McDowell County, June 2023

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EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (EMS) ENCOUNTERS FOR SUSPECTED OPIOID OVERDOSE*

EMS Suspected Opioid Overdose Patient Disposition
Last 12 Months, McDowell County, 2022-2023*

- Treated and Transported/Transferred†
- Patient Declined Care/Transport AMA‡
- Treated/Evaluated, No Transport
- Deceased upon EMS Arrival at Scene

Year to date (Jun 2023), 44 of the 49 suspected opioid overdose encounters in McDowell County received naloxone, and 43 (98%) had an improved response to naloxone.

*EMS data are provisional and should not be considered final. All "EMS Opioid OD" counts reflect suspected opioid overdose encounters, based on the 'Opioid Overdose' EMS Indicator developed by NC DETECT. Population Data: U.S. Census Bureau, http://quickfacts.census.gov. For training on NCDETECT, contact Amy Ising, ising@ad.unc.edu.

EMS Suspected Opioid Overdose Encounters in McDowell County June 2023* YTD

Compared to 36 Jan-Jun 2022*

EMS Suspected Opioid Overdose Encounters by Race/Ethnicity and Age Group

Note: NH (Non-hispanic);

* Overdose percentages that exceed population estimates within a subgroup indicate a population that may be disproportionately impacted.