



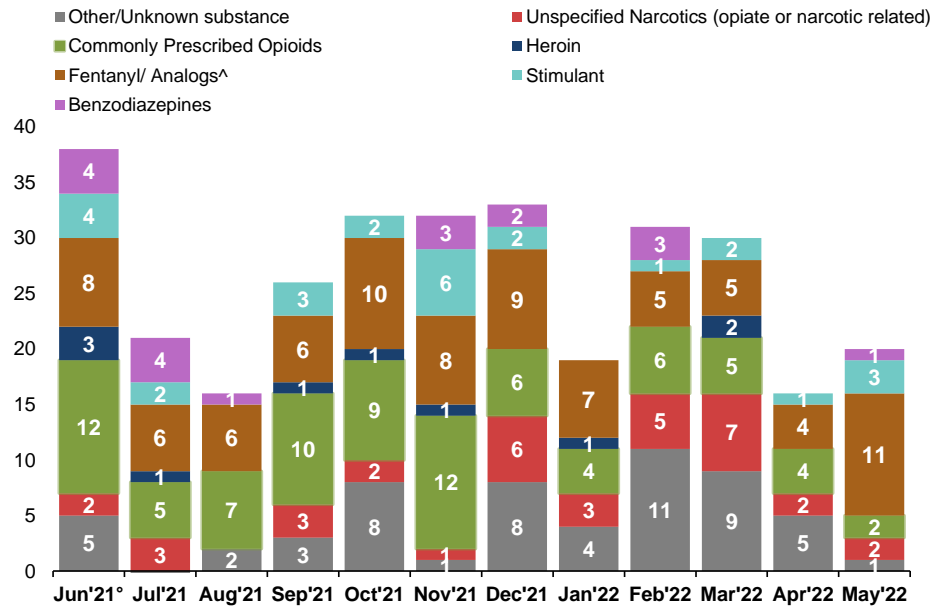
NC DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
Division of Public Health

# Buncombe County

## 2022\* YTD

### 116 ED VISITS FOR OVERDOSE INVOLVING MEDICATIONS OR DRUGS WITH DEPENDENCY POTENTIAL

#### Med/Drug^ Overdose ED Visits by Med/Drug Class Last 12 Months: Buncombe County



°There are known data quality gaps for May-June 2021 that are impacting the shown trends. Interpret the data for these months with caution.

^Report is based on initial encounter, **unintentional** and **undetermined** intent cases only, for ICD10CM overdose codes of drugs and medicaments with dependency potential within **T40, T42, T43, T50.7, and T50.9**.

**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. \*2020-2021 data is provisional; YTD (Year to date).

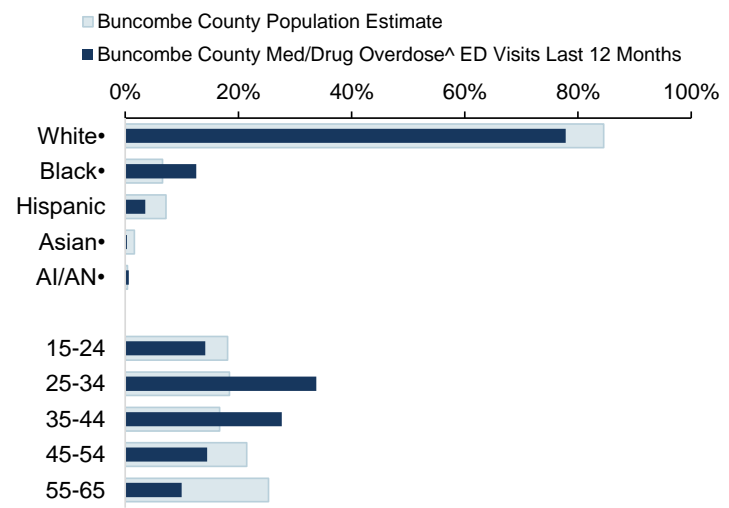
**Note:** NC DETECT is North Carolina's statewide syndromic surveillance system. There may be data quality issues affecting our counts. For training on NC DETECT, contact Amy Ising, [ising@ad.unc.edu](mailto:ising@ad.unc.edu).

**116** Overdose ED Visits for Med/Drugs^ with Dependency Potential in Buncombe County, 2022\* YTD

compared to **180** in Jan to May 2021\*

**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



\*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)