### WAGONER COUNTY
Drug Overdose Facts

#### DRUG OVERDOSE FAST FACTS*

*Wagoner County Data (2014-2018)*

- There were 64 unintentional drug overdose deaths in Wagoner County.
- Wagoner County had the 40th highest death rate in the state.
- Females were 26% more likely to die than males.
- Adults aged 35-54 had the highest rate of death.
- More than half (57%) people who died had a history of mental health problems.
- More than two out of three (70%) people who died had a history of substance abuse.
- Learn the warning signs of an overdose — 77% of deaths occurred at a home or apartment.

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*Rates per 100,000 population. Some rates are based on a small number of cases and should be interpreted with caution.

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*12 Oklahomans* die every week from an unintentional drug overdose

#### NUMBER OF UNINTENTIONAL OVERDOSE DEATHS BY TYPE OF SUBSTANCE

**WAGONER COUNTY, 2014-2018**

- **64** All unintentional drug overdoses
- **51** Prescription drugs
- **45** Prescription opioids
- **15** Methamphetamine
- **5** Illicit opioids

#### STATE FACTS:

- From 2014-2018, more than 3,300 Oklahomans died of an unintentional drug overdose.
- From 2013-2018, the rate of unintentional prescription opioid-related overdose death decreased by 61% (475 deaths in 2013; 191 deaths in 2018).
- From 2007-2018, the unintentional methamphetamine-related overdose death rate increased nearly 700%. In 2018, methamphetamine was involved in more than half of drug overdose deaths.
- From 2016-2018, nearly nine out of ten (87%) drug overdose deaths were unintentional and 8% were due to suicide.

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Wagoner County had the 25th highest nonfatal drug overdose hospitalization rate in the state.

- 52% of hospitalizations were unintentional and 41% due to self harm.
- Females were 19% more likely to be hospitalized than males.
- Adults aged 85+ had the highest hospitalization rates.

The most common substances involved in hospitalizations were:
- Opioids (27% of hospitalizations)
- Benzodiazepines (18%)
- Antidepressants (12%)

*Includes all intents of nonfatal drug overdose – unintentional, self harm, undetermined, and assault