

Stone County Drug Overdose Fact Sheet

Nonfatal Trends

Figure 1: Stone County experienced a gradual increase in drug overdose-related hospital visits until a significant decrease in 2022. ER visits have remained fairly steady throughout the five years, with 2022 experiencing the lowest number of visits in that time period.

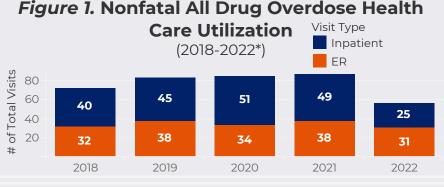


Figure 2. Fatal Drug Overdoses by Type

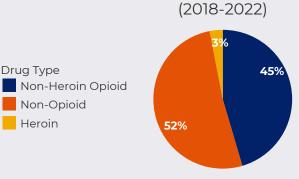


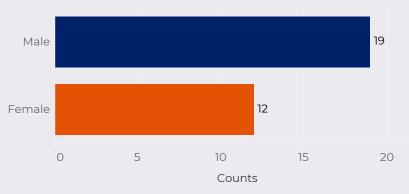
Figure 3. Fatal Drug Overdoses by Age Group





Figure 4. Fatal Drug Overdoses by Sex

(2018-2022)



Sources: Nonfatal data available from the Missouri Patient Abstract System. Fatal data available from the Missouri Vital Statistics Death File.

* Nonfatal 2022 data is provisional and subject to change.



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drug overdoses in 2018-2022



Fatal Trends

Figure 2: Stone County experienced 33 drug overdose deaths from 2018 to 2022. The majority of these drug overdose deaths (52%) were attributed to non-opioid substances such as stimulants, followed by non-Heroin opioids (45%), and Heroin (3%).

Figure 3: From 2018 to 2022, the 35 to 54 age group accounted for the highest percentage of drug overdose deaths in Stone County. This was followed by the 15 to 34 age group (30%), and the 55+ age group (15%).

<u>Figure 4:</u> Among drug overdose deaths in Stone County, males accounted for 61% of drug overdose deaths, while females accounted for the remaining 39% of overdose deaths.