

# SUBSTANCE USE DASHBOARD



Accurate, consistent and easy-to-use information on Substance Use Disorder is key to using resources effectively to address the challenges of this growing public health concern.

The Florida Department of Health has launched—and is routinely updating—the Substance Use Dashboard, compiling a variety of statistics on topics including overdose incidents, prescriptions issued, administered naloxone and more.

Go to [www.flhealthcharts.com](http://www.flhealthcharts.com) and search for Substance Use Dashboard or scan this QR code:

## Florida Health Charts: Substance Use Dashboard

- ✓ **The Substance Use Dashboard offers consistent annual statistics dating back to 2015. This can help with understanding trends over time.**
- ✓ **The dashboard provides information on:**
  - Frequency of overdoses.
  - Number of prescriptions issued.
  - Incidents of high-risk behaviors.
  - Number of drug arrests among juvenile and adult offenders.
  - Number of motor vehicle incidents involving alcohol, drugs or a combination of the two.
  - Occurrences of Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome.
  - Substance use program enrollment numbers.
  - Use of naloxone.
- ✓ **Annual data is available at the state and county level.**
- ✓ **State and county statistics regarding naloxone use in overdose response can be used for any public health messaging regarding its safety and effectiveness.**
  - Naloxone was administered about 20,000 times in 2015 and about 35,000 times in 2019, indicating both increased awareness of the response and increased need for overdose response.
- ✓ **Sources include:**
  - Florida Agency for Health Care Administration.
  - Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System.
  - Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles.
  - Florida Department of Law Enforcement.
  - Florida Early Steps.
  - ToxSentry® Web Query Builder.
  - Florida Birth Defects Registry.
  - Prescription Drug Monitoring Program.
  - Florida Youth Tobacco Survey.
  - Florida Department of Children and Families.
  - Florida Enhances State Opioid Overdose Surveillance Program Dashboard County Report.
  - EMSTARS.
- ✓ **Information collected includes both fatal and non-fatal incidents.**



The database is made available as part of the Florida Health Charts Community Health Assessment Resource Tool Set.



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