

Iredell County NC Fentanyl Involved Fatalities*^ 2013-2023 (Jan-Mar 2023) Population: 175,100

	Total of All med/drug Fatalities	Number of Fentanyl-Involved^ Fatalities	Number of Non-Fentanyl med/drug Fatalities	Percent Fentanyl-Involved^ Fatalities	Percent Non-Fentanyl med/drug Fatalities
2013	24	0	24	0%	100%
2014	26	4	22	15%	85%
2015	25	6	19	24%	76%
2016	40	9	31	23%	78%
2017	39	22	17	56%	44%
2018	30	15	15	50%	50%
2019	24	10	14	42%	58%
2020	35	26	9	74%	26%
2021	42	35	7	83%	17%
2022*	48	38	10	79%	21%
(Jan - Mar Only) 2023*	16	13	3	81%	19%
Total 2013-2023*	349	178	171	51%	49%
NC STATEWIDE	25931	14971	10960	58%	42%

. 2023 data January - March only.

^There is no individual code for fentanyl involvement on a death certificate; instead, the code T40.4 - an overdose involving an other synthetic narcotic is used as a proxy for fentanyl-involvement.

Fentanyl gets coded using the other synthetic narcotic code, but there may be other drugs included in this category; however, we know from toxicology data that the majority of deaths receiving this code involved fentanyl.

data source: NC State Center for Health Statistics, Vital Statistics Death Certificate Data (2013-202*)

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n = 29, 2021 Illicit Opioid Fatalities



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