**Buncombe County**

**ED VISITS FOR OVERDOSE INVOLVING MEDICATIONS OR DRUGS WITH DEPENDENCY POTENTIAL**

438

**Med/Drug^ Overdose ED Visits by Med/Drug Class**

Last 12 Months: Buncombe County

- Other/Unknown substance
- Unspecified Narcotics (opiate or narcotic related)
- Commonly Prescribed Opioids
- Heroin
- Fentanyl/ Analogs^*
- Stimulant
- Benzodiazepines

**438 Overdose ED Visits for Med/Drugs^ with Dependency Potential in Buncombe County, 2023* YTD**

compared to 316 from Jan-Oct 2022*

Data Source: NC DETECT: ED; Syndrome: Overdose: Unintentional/ Undetermined Medication or Drug Overdose (>14/<66) (ICD-9/10-CM)

**Med/Drug^ Overdose ED Visits by Race/Ethnicity and Age Group**

Data is provisional; YTD (Year to date). NC DETECT is North Carolina’s statewide syndromic surveillance system. There may be data quality issues affecting our counts.

Note: Report is restricted to N.C. residents between the ages 15 to 65 years. Drug classes shown are not mutually exclusive, a person may have more than one drug overdose diagnosis code, therefore, a person may be represented in multiple lines in the graph above. *Data is provisional; YTD (Year to date). NC DETECT is North Carolina’s statewide syndromic surveillance system. There may be data quality issues affecting our counts.

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*Non-hispanic, except when ethnicity data are missing or incomplete (less than 85% ethnicity data available); if ethnicity is missing, race categories include both Hispanic and Non-Hispanic. AI/AN (American Indian/ Alaskan Native)