**New Hanover County**

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

**2022* YTD**

**60**

**Overdose ED Visits for Med/Drugs^ with Dependency Potential in New Hanover County, 2022* YTD**

compared to **144** 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**

**New Hanover County Population Estimate**

**New Hanover County Med/Drug^ Overdose* ED Visits Last 12 Months**

*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.

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