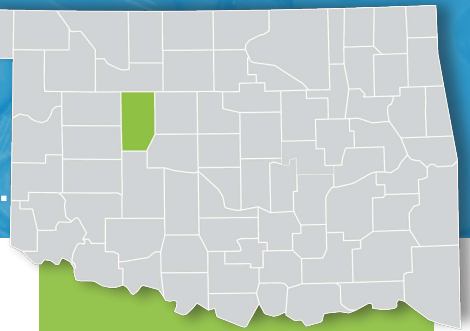


# BLAINE COUNTY

## Prescription Opioid Overdose Facts

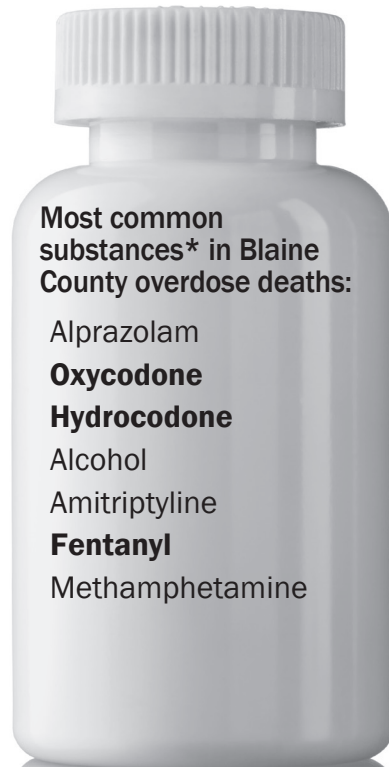


### NUMBER OF UNINTENTIONAL OVERDOSE DEATHS BY TYPE OF SUBSTANCE BLAINE COUNTY, 2013-2017

All unintentional overdoses	10
Prescription drugs	9
Prescription opioids	8
Illicit drugs	<5
Alcohol	<5

**More than four out of five** unintentional prescription drug overdose deaths in Oklahoma involve at least one prescription opioid.

Overdose deaths involving prescription opioids account for **more than all illicit drugs combined.**



**Most common substances\* in Blaine County overdose deaths:**

- Alprazolam
- Oxycodone**
- Hydrocodone**
- Alcohol
- Amitriptyline
- Fentanyl**
- Methamphetamine

\*Opioids in bold



### State Facts:

- From 2013-2017, more than 1,900 Oklahomans died of an unintentional prescription opioid overdose.
- In 2017, enough opioids were dispensed for every adult in Oklahoma to have the equivalent of 156 hydrocodone 10mg tablets.



## Opioid Overdose Fast Facts\*

### Blaine County Data (2013-2017)

- There were 8 unintentional prescription opioid overdose deaths in Blaine County.
- Blaine County had the 8th highest death rate in the state.
- Nearly two out of three (63%) people who died had a history of substance abuse.
- Learn the warning signs of an overdose – 88% of deaths occurred at a home or apartment.

\*Some rates are based on small numbers and may be unstable.

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Enough opioids were dispensed to Blaine County residents for every adult to have the equivalent of 164 hydrocodone 10mg tablets.\*

\*2017 Oklahoma Prescription Monitoring Program data

## Blaine County Prescribing Data\*

- The opioid prescription rate for Blaine County adults was 9% higher than the state rate.
- Adults aged 55-64 had the highest opioid prescription rate.
- The most commonly prescribed opioids were:
  - Hydrocodone
  - Oxycodone
  - Tramadol
  - Codeine
  - Morphine
- 15% of Blaine County adults with an opioid prescription had an overlapping prescription for a benzodiazepine. This combination increases the risk of fatal overdose.

## Unintentional Prescription Opioid Overdose Death Rates by County of Residence<sup>1</sup>, Oklahoma, 2013-2017

