

The Opioid Epidemic NEVADA



Every



A Person IN NEVADA
VISITS AN EMERGENCY
DEPARTMENT (ED)

With Opioid Related Diagnosis

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IS ADMITTED INTO A
HOSPITAL

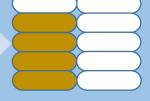
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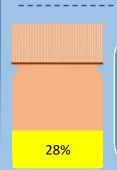
42% of ED Visits related to Opioids are paid for by MEDICAID



36% of IP ADMISSIONS related to Opioids are paid for by MEDICAID



25-34 year olds are MOST heavily affected: 26% of ED encounters 22% of IP admissions



28% of Opioid Poisoning for ED encounters were due to HEROIN overdose 7.7% of adults

and

16.9% of high school students

have taken prescription drugs without a prescription

Opioid Related Death

Every Day

an Opioid related death occurs in Nevada. The crude death rate is 15.6 per 100,000 population. 27% of Opioid Deaths

had Benzodiazepines combined with Opioids.

61% of Opioid Deaths

were due to Natural and semisynthetic Opioids, and 18% were due to heroin.

- 72% white
- 25% 45-54 years old
- 55% male
- 73% were accidental overdose