

Ward 6: Non-fatal Opioid Overdoses

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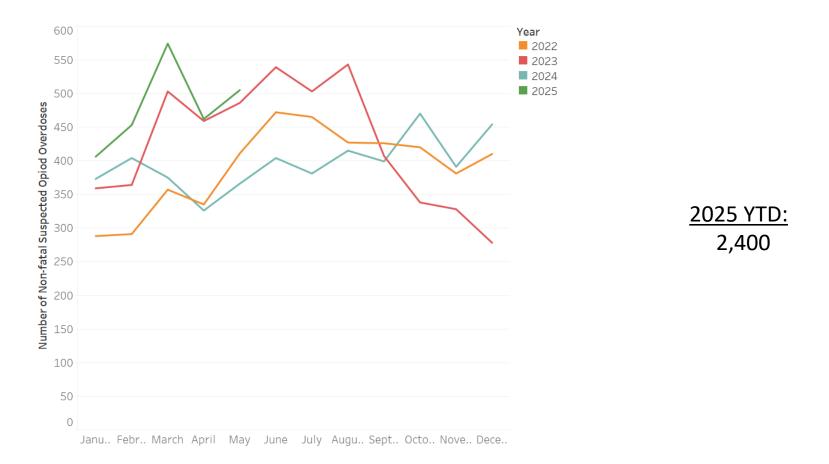
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• What is considered a non-fatal opioid overdose?

- An opioid overdose is determined by an EMS provider's clinical determination or improvement in the patient's condition following naloxone administration.
- What is not included in these data
 - Overdose victims who did not have a 9-1-1 call placed for them and therefore did not interact with EMS.
 - Overdoses without enough geographic information to determine in which Ward the incident occurred. As such, the data likely underrepresents total opioid overdoses in a particular Ward.
 - Overdoses that were ultimately fatal following transport to the emergency department.



Non-fatal Opioid Overdoses by Month in District-Wide, 2022-2025 YTD

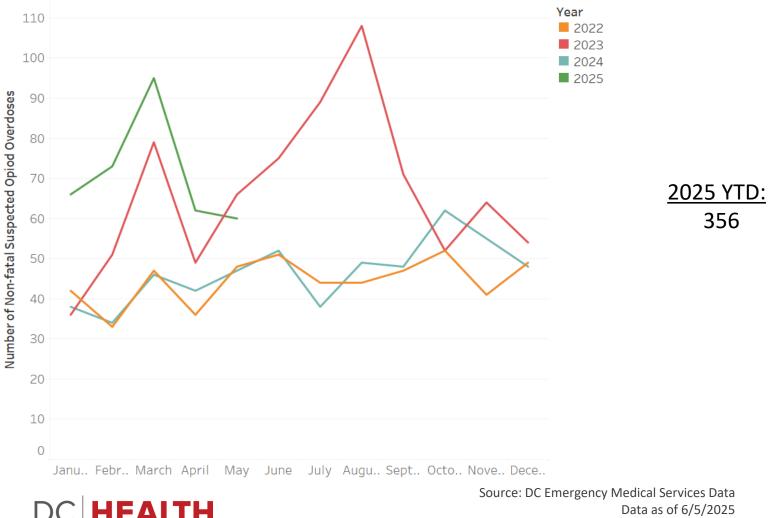




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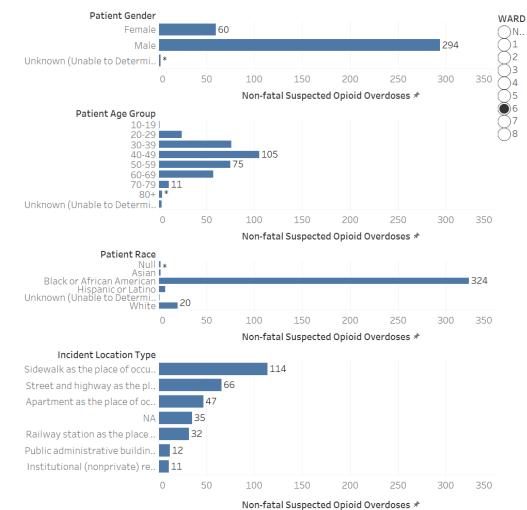
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Non-fatal Opioid Overdoses by Month in Ward 6, 2022-2025 YTD



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Demographics of Non-fatal Opioid Overdoses in Ward 6, YTD through May 31, 2025

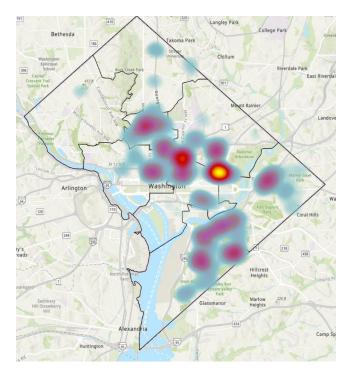




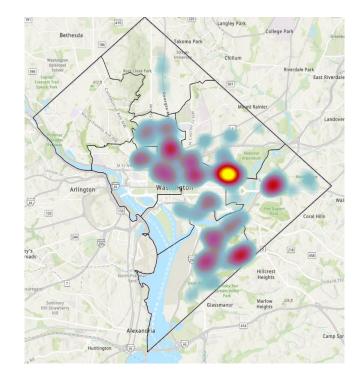
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DC Overdose Heatmap

Non-Fatal Overdose Heatmap, April 2025, N=462



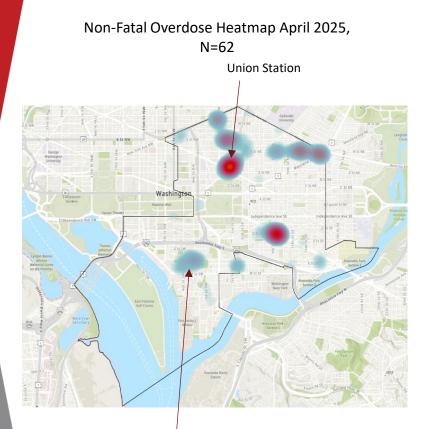
Non-Fatal Overdose Heatmap, May 2025, N=505





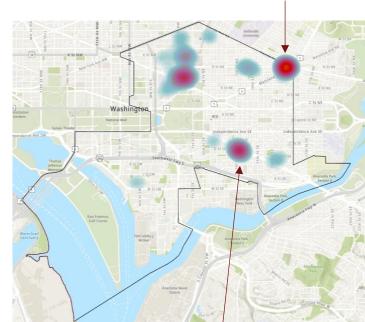
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DC Overdose Heatmap, Ward 6



Non-Fatal Overdose Heatmap, May 2025, N=60

Starburst Plaza



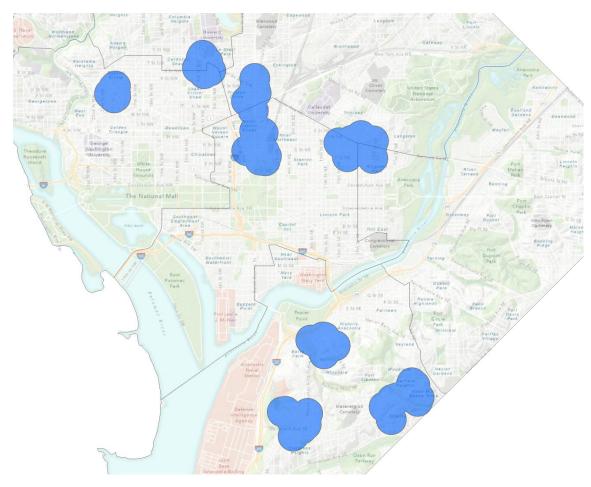
Eastern Market

SW/Waterfront Near the Safeway



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2025 Overdose Clusters, Ages 50+



Clusters represent ~2 block radius surrounding a cluster of at least 10 overdoses within two blocks of each other.



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