	11	10	3	6
-Any Opioid + Benzodiazepine	140	221	232	313	249	269	286	275	246	203	184	158
-Buprenorphine	5	13	25	19	24	35	51	34	26	35	32	19
-Xylazine (veterinary tranquilizer)					0	71	140	301	351	286	342	110
Stimulants												
-Cocaine in any death	126	177	274	347	345	463	529	656	684	723	586	486
-Amphetamine/Methamphetamine	11	20	19	37	56	70	95	87	74	70	64	49
-MDMA	2	1	1	3	4	4	3	1	1	2	4	5

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

** These included fentanyl analogues

NOS, not otherwise specified

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