Union County

**OPIOID OVERDOSE EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT VISITS**

145 Opioid Overdose ED Visits Last 12 Months by Drug Class: Union County, 2022-2023*

- **Heroin**
- **Commonly Prescribed Opioids**
- **Unspecified Narcotics**
- **Fentanyl/ Fentanyl analogs**

Opioid Overdose ED Visits in Union County for 2023* YTD

145 compared to 148 in Jan-Oct 2022

Source: NC DETECT: Data Source: ED; Custom Event: Overdose: Opioid Overdose V.2 (ICD-9/10-CM)

**Opioid Overdose ED Visits by Race Ethnicity**

- White
- Black
- Hispanic
- Asian
- AI/AN

**Note:** NC DETECT is North Carolina’s statewide syndromic surveillance system. There may be data quality issues affecting our counts: counties with <10 cases may not be true lack of opioid overdose cases but data quality issues; additionally, some hospitals use non-specific poisoning codes rather than specific opioid poisoning codes. For questions contact SubstanceUseData@dhhs.nc.gov

**Opioid Overdose ED Visits by Age Group**

- <25
- 25-34
- 35-44
- 45-54
- 55-64
- 65+

Note: ED visit data is provisional; YTD: Year to date; For case definitions, go to https://www.injuryfreenc.ncdhhs.gov/DataSurveillance/poisoning/SummaryTableforPoisoningDefinitions.pdf

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