DEWS NATIONAL DRUG EARLY WARNING SYSTEM

NDEWS Hotspot Alerts
January 1 – February 21, 2024:
Heroin-involved overdose dispatches

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Milwaukee



Philadelphia

County, alert count, date, and type

County	Count	Date	Dispatch type	County	Count	Date	Dispatch type
Alameda, CA	_*	1/30	Heroin	New York, NY	_*	1/11	Heroin
Kalamazoo, MI	_*	1/31	Heroin	Onondaga, NY	_*	2/1	Heroin
Saginaw, MI	_*	2/9	Heroin	Philadelphia, PA	_*	1/13	Heroin
Bronx,NY	_*	2/1	Heroin	Milwaukee, WI	_*	1/14	Heroin
Kings, NY	_*	2/21	Heroin				

*Note: Counts less than ten are automatically suppressed.

This week, NDEWS highlights counties with higher than expected counts of heroin-involved overdoses. There were a total of 9 alerts across 5 states and 9 counties.

Heroin-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 heroin overdose. Heroin overdoses are a subset of opioid overdoses.

All dispatches above follow the guidelines set by the National Emergency Medical Services Information System (NEMSIS). Data is limited to 27 US states with statewide partnerships with biospatial.io: Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Montana, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Utah, Virginia, Wisconsin, and Wyoming.