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Methamphetamine Opioid Non-opioid * More than one alert) Heroin **Alabama California** Colorado **Florida** El Paso San Joaquin Shelby Alachua Stanislaus Hillsborough Santa Cruz Kern Broward Los Angeles San Diego Georgia Kentucky **Michigan** Illinois Fayette Kankakee Chatham Kent Macomb Wayne **New Mexico New York South Carolina** Albany Bronx Bernalillo New York Broome Kings Westchester Virginia Wisconsin Utah **Tennessee** Salt Lake Loudoun Milwaukee Washington

Norfolk City

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County	Count	Date	Dispatch type	County	Count	Date	Dispatch type
Shelby, AL	_*	1/3	Opioid	Albany, NY	_*	12/30	Non-opioid
Los Angeles, CA	_*	1/1	Non-opioid	Bronx, NY	19	12/31	Opioid
San Diego, CA	_*	12/30	Methamphetamine	Bronx, NY	_*	1/2	Heroin
San Joaquin, CA	_*	12/29	Opioid	Broome, NY	_*	1/2	Opioid
Santa Cruz, CA	_*	1/2	Methamphetamine	Erie, NY	_*	1/1	Non-opioid
Stanislaus, CA	_*	12/30	Methamphetamine	Kings, NY	_*	12/30	Heroin
El Paso, CO	_*	12/29	Opioid	New York, NY	_*	1/4	Non-opioid
Alachua, FL	_*	12/31	Opioid	Westchester, NY	_*	1/2	Opioid
Broward, FL	_*	12/30	Heroin	Charleston, SC	_*	12/29	Opioid
Hillsborough, FL	10	12/31	Non-opioid	Horry, SC	_*	12/30	Opioid
Chatham, GA	_*	12/31	Opioid	Horry, SC	_*	12/31	Heroin
Kern, GA	_*	12/31	Opioid	Horry, SC	_*	1/1	Heroin
Kankakee, IL	_*	12/31	Non-opioid	Shelby, TN	_*	12/31	Methamphetamine
Fayette, KY	_*	1/2	Non-opioid	Washington, TN	_*	12/31	Opioid
Kent, MI	_*	12/30	Opioid	Salt Lake, UT	10	12/31	Non-opioid
Macomb, MI	11	12/30	Non-opioid	Loudoun, VA	_*	12/30	Opioid
Macomb, MI	_*	1/3	Non-opioid	Norfolk City, VA	_*	1/1	Opioid
Wayne, MI	_*	12/30	Heroin	Milwaukee, WI	16	12/29	Opioid
Bernalillo, NM	10	12/29	Non-opioid	Milwaukee, WI	_*	1/1	Non-opioid
Bernalillo, NM	_*	1/1	Opioid				

*Note: Counts less than ten are automatically suppressed.

All dispatch types above follow the guidelines set by the National Emergency Medical Services Information System (NEMSIS). Data is limited to 24 US states with statewide partnerships with biospatial.io: Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Michigan, Mississippi, Montana, New Mexico, New York, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Utah, Virginia, Wisconsin, and Wyoming.

Opioid-related dispatches are based on the Enhanced State Opioid Overdose Surveillance (ESOOS) criteria as defined by the state of Rhode Island, intended to detect incidents involving opioid overdose.

Heroin-related dispatches are based on the ESOOS criteria as defined by the state of Rhode Island, intended to detect incidents involving heroin overdose. Heroin overdoses are a subset of opioid overdoses.

Methamphetamine-related dispatches are based on incidents involving methamphetamine due to terms and phrases found in the record narrative and chief complaint elements.

Non-opioid-related dispatches are based on the Virginia Department of Health criteria for incidents involving non-opioid overdoses; indicates events where naloxone administration response is unchanged or worse, or involving ICD-CM-10 codes for cocaine, cannabis, LSD, or other unspecified psychodysleptics.

75% of the data reported within 24 hours of event. Source: biospatial.io, 2022. NDEWS is funded by the National Institute on Drug Abuse to the University of Florida (PI: Cottler, Co-Is: Goldberger, Nixon, Striley), New York University (Co-I: Palamar), and Florida Alantic University (Co-I: Barenholtz). Recommended citation: National Drug Early Warning System (NDEWS). (2022). Hotspots Alerts (January 5, 2022). (NDEWS-2022-HSA0004.0). Retrieved from https://ndews.org.