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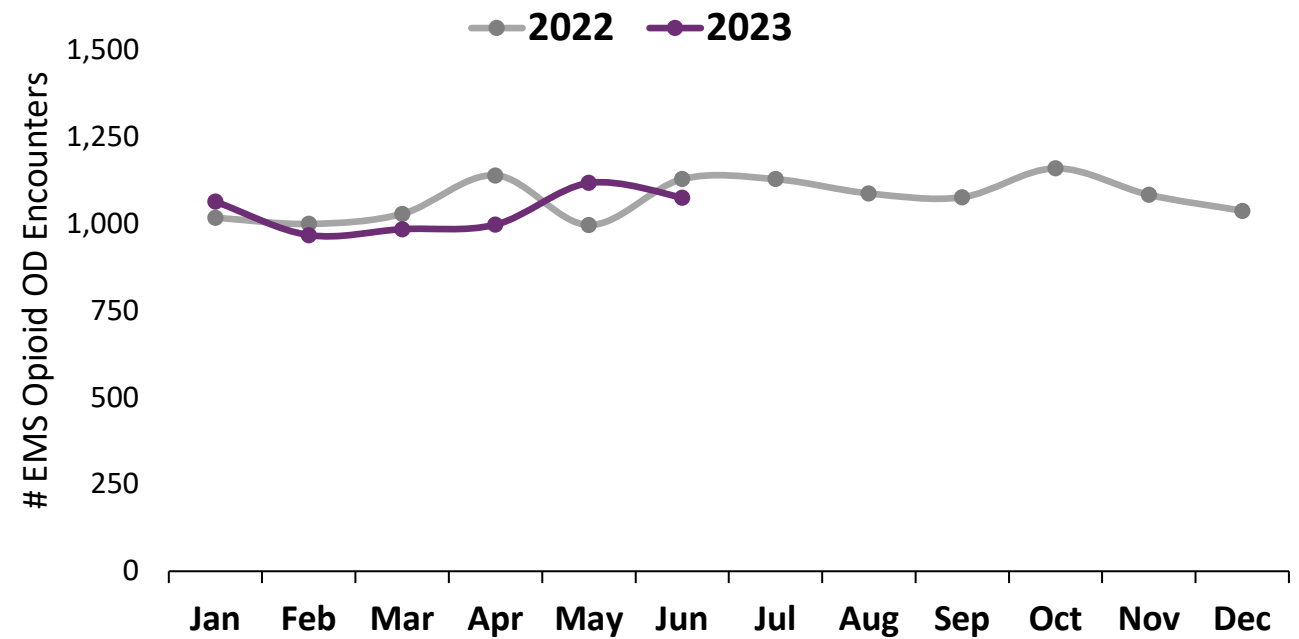
NORTH CAROLINA EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (EMS) ENCOUNTERS FOR SUSPECTED OPIOID OVERDOSE: JUNE 2023*

1,076 EMS Suspected Opioid Overdose Encounters June 2023*

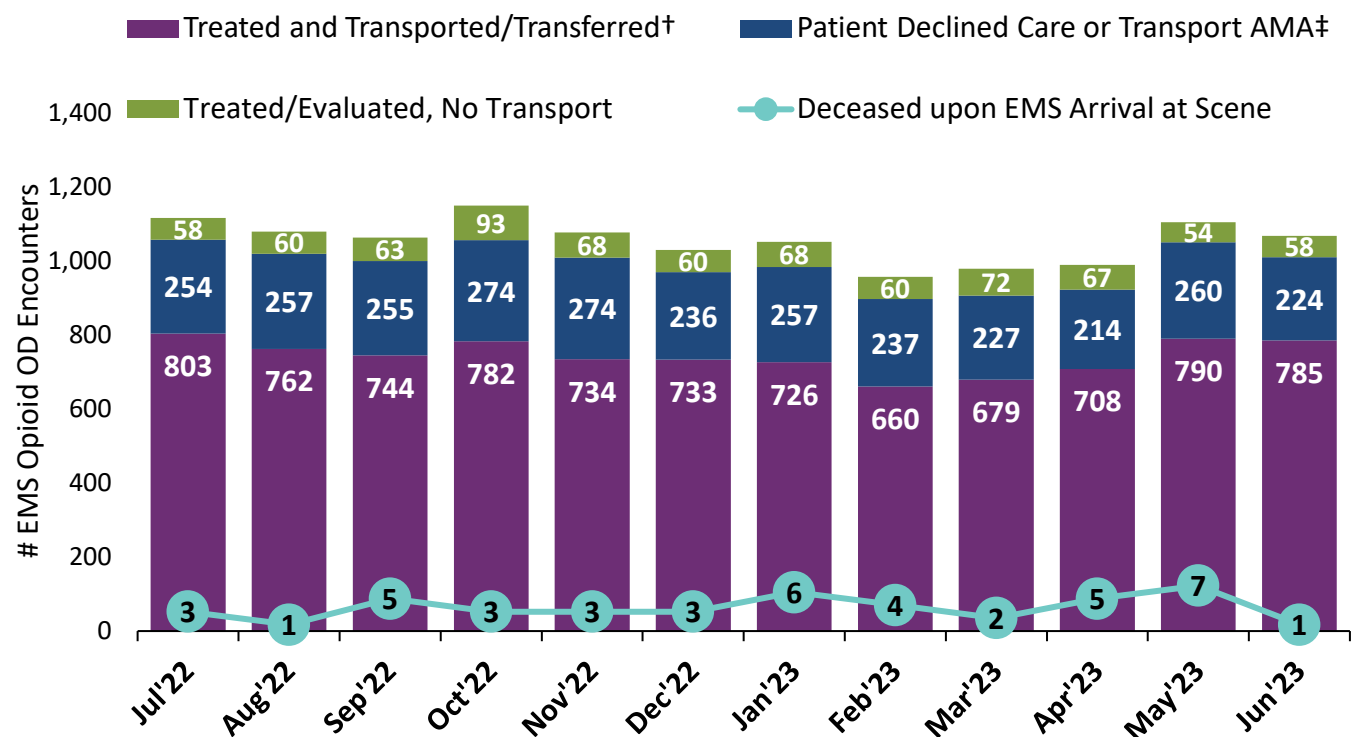
Compared to **1,129** June 2022*

Note: Counts based on North Carolina Disease Event Tracking and Epidemiologic Collection Tool (NC DETECT) opioid overdose indicator case definition: patients >11 years old, AND encounters with opioid-related primary or secondary impression AND documented administration of naloxone OR naloxone AND unresponsive keyterms in the narrative.

EMS Opioid Overdose Encounters by Month: 2022-2023*



EMS Opioid Overdose Patient Disposition Last 12 Months

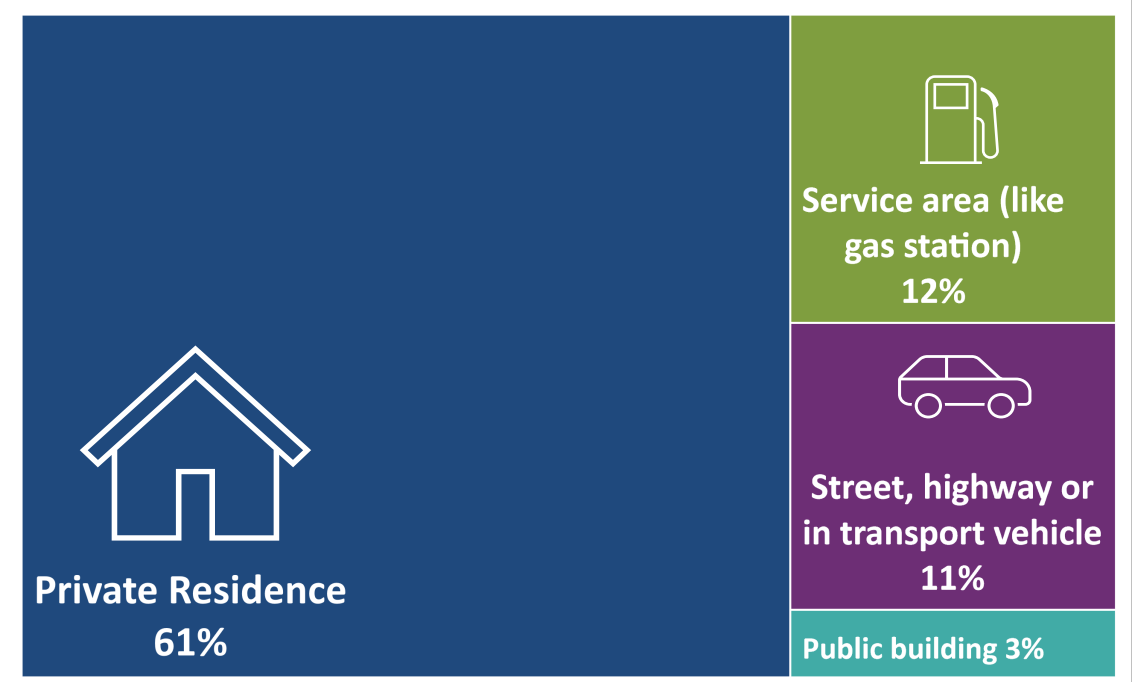


†Transport refers to transport to hospital. Transfer occurs between EMS agencies.

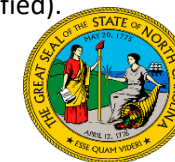
‡Against Medical Advice

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EMS Opioid Overdose by Location Type Last 12 Months^u



^u Data represents patient location at time of EMS encounters. Graph shows top 4 locations only (other locations include hospital, school, prison, park, institutional residence, and unspecified).

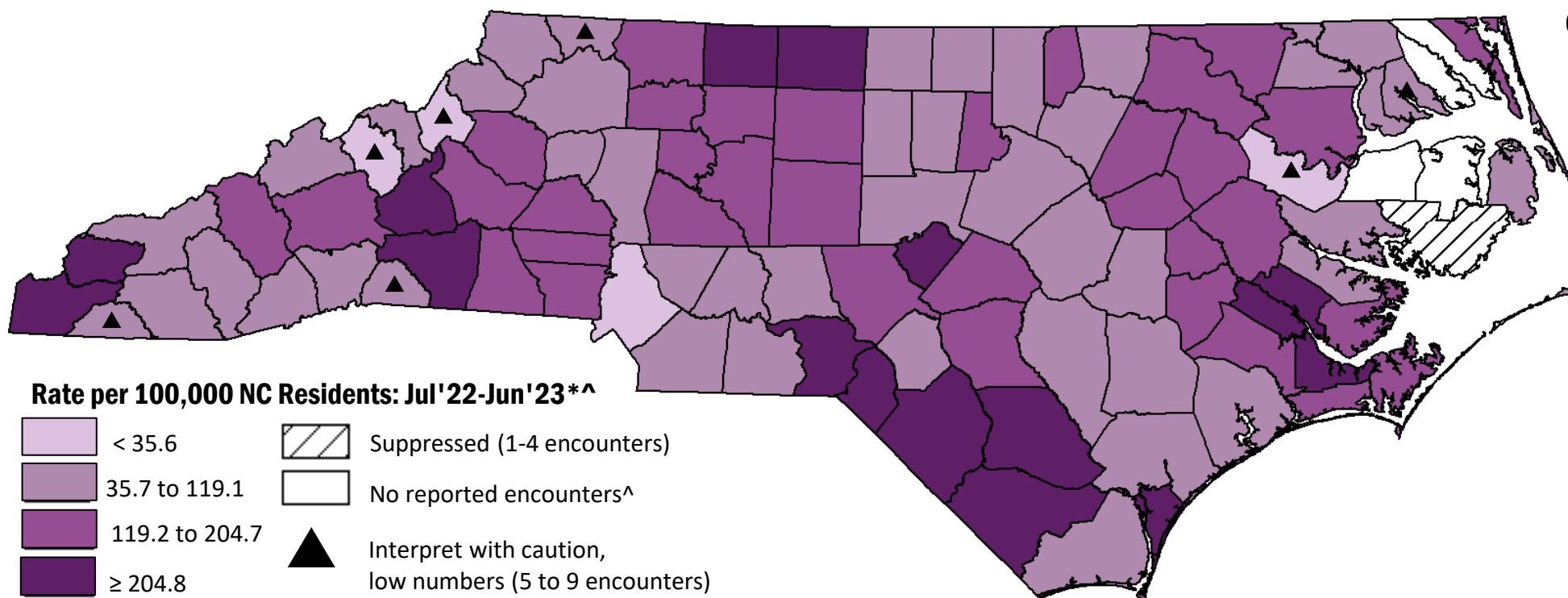


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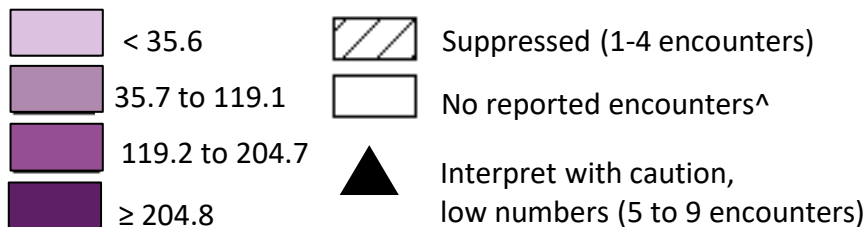
Last 12 Months EMS Suspected Opioid Overdose Encounters by County: Jul'22-Jun'23*^

Highest Rates of EMS Suspected Opioid Overdose Encounters among Counties in Last 12 Months: Jul'22-Jun'23*^



County	Count	Rate^
Scotland	118	338.9
Robeson	415	317.7
Craven	278	272.2
Rockingham	238	261.5
Graham	22	260.6
Lee	146	236.3
McDowell	104	227.3
New Hanover	524	223.5
Rutherford	147	219.3
Stokes	98	215.0
Statewide	12,785	121.9

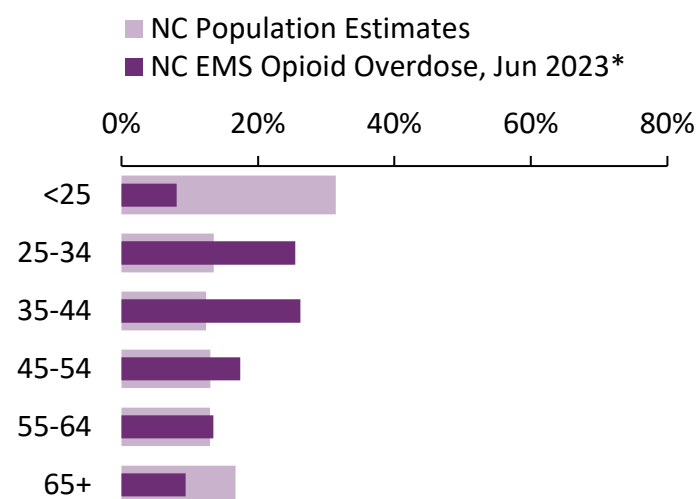
Rate per 100,000 NC Residents: Jul'22-Jun'23*^



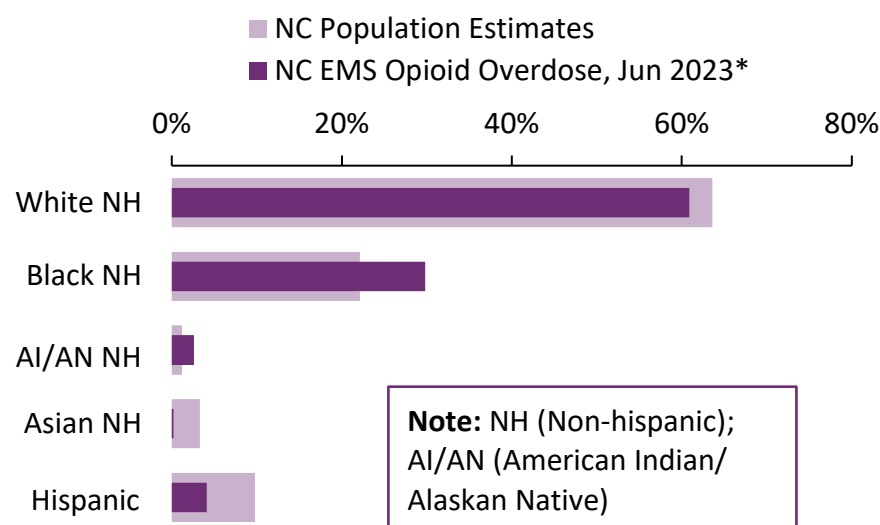
*Many neighboring counties share EMS agencies, therefore counts may be overrepresented in some counties and underrepresented in others. *EMS data are provisional and should not be considered final. All "EMS Opioid OD" counts reflect *suspected* opioid overdose encounters, based on the 'Opioid Overdose' EMS Indicator developed by NC DETECT.

Demographics of Suspected Opioid Overdose EMS Encounters Compared to Overall NC Population

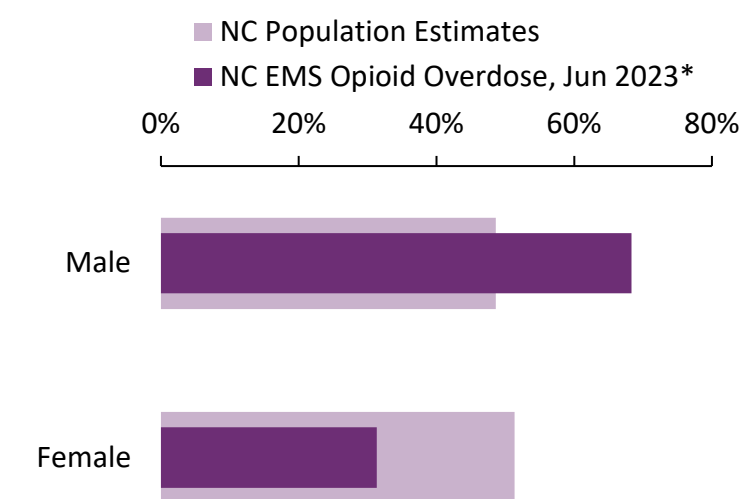
EMS Encounters by Age Group ^Y



EMS Encounters by Race/Ethnicity ^Y

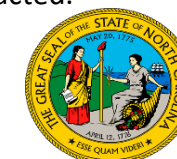


EMS Encounters by Sex ^Y



^YOverdose percentages that exceed population estimates within a subgroup indicate a population that may be disproportionately impacted.

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