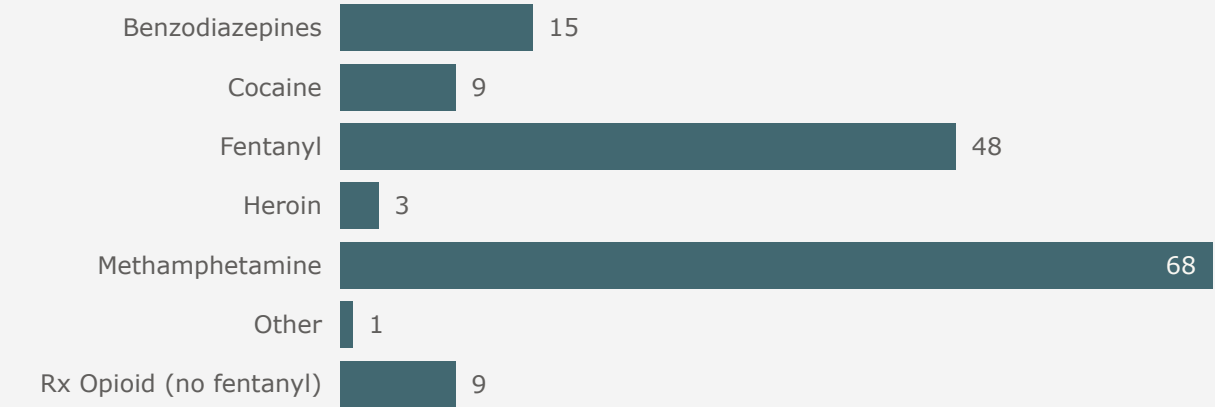


Overdose Fatality for Riverside County Residents

January- February 2025

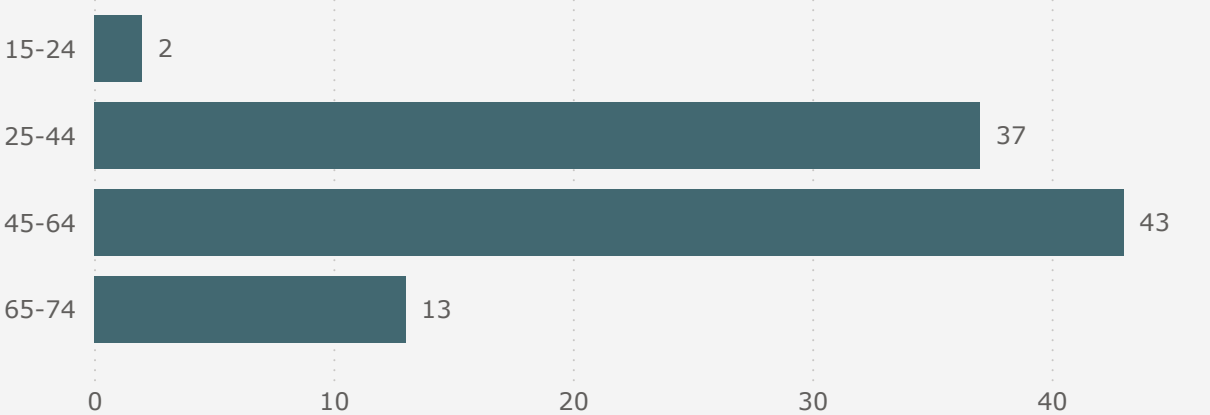


Fatal Overdoses by Drug Class*

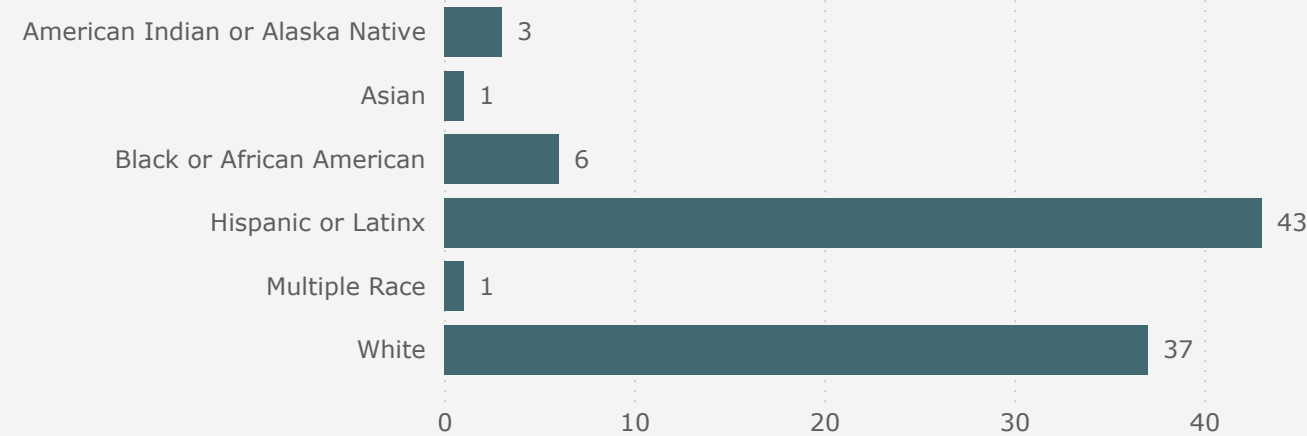


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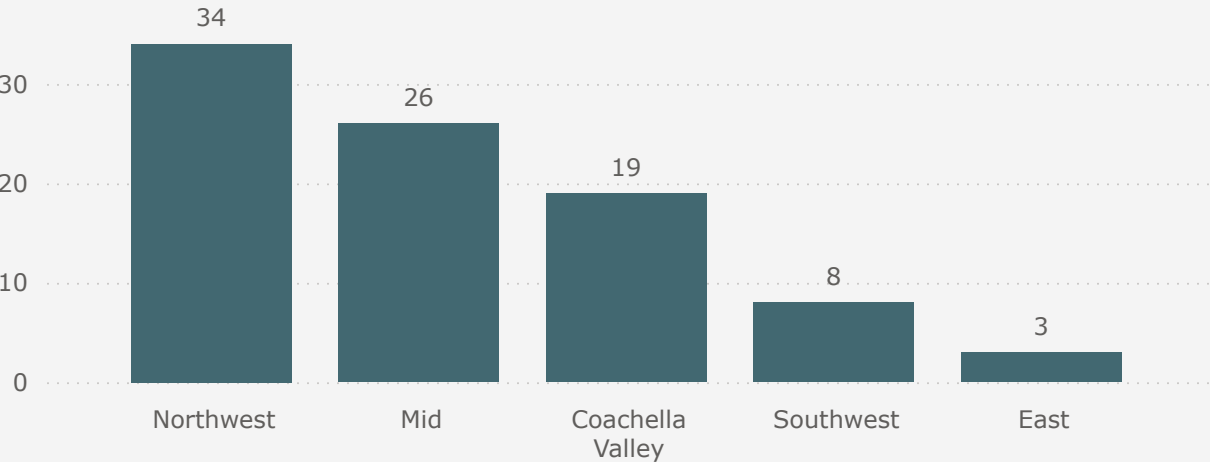
Count of Fatal Overdoses by Age



Count of Fatal Overdoses by Race/Ethnicity



Fatal Overdoses by Region



Overdose Fatality for Riverside County Residents January - December 2023/2024 Preliminary Data



Total Deaths

Jan-Dec 2023

902

Total Deaths

Jan-Dec 2024

673

Median Age

Jan-Dec 2023

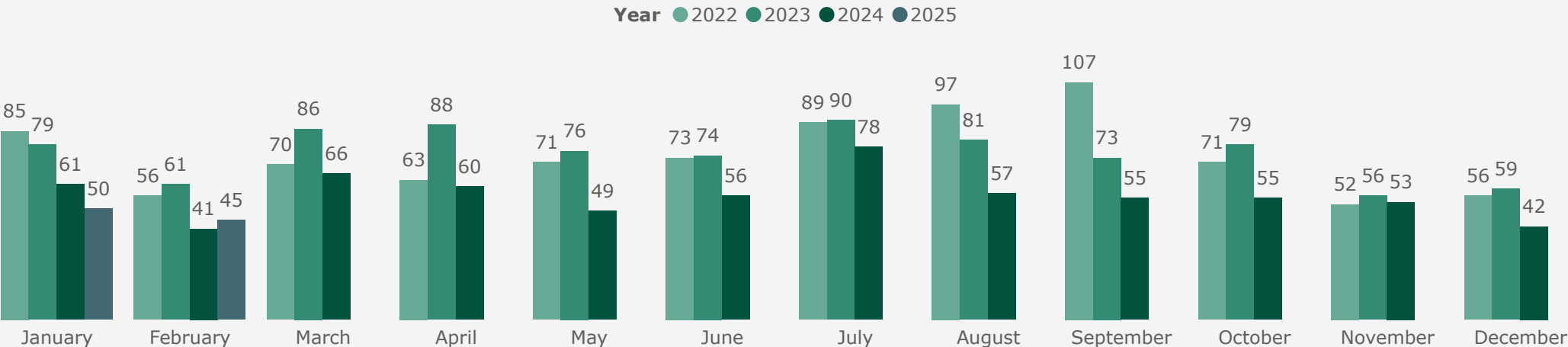
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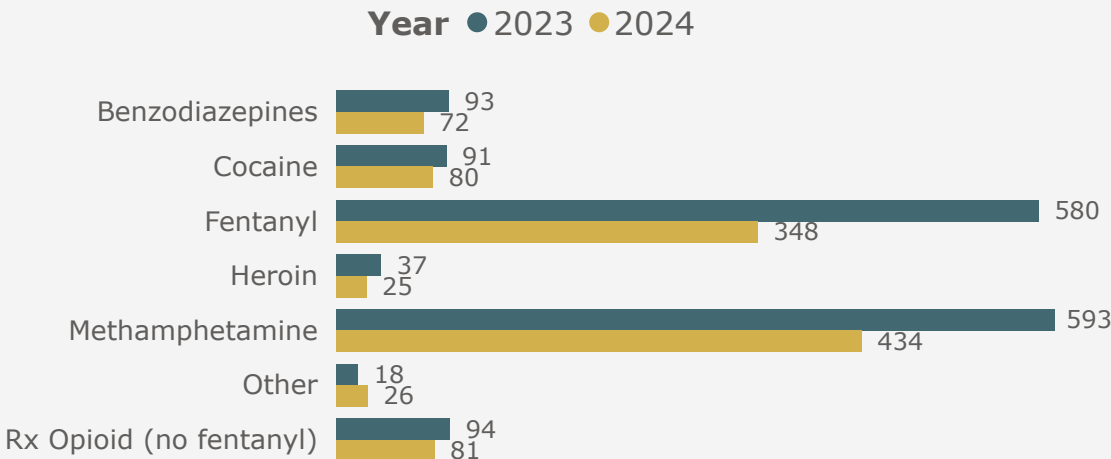
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Number of Fatal Overdoses by Month 2021-2024



Fatal Overdoses by Drug Class*



Place of Injury 2024

Place of Injury	Resident Deaths
Residence	384
Unknown	113
Outdoor	57
Vehicle	56
Other	39
Hotel	24

Residence: Includes decedent residence, family, friends, or any type of residence. Values are for decedents who reside in Riverside County, place of death could have occurred in or outside of county.

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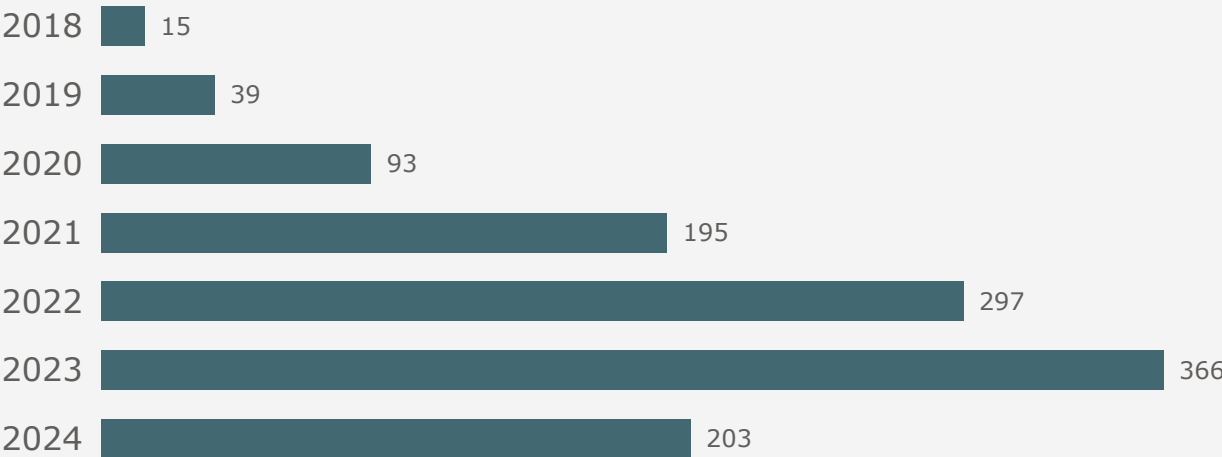
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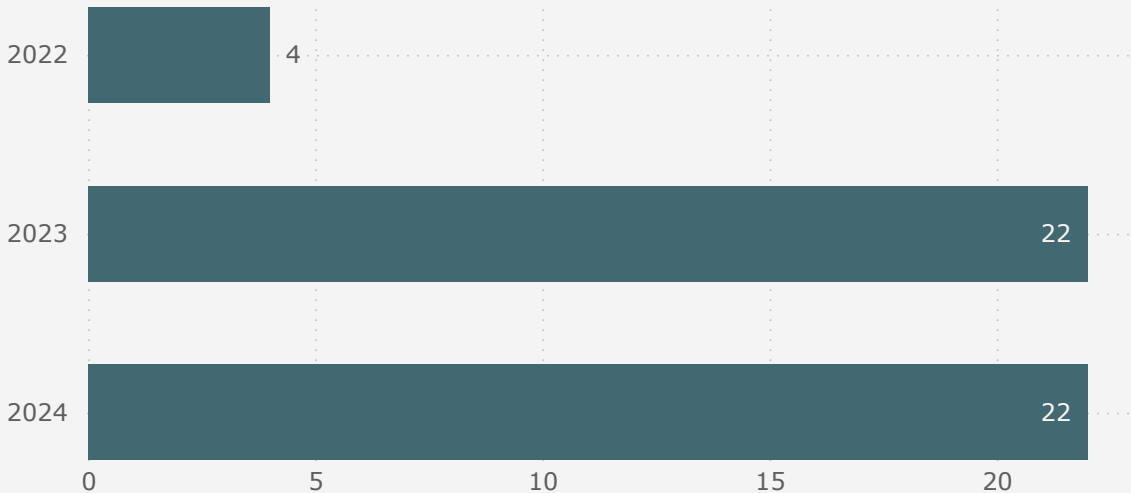
Preliminary Data



Methamphetamine and Fentanyl Combination Overdose Deaths



Xylazine Related Overdose Deaths by Year *



12 Month Moving Count (February 1, 2019 - January 31, 2024)

Moving 12 Month	All Deaths	All Deaths Percent Change	Fentanyl Deaths	Fentanyl Death Percent Change
2019-2020	448		156	
2020-2021	685	53%	300	92%
2021-2022	823	20%	442	47%
2022-2023	851	3%	526	19%
2023-2024	853	0%	566	8%
2024-2025	627	-26%	324	-43%

* Xylazine counts include both occurrent and resident overdose deaths. Starting July 2023, all toxicology that tests positive of fentanyl is also tested for xylazine

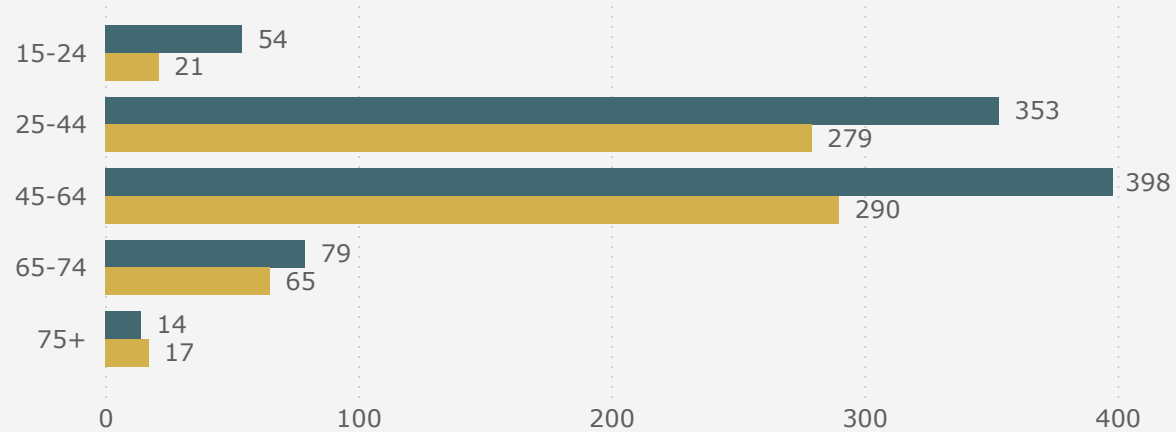
**Exclude suicide/homicide overdose deaths

Overdose Fatality for Riverside County Residents January - December 2023/2024 Preliminary Data



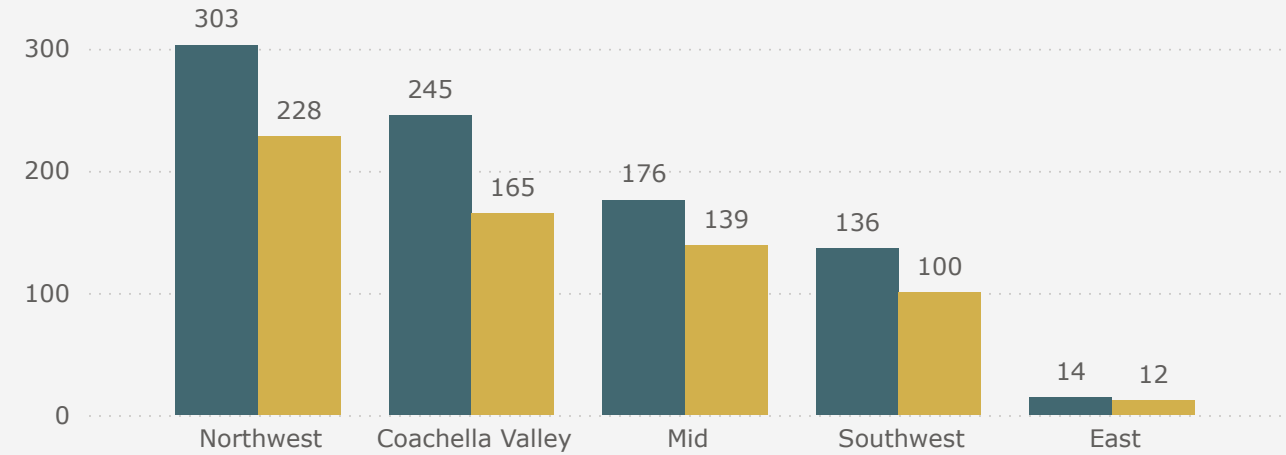
Count of Fatal Overdoses by Age

Year ● 2023 ● 2024



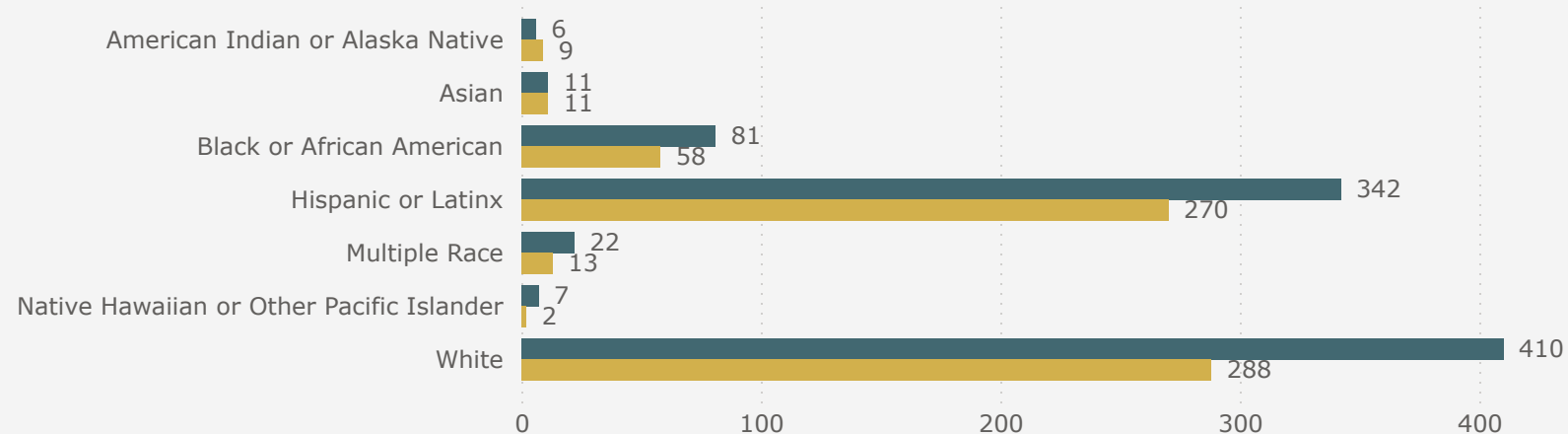
Fatal Overdoses by Region

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Count of Fatal Overdoses by Race/Ethnicity

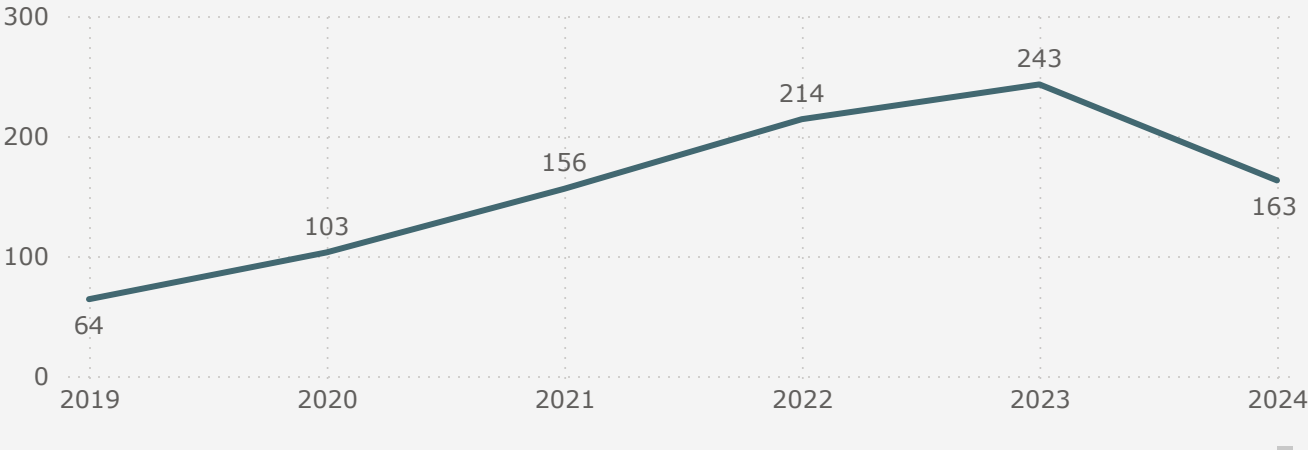
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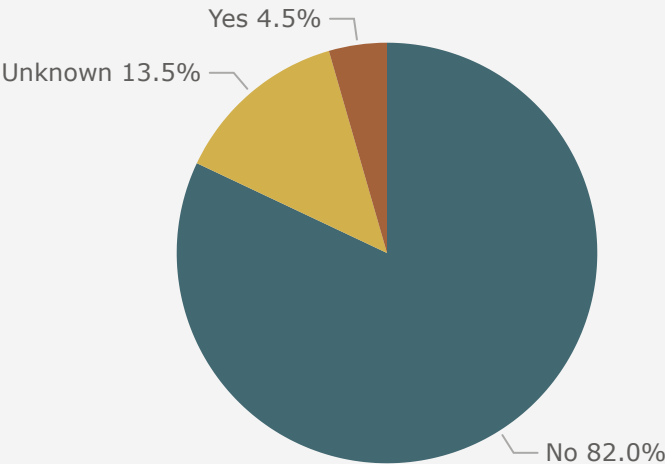
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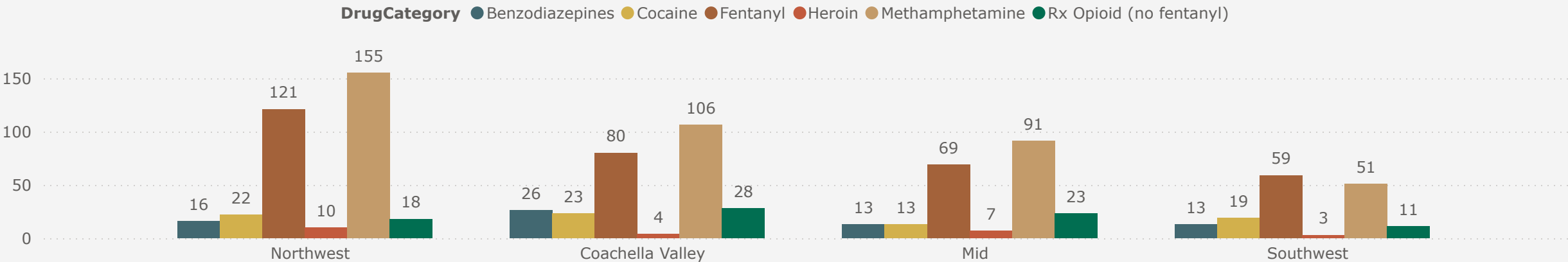
Count of Overdose Deaths Among People Experiencing Homelessness by Year*



Overdose Deaths with Evidence of Injection Drug Use
2024



Type of Drugs** Involved in Fatal Overdoses
2024



*Counts include both occurrent and resident overdose deaths among people experiencing homelessness. Graph represents total fatalities in the specified year, 2024 includes January to current.

**The drug categories are not mutually exclusive. A key for all the regions is found on the last page of the report.

Riverside County Residents Emergency Department



All Drugs and Opioid by Year and Month

● All Drugs ● Opioid

All Drugs

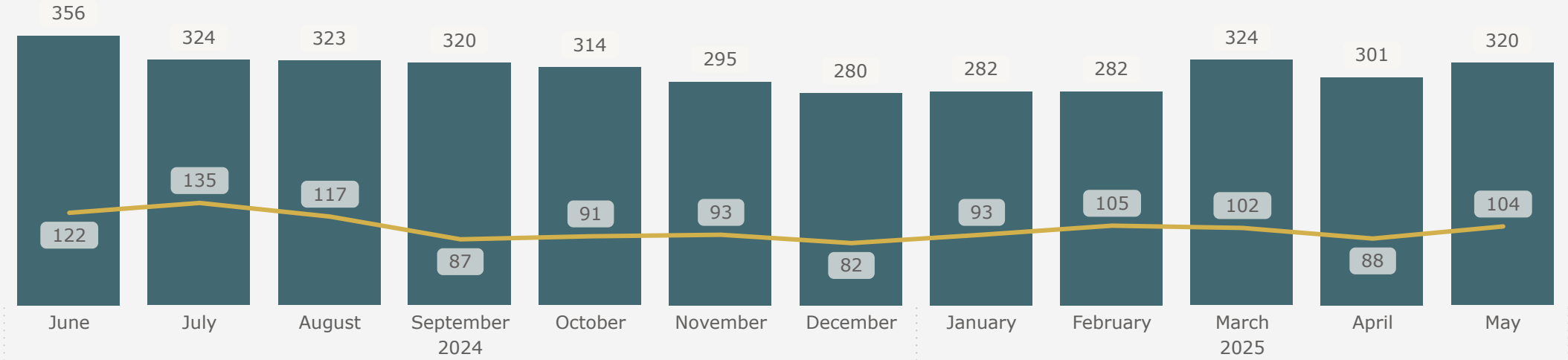
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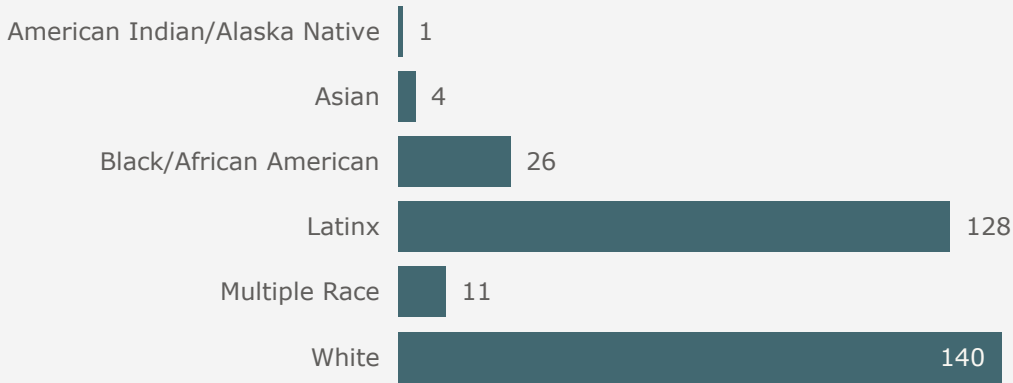
Opioid Visits

Jan-May 2025

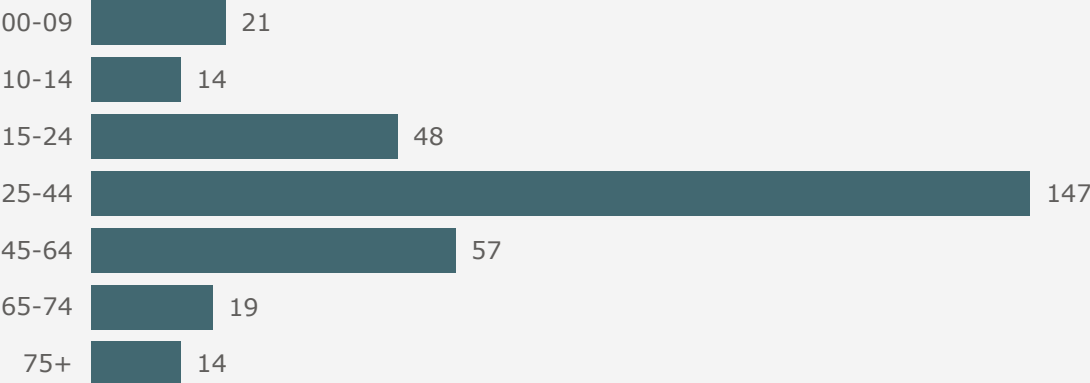
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Count of Drug-Related Emergency Department Visits,
May 2025



Count of Drug-Related Emergency Department Visits,
May 2025



RODA Monthly Report Notes and Definitions



Data Sources and Limitations

1. Death certificate records are supplemented with autopsy and toxicology data. Data for 2023 and 2024 are considered preliminary.
2. NSSP- ESSENCE, emergency department data uses the CDC All Drug v2 and CDC Opioid Overdose v3 definitions. Data should be used to assess trends and are estimates, not official overdose counts.

Place of Injury Inclusion Criteria

1. **Outdoor-** public spaces where an individual is exposed to the elements, this includes the outside of commercial areas, lots, bridges, freeway, streets, and natural areas like riverbeds, parks, lakes, etc.
2. **Residence-** includes houses, condos, apartments, or mobile homes. Does not include RV or vehicles used as shelters for unhoused
3. **Vehicle-** a motorized automobile or trailer or recreational vehicle.
4. **Hotel/motel-** a place of temporary stay such as an inn, motel, hotel, or resort.
5. **Other-** a facility such as a school, school yard/ground, prison, prison yard, rehabilitation centers, or hospital. Places described as being inside of a business such as a restaurant or store, a restroom or shed. Inclusive of abandoned buildings and truck stops.
6. **Unknown-** an unknown location, missing data, or where the location description lacks detail to categorize in any previous categories

Public Health Regions Map

