

Commission on Narcotic Drugs Thematic Discussions Autumn 2020

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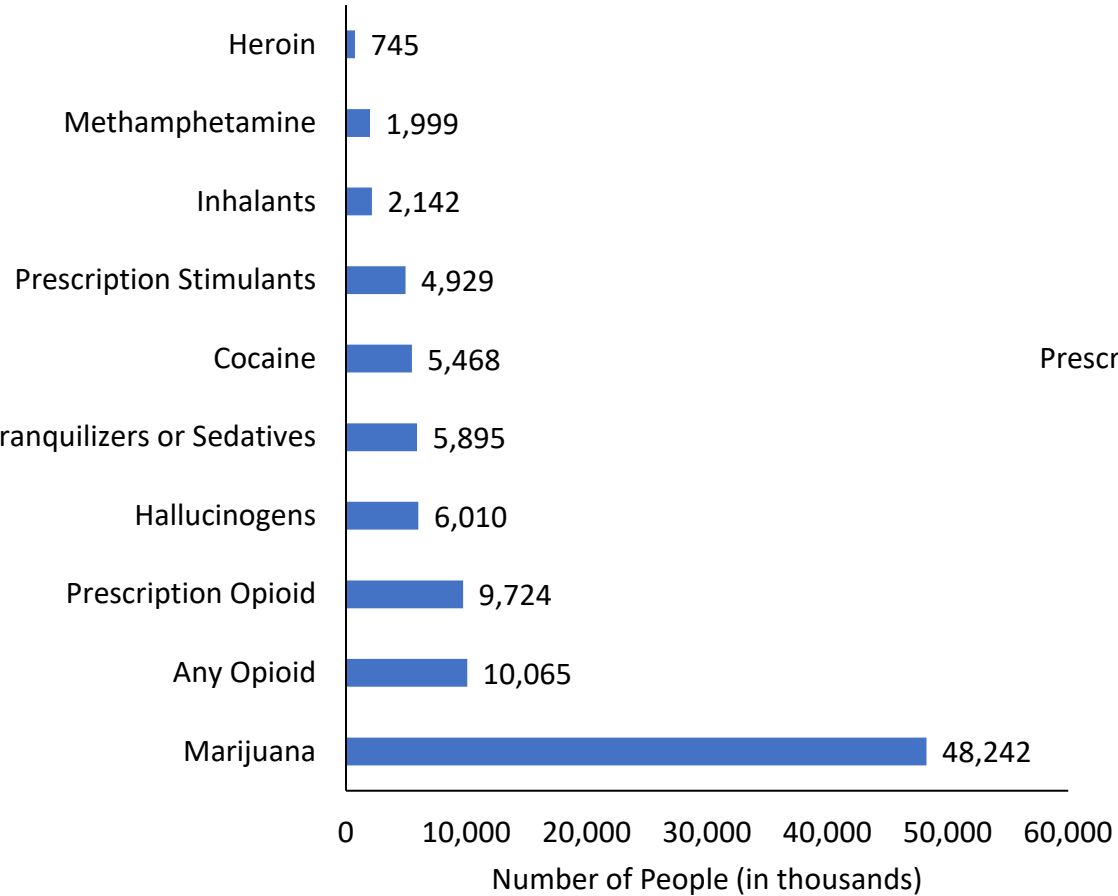
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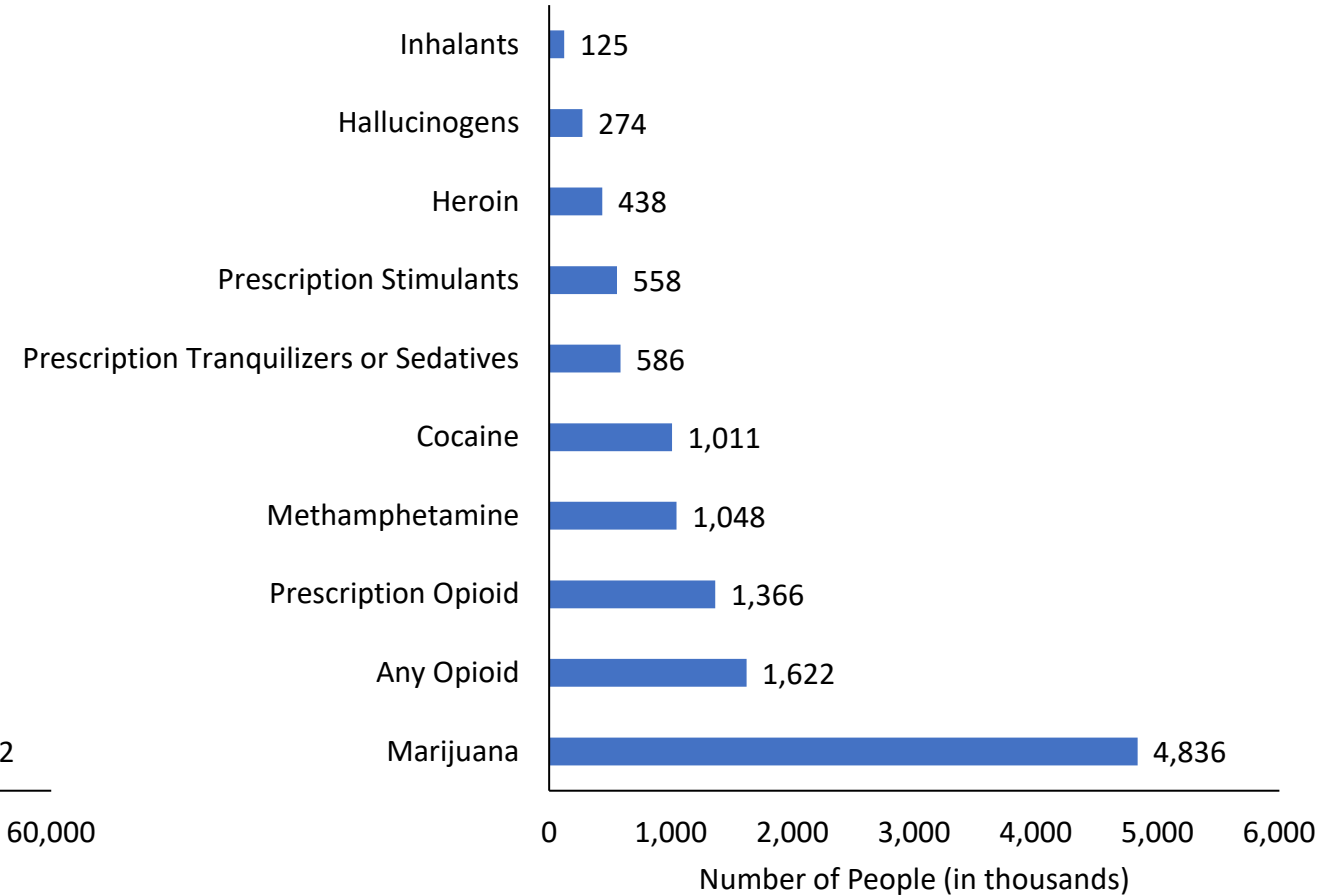
Drug Treatment and Health Services Continue to Fall Short of Meeting Needs and Deaths Related to Drug Use Have Increased

Substance Use & Substance Use Disorders among People ≥12 Years, U.S.

Past Year Use (Misuse)

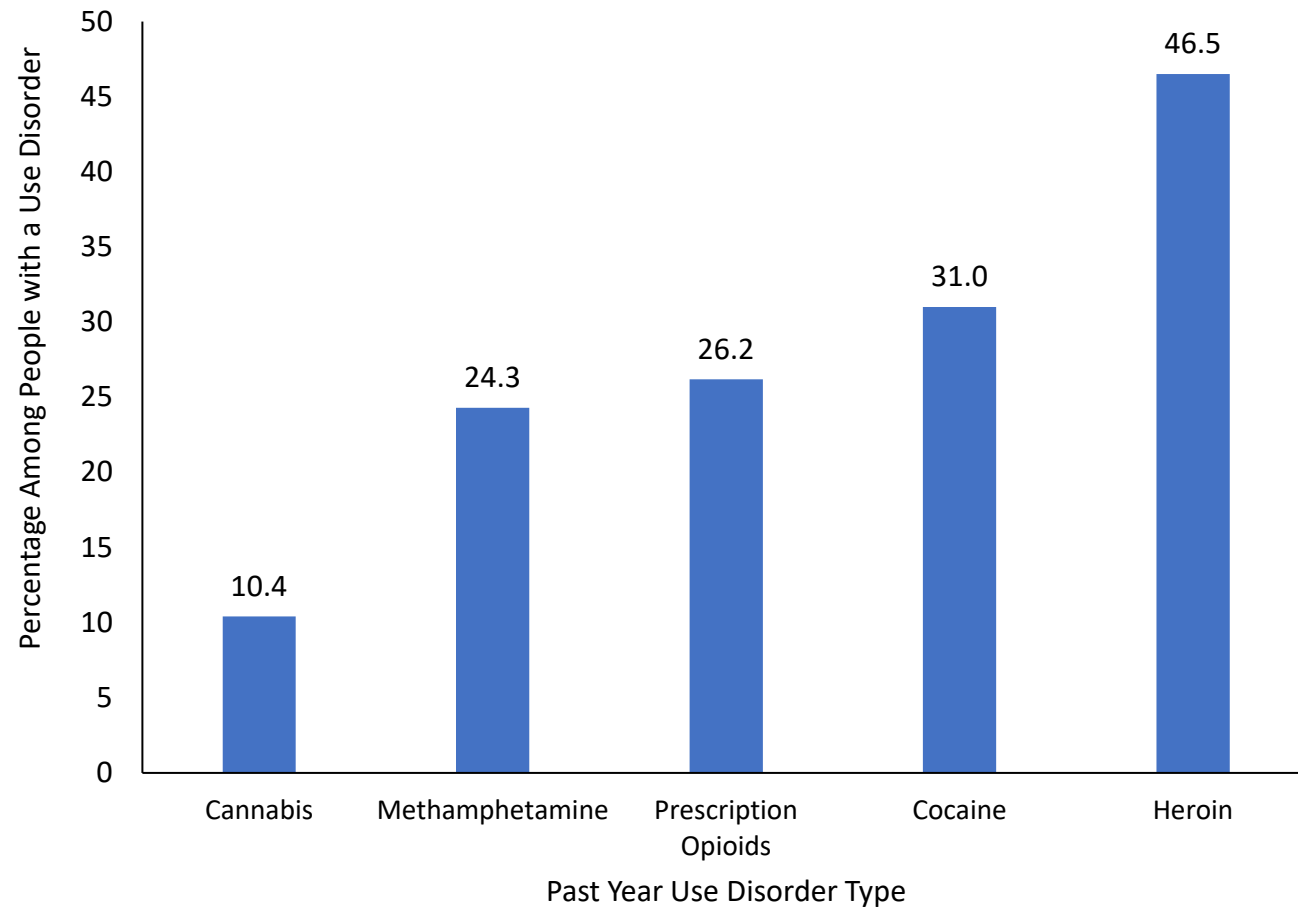


Past Year Substance Use Disorder

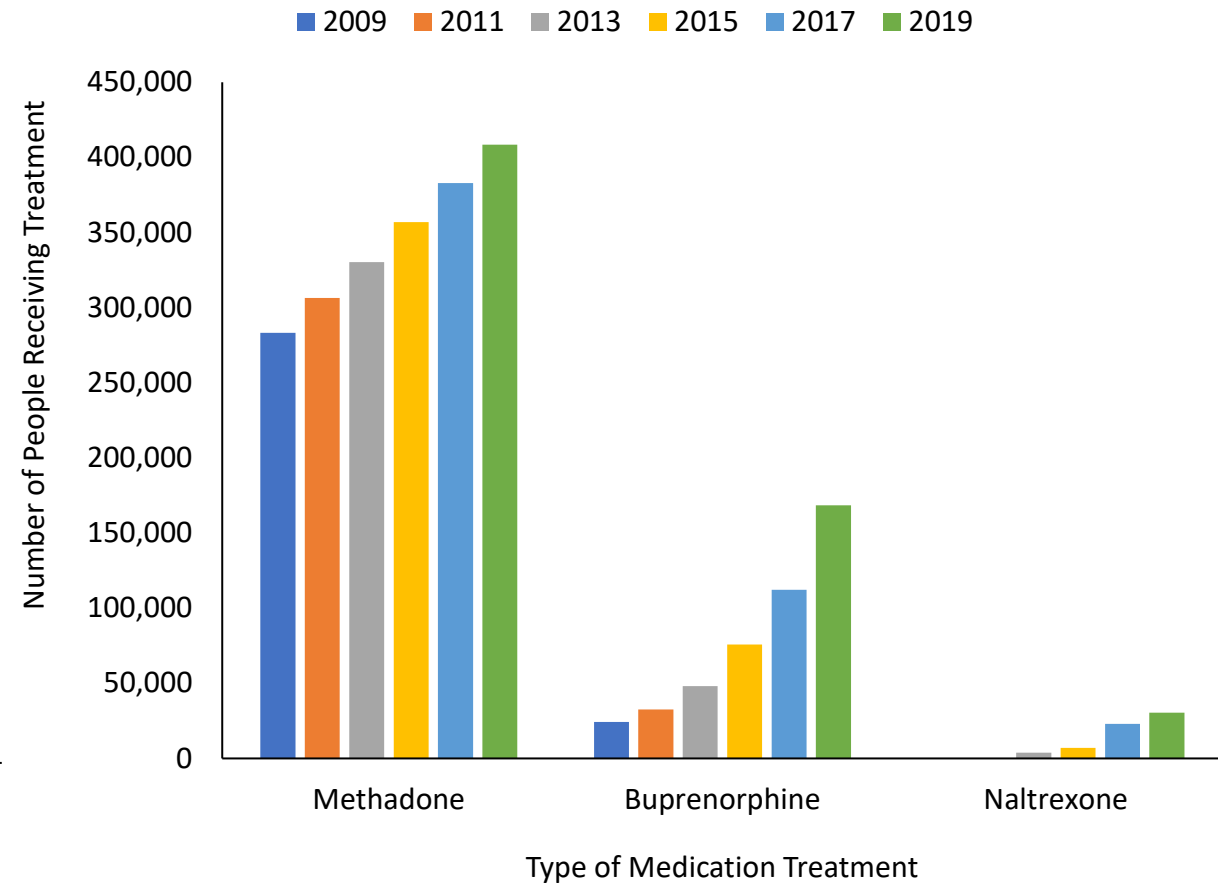


Receiving Substance Use Treatment, U.S.

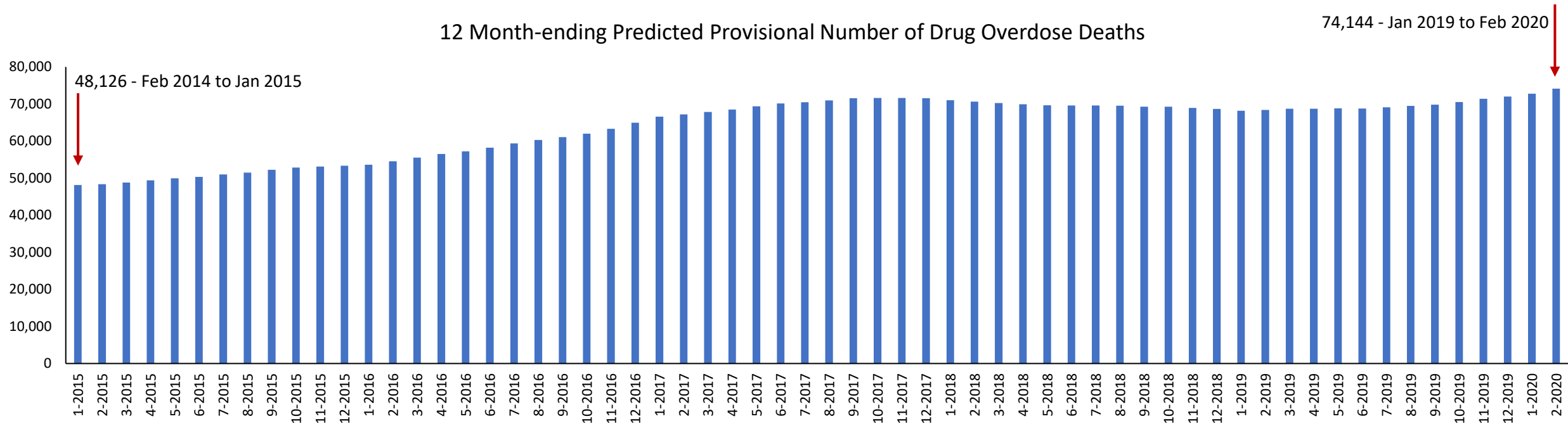
Receipt of Any Substance Use Treatment in Past Year



Receipt of Medication Treatment at Treatment Facilities



12 Month-Ending Predicted Provisional Overdose Mortality, U.S.



	Drug Overdose Deaths	Any Opioid	Prescription Opioids	Heroin	Synthetic Opioids	Psychostimulants	Cocaine
February 2019*	68,393	47,630	14,968	15,223	32,260	13,540	14,922
February 2020*	74,144	52,624	14,553	14,145	39,297	17,379	16,920
Abs Change	5,751	4,994	-415	-1,078	7,037	3,839	1,998
Percent Change	8.4%	10.5%	-2.8%	-7.1%	21.8%	28.4%	13.4%



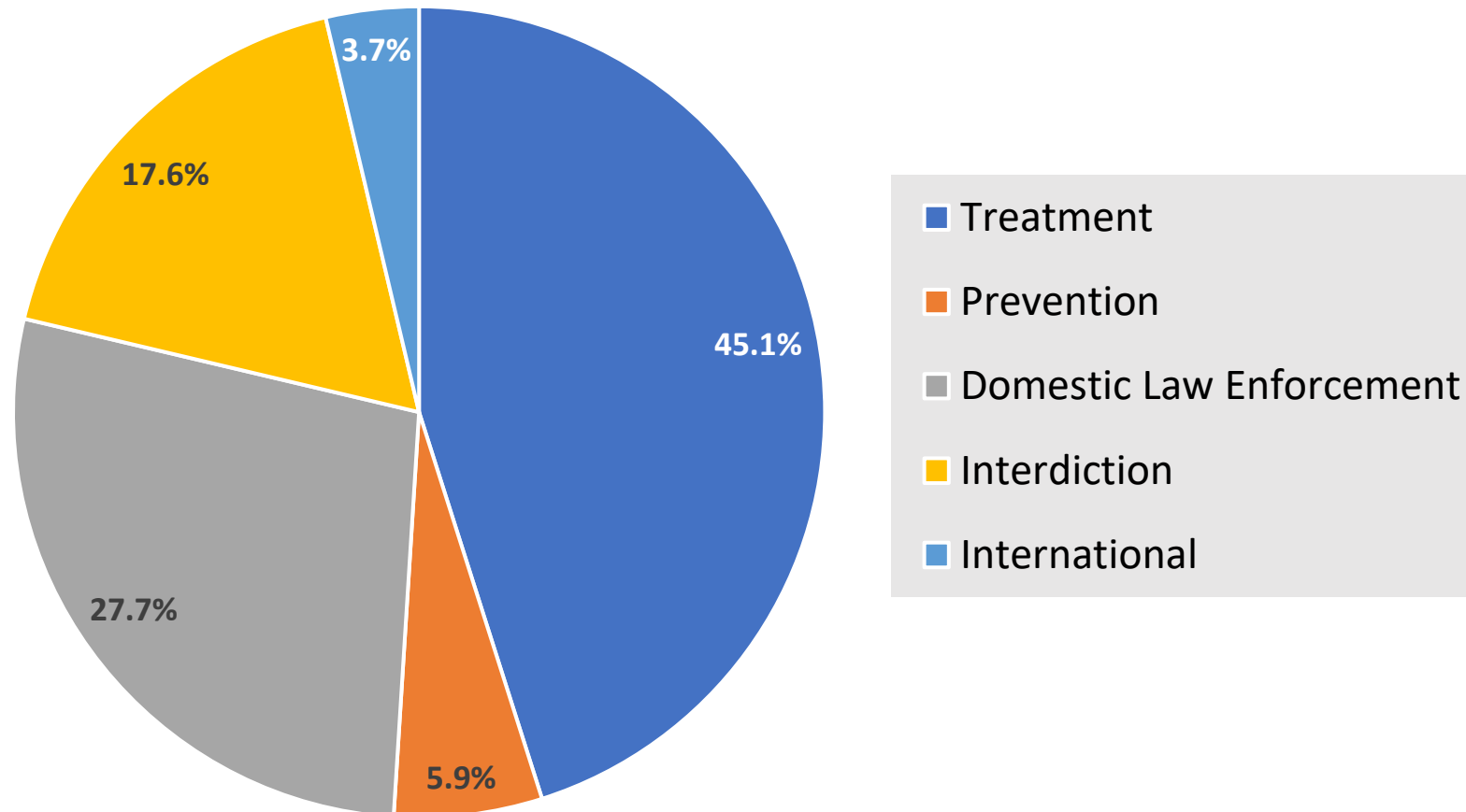
* Number of predicted deaths for the 12 months ending in Feb of the indicated year

** Categories are not mutually exclusive

Federal Spending on Drug Control Continues to Increase

- Spending doubled from \$17B in FY2003 to \$35.6B in FY2020.

FY 2020 Budget Break Down



NATIONAL DRUG CONTROL STRATEGY



HHS 5-POINT STRATEGY TO COMBAT THE OPIOID CRISIS

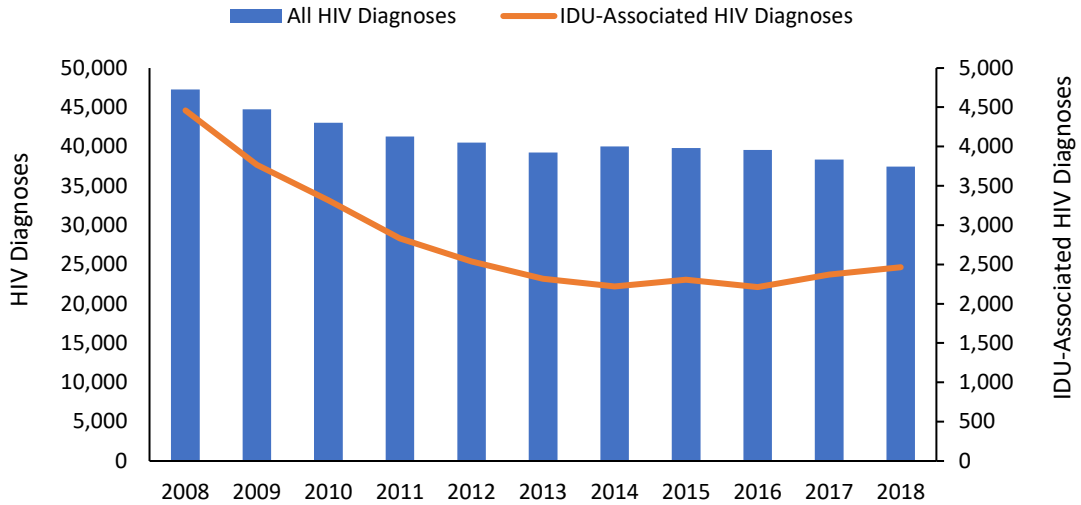
**MORE ADDICTION PREVENTION,
TREATMENT, AND RECOVERY SERVICES**



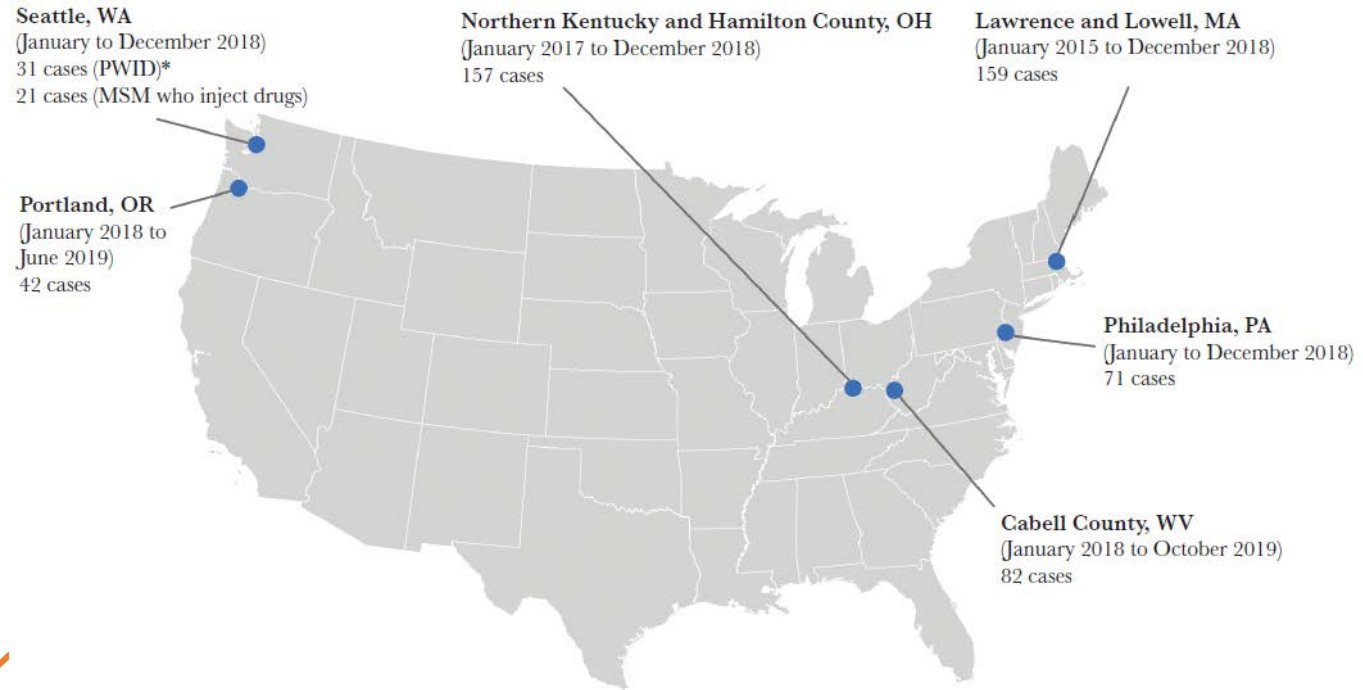
The Rate of Transmission of HIV, The Hepatitis C Virus and Other Blood-Borne Diseases Associated with Drug Use, Including Injecting Drug Use in Some Countries, Remains High

Infectious Diseases and Drug Use, U.S.

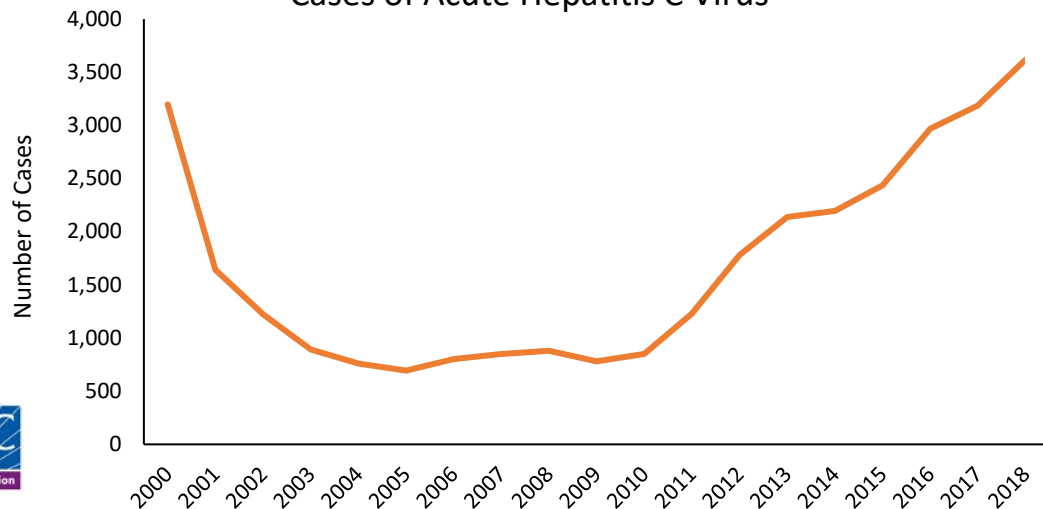
HIV Diagnoses



Outbreaks of HIV Among People Who Inject Drugs, 2016-2019



Cases of Acute Hepatitis C Virus



- Rising rates of endocarditis
- Rising rates of other bacterial infections
- Emerging fungal infections among PWID



Public Health Actions to Address Overdose Risk and Infectious Disease Transmission among People Who Inject Drugs

- Expand access to medications for opioid use disorder (MOUD) treatment and other evidence-based substance use disorder treatments
- Increase linkage to care and the provision of social and recovery support services
- Increase provision of overdose prevention education and naloxone distribution among people who inject drugs
- Increase the provision of risk reduction services through comprehensive syringe services programs
- Increase HIV testing, counseling, provision of pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP), and linkage to antiretroviral treatment as a part of substance use treatment and recovery support services
- Scale up viral hepatitis testing, linkage to direct-acting antiviral (DAA) treatment for HCV, and vaccination for hepatitis A virus (HAV) and hepatitis B virus (HBV) as part of substance use treatment and recovery support services



Conclusions

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