DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Nonfatal Opioid Overdose by County (2016 – 2025)

Table 1. Number of hospital-treated nonfatal opioid overdose by county of residence, metro area, and year.

County of Residence	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Total
Aitkin	7	5	6	*	9	5	*	8	7	*	56
Anoka	193	251	189	245	380	378	302	276	158	170	2,542
Becker	23	21	9	21	24	25	30	32	12	15	212
Beltrami	28	34	43	38	78	102	77	74	30	34	538
Benton	9	11	5	11	12	18	16	16	11	7	116
Big Stone	*	0	0	*	0	0	*	0	0	*	5
Blue Earth	15	15	8	25	35	41	24	33	24	15	235
Brown	*	6	9	*	*	*	7	*	*	5	40
Carlton	36	42	39	46	43	45	50	38	28	20	387
Carver	32	36	35	37	34	42	32	46	30	24	348
Cass	26	30	16	10	33	57	45	35	25	19	296
Chippewa	*	*	0	*	7	*	*	*	0	5	29
Chisago	14	18	23	20	32	30	42	28	11	18	236
Clay	34	22	21	20	28	48	44	45	28	30	320
Clearwater	*	6	*	*	5	12	14	13	5	*	70
Cook	*	*	*	0	*	*	0	*	*	*	15
Cottonwood	*	5	*	7	*	*	*	*	*	*	27
Crow Wing	33	40	28	25	24	41	34	24	18	20	287
Dakota	156	172	161	203	312	337	262	252	170	140	2,165
Dodge	*	*	*	5	5	*	*	*	*	*	32
Douglas	12	18	7	7	7	11	7	5	7	5	86
Faribault	*	9	*	6	*	*	10	5	9	5	57

County of Residence	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Total
Fillmore	*	*	*	*	*	8	*	*	0	0	25
Freeborn	9	6	7	7	*	13	7	5	9	7	74
Goodhue	26	14	17	15	25	33	19	17	18	21	205
Grant	*	*	0	*	5	*	0	*	0	*	16
Hennepin	1,016	1,184	1,102	1,669	1,999	2,128	2,280	2,431	1,574	1,530	16,913
Houston	*	0	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	*
Hubbard	6	5	6	6	*	*	8	5	*	*	49
Isanti	23	24	13	27	23	29	29	24	15	13	220
Itasca	16	30	18	24	31	29	20	15	10	10	203
Jackson	*	0	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	0	13
Kanabec	10	5	*	*	13	25	10	12	13	*	99
Kandiyohi	10	10	*	11	19	8	15	16	*	9	104
Kittson	*	0	0	*	*	0	*	0	0	0	5
Koochiching	5	0	*	*	*	*	8	*	*	*	29
Lac Qui Parle	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	0	0	10
Lake	*	*	0	*	*	*	*	6	*	*	25
Lake of The Woods	*	0	*	*	6	*	0	0	0	*	15
Le Sueur	*	*	6	7	9	*	5	9	*	*	53
Lincoln	0	0	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	*
Lyon	7	6	*	5	5	9	5	7	5	*	52
Mahnomen	30	26	10	8	17	19	12	12	8	13	155
Marshall	*	0	*	*	0	*	*	*	0	0	15
Martin	7	*	9	*	*	7	6	*	10	5	56
McLeod	10	10	*	7	*	8	10	6	6	10	73
Meeker	5	*	8	5	6	5	6	*	*	*	50
Mille Lacs	70	82	52	75	97	102	56	49	29	22	634
Morrison	12	17	10	19	16	27	25	10	11	8	155
Mower	20	16	15	15	14	20	33	16	6	15	170
Murray	*	*	*	*	0	0	*	0	0	0	7

County of Residence	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Total
Nicollet	*	*	7	6	16	11	11	5	5	5	72
Nobles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	17
Norman	*	*	*	*	0	*	0	*	0	0	12
Olmsted	53	55	42	44	84	107	90	65	67	65	672
Otter Tail	20	20	29	15	20	13	28	17	13	7	182
Pennington	7	*	7	*	8	5	*	*	*	*	43
Pine	16	14	25	15	34	38	24	17	16	9	208
Pipestone	*	*	*	*	7	*	*	*	0	*	20
Polk	18	13	6	7	16	13	8	5	5	9	100
Pope	*	6	*	5	*	*	*	*	0	*	32
Ramsey	316	362	364	451	730	748	691	812	675	711	5,860
Red Lake	0	*	0	0	*	*	*	0	0	0	7
Redwood	6	5	*	*	*	5	*	*	*	*	32
Renville	7	*	5	5	9	5	5	6	*	5	54
Rice	22	16	34	19	34	20	25	23	12	19	224
Rock	*	0	0	*	*	*	*	0	0	*	9
Roseau	*	0	*	5	5	*	*	*	*	0	24
Scott	58	54	50	98	130	124	77	90	44	42	767
Sherburne	40	33	46	41	53	65	50	52	53	49	482
Sibley	*	*	*	*	*	5	*	*	*	*	26
St. Louis	149	216	149	188	216	223	261	245	139	100	1,886
Stearns	36	48	47	43	69	103	89	74	58	46	613
Steele	8	10	*	9	12	8	14	11	10	*	89
Stevens	*	*	*	0	0	*	*	*	0	*	10
Swift	*	*	0	*	*	*	*	0	0	0	15
Todd	*	*	0	6	7	*	*	6	7	*	40
Traverse	*	0	*	*	*	0	0	0	*	0	8
Wabasha	6	8	*	*	6	6	6	*	7	*	49
Wadena	7	*	5	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	28

County of Residence	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Total
Waseca	*	6	*	*	*	0	7	5	5	*	31
Washington	79	95	97	152	180	170	140	132	107	90	1,242
Watonwan	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	*	*	14
Wilkin	*	*	0	*	*	0	*	0	*	0	12
Winona	13	15	23	16	13	19	23	14	12	13	161
Wright	35	44	42	51	62	60	50	35	25	41	445
Yellow Medicine	*	*	6	6	*	*	*	*	*	*	35
7-County Metro	1,850	2,154	1,998	2,855	3,765	3,927	3,784	4,039	2,758	2,707	29,837
Greater MN	1,028	1,107	917	1,016	1,365	1,551	1,427	1,208	837	761	11,217
Unknown County	0	0	0	0	*	*	0	*	0	0	*
Total	**2,878**	**3,261**	**2,915**	**3,871**	**5,130**	**5,478**	**5,211**	**5,247**	**3,595**	**3,468**	**41,054**

Source: *Hospital Discharge Data, Injury Prevention and Mental Health Division, Minnesota Department of Health, 2016-2025.*

**Counts of 1–4 are suppressed to protect patient privacy. If unsuppressed values are needed for program planning or resource allocation, submit a data request to health.drugodepi@state.mn.us.*

MDH receives approximately 95% of hospital discharge data. The data includes emergency department visits and inpatient hospitalizations for nonfatal drug overdose of unintentional or undetermined intent treated at hospitals in Minnesota or North Dakota.

Nonfatal opioid overdoses are identified using ICD-10-CM diagnosis codes T40.0-T40.4 and T40.6. A full list of included codes is available upon request.

It does not include nonfatal overdoses occurring in the community; those treated by EMS and not transferred to a hospital; or visits at federal facilities (e.g., VA, IHS), tribally operated facilities, or other out-of-state facilities. Nonfatal overdoses determined to be intentional (i.e., self-harm) are excluded.

Geography is based on the patient's residence zip code. The 7-county metro includes Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott, and Washington counties; Greater Minnesota includes all counties not part of the 7-county metro; Unknown County includes cases where the ZIP code is invalid or missing.

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