

County-Level Opioid-Involved Overdose Death Data

Table 1: Number of opioid-involved overdose deaths (non-exclusive of other drug categories), by county of residence and metro area and year, 2013-2022*

County of Residence	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022*	Total
Atkin	4	1	2	2	2	0	2	2	2	2	19
Anoka	32	19	24	26	31	30	28	47	64	64	365
Becker	2	1	3	2	0	1	2	1	3	3	18
Beltrami	1	2	1	2	3	5	4	14	16	25	73
Benton	1	1	5	5	1	2	3	4	6	10	38
Big Stone	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Blue Earth	0	2	0	5	1	1	0	2	8	9	28
Brown	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	4
Carlton	1	6	5	4	2	3	2	5	13	5	46
Carver	5	3	5	4	2	6	7	10	7	7	56
Cass	5	2	6	0	4	3	2	2	10	7	41
Chippewa	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	4
Chisago	2	5	5	2	3	6	1	5	6	3	38
Clay	3	3	8	4	4	0	1	1	8	5	37
Clearwater	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	2	2	8
Cook	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	4
Cottonwood	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Crow Wing	5	3	1	3	3	2	1	3	5	7	33
Dakota	24	16	24	26	28	19	23	40	56	45	301
Dodge	1	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	3	1	11

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Douglas	0	2	0	0	2	0	4	0	6	1	15
Faribault	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4
Fillmore	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	1	2	1	9
Freeborn	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	4	10
Goodhue	2	3	2	3	1	2	8	4	12	5	42
Grant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Hennepin	99	92	101	146	149	128	159	261	340	364	1839
Houston	1	0	2	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	12
Hubbard	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
Isanti	0	1	4	7	1	3	4	6	4	5	35
Itasca	2	3	3	3	1	3	4	5	6	6	36
Jackson	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
Kanabec	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	2	2	1	9
Kandiyohi	0	2	1	1	3	2	1	0	3	3	16
Kittson	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Koochiching	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	4
Lac Qui Parle	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Lake	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
Lake of The Woods	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
Le Sueur	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	3	9
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
Lyon	0	1	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	1	7
Mahnomen	0	2	0	1	4	3	2	3	9	3	27
Marshall	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Martin	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	5
McLeod	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	0	2	4	12
Meeker	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	7
Mille Lacs	3	3	2	4	9	2	7	7	13	7	57
Morrison	1	1	2	2	1	1	3	0	4	10	25

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Mower	2	3	4	2	5	1	2	8	5	10	42
Murray	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Nicollet	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	2	0	7
Nobles	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	3
Norman	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Olmsted	9	11	7	8	9	9	13	16	25	29	136
Otter Tail	1	2	3	3	2	2	1	2	4	3	23
Pennington	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	1	7
Pine	1	2	3	1	4	2	2	8	6	3	32
Pipestone	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Polk	4	3	3	3	1	2	0	2	5	2	25
Pope	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	1	7
Ramsey	27	28	35	34	45	24	33	73	130	175	604
Red Lake	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Redwood	3	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	1	1	10
Renville	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	8
Rice	1	3	0	4	6	2	4	2	1	3	26
Rock	2	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
Roseau	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	2	2	0	7
Scott	2	6	3	9	9	8	12	11	18	16	94
Sherburne	4	10	4	8	5	5	9	12	7	6	70
Sibley	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	6
St. Louis	17	26	23	23	22	18	25	38	60	52	304
Stearns	8	4	11	8	7	5	9	22	15	20	109
Steele	3	1	0	2	1	1	1	1	2	3	15
Stevens	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Swift	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
Todd	1	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	7
Traverse	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

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Wabasha	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	3	8
Wadena	0	1	0	1	2	1	1	1	0	0	7
Waseca	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	5
Washington	7	14	10	11	15	9	18	20	21	20	145
Watonwan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wilkin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	4
Winona	4	7	2	1	3	4	3	2	5	8	39
Wright	7	5	1	4	7	7	6	7	13	8	65
Yellow Medicine	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	6
7-County Metro	196	178	202	256	279	224	280	462	636	691	3404
Greater MN	110	139	133	138	141	117	145	209	329	302	1763
Unknown County	0	0	1	1	1	1	2	7	12	9	34
Total	306	317	336	395	421	342	427	678	977	1002	5167

Source: Minnesota death certificates, Injury and Violence Prevention Section, Minnesota Department of Health, 2013-2022.

Underlying cause of death includes ICD-10 codes indicating drug overdose (X40-X44, X60-X64, X85, or Y10-Y14); contributing cause of death includes ICD-10 code indicating opioid use (T40.0, T40.1, T40.2, T40.3, T40.4, T40.6). Opioid overdose deaths are not exclusive of other drug categories.

7-county metro: Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott, and Washington counties; Greater Minnesota: Not part of the 7-county; Unknown county: County FIPS code is invalid or missing.

*2022 numbers are preliminary

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