



Opioid Abuse Advisory Committee Meeting

January 4, 2024

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Welcome & Introductions



Opioid Abuse Advisory Committee

- Lori Martinec, South Dakota Department of Health, Chair
- Becky Heisinger, South Dakota Association of Healthcare Organizations
- Sara DeCoteau, Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate of the Lake Traverse Reservation
- Margaret Hansen, South Dakota Board of Medical & Osteopathic Examiners
- Tiffany Wolfgang, South Dakota Department of Social Services
- Charles McGuigan, Attorney General's Office Representative
- Kristen Carter, South Dakota Pharmacists Association
- Dayle Knutson, Great Plains Indian Health Services
- Kari Shanard-Koenders, South Dakota Board of Pharmacy
- Rep. Taylor Rehfeldt, South Dakota Legislature
- Dr. Erin Miller, South Dakota State University, College of Pharmacy & Allied Health Professions
- Tosa Two Heart, Great Plains Tribal Leaders Health Board
- Dr. Jennifer Ball, PharmD, Center for Family Medicine
- Brian Mueller, Pennington Co. Sheriff's Office
- Jill Franken, Sioux Falls
- Susan Kornder, Northeastern Mental Health Center
- Mary Beth Fishback, Brookings Behavioral Health & Wellness
- Jason Jones, Pierre Police Department
- Jason Foote, Yankton Police Department
- Dr. John Rounds, PT, Pierre Physical Therapy & Rehabilitation
- Dr. Melanie Weiss, OD, Weiss Eyecare Clinic





Federal Funding Updates

- DOH Grants
- DSS Grants





Overview of the 2023 Annual Report





Opioid Settlement Fund Overview & Status Update

- Review of Active & Pending Settlements
 - **Jennifer Humphrey, SD DSS**
- Overview of Overdose Follow-Up Programs
 - **Angela Kennecke – Emily’s Hope**
 - **Kendra Joswiak – Project Recovery**
- Status Update on the Community Grant Program



Review of Active & Pending Settlements

- **Funding Available**

- Approximately \$54M over 18 years
- Funds have been received from two settlements to date
 - Distributor – Distributions 1 and 2 totaling \$2,508,363
 - Mallinckrodt – Distribution 1 and 2 totaling \$469,341
- Funds associated with additional payments from the Distributor settlement and the Janssen settlement are not yet available due to a pending lawsuit
 - Distributor – Distribution 3 pending - \$1,285,339
 - Janssen – Distribution 1 pending - \$440,203
 - Janssen – Distribution 2 pending - \$102,703

- **Guiding Framework**

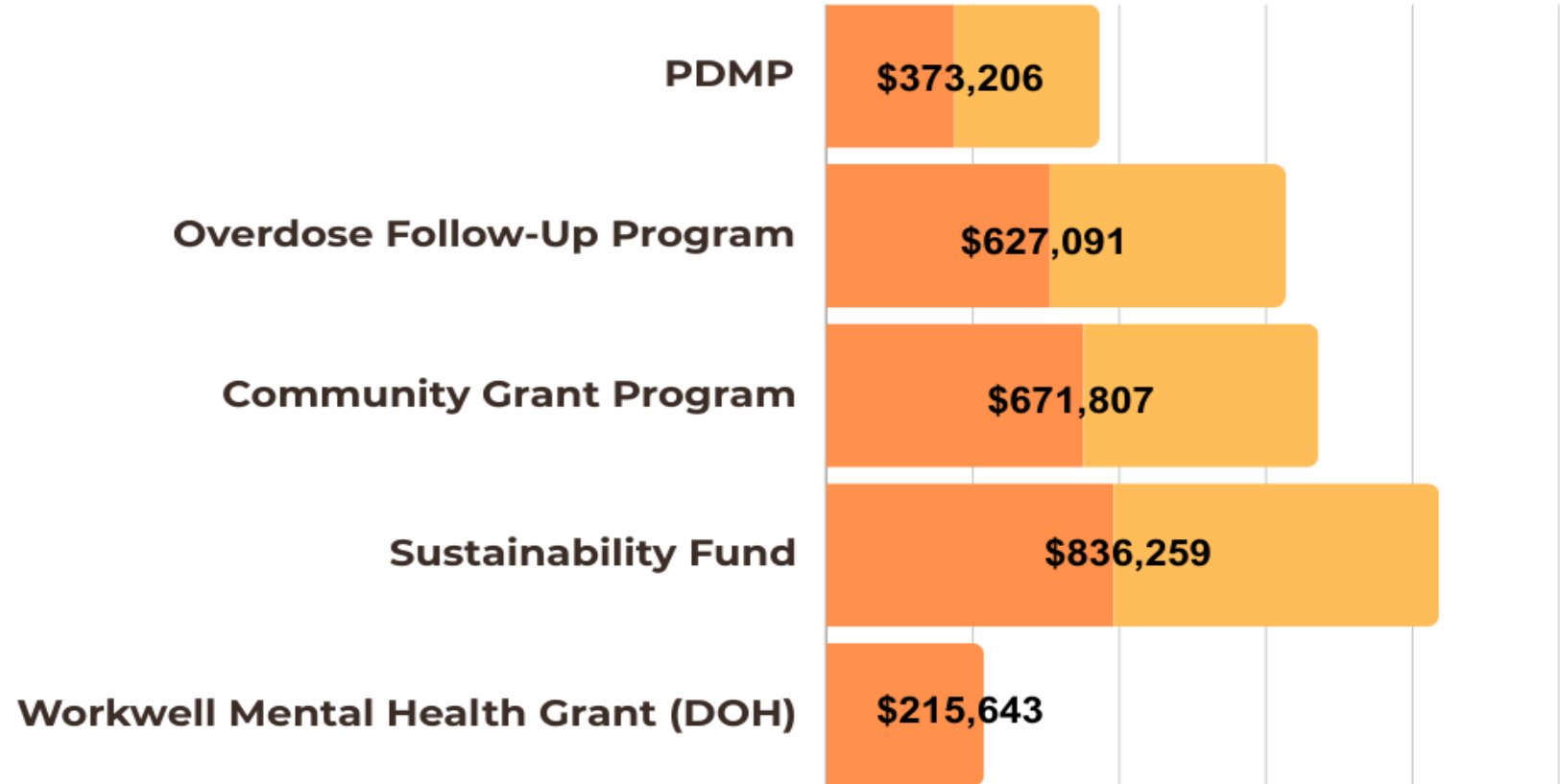
- Memorandum of Agreement signed in November 2022
- HB 1038 – Establishment of the Opioid Abatement and Remediation Fund
 - Appropriated through normal budget process
 - Expenditures of the state must be assigned to Department of Social Services



National Opioid Settlements

Total Approved Budget

\$2,724,006



● 2023 Budget

● 2024 Budget

Program Overview
Overdose
Follow-Up
Efforts

Emily's Hope





PERSON-CENTERED

EVIDENCE-BASED

ADDICTION MEDICINE

VIRTUAL AND IN-PERSON CARE
FOR ALL SOUTH DAKOTA RESIDENTS



PROJECT RECOVERY

THROUGH PARTNERSHIP WITH SOUTH DAKOTA'S DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH,

FREE visits and medications for OPIOID USE DISORDER

are available for individuals without insurance who meet financial criteria. Insurance accepted and self-pay options are available.

Call us, walk-in, or schedule online:
625 Flormann St.
Rapid City, SD 57701
Phone: 605-340-1234
Fax: 855-526-0199
<https://project-recovery.org/>

MEDICATION

COUNSELING

PEER SUPPORT

SPECIALTY REFERRAL

Post-overdose
**Rapid
Response
Team**



Multidisciplinary RRT

24/7/365 Navigator

Public safety and healthcare referrals from Pennington, Meade, Lawrence, Butte, and Custer Counties

Rapid access to addiction and mental health services



Only 13% of individuals meeting criteria for moderate to severe opioid use disorder receive evidence-based treatment (Krawczyk, 2022).

Through partnership with South Dakota's Department of Social Services Division of Behavioral Health, **FREE visits and medications for opioid use disorder** are available for individuals without insurance who meet financial criteria.

Reducing barriers to
treatment entry and
rapid medication access
saves lives. (Jakubowski & Fox, 2020)



Overdose Follow-Up Program

- **Any questions?**



2023-24 SD Opioid Settlement Fund Community Grant Program

- Authorized by the Committee in its January and August 2023 meetings, allocating funding from Settlement Payments 1 & 2
- Structured program to support approximately \$350,000 available funding for each grant cycle, or \$700,000 for the 2023-24 application year
- Developed program components to aligned with the Approved Uses of the MOA and the criteria set by the committee
- Application window opened October 1st
- Applications received before November 1st considered for first round of funding

OPIOID SETTLEMENT FUND COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM

A new funding opportunity is available for South Dakota-based organizations working to abate and alleviate the impacts of the opioid crisis and co-occurring substance use challenges in South Dakota communities. As you may be aware, over the next 18 years South Dakota will be receiving funding from the National Settlement Agreement involving a number of pharmaceutical companies. This funding is split between what is called the statewide share and the localized share. Department of Social Services in partnership with the Opioid Abuse Advisory Committee is utilizing 25% of the statewide share of the National Opioid Settlements to fund this grant program.

Allowable activities must align with the [Approved Uses](#) for the Settlement Funds.

Please share this opportunity with your community-based partners. Applications are currently being accepted online, which can be accessed on the web page linked below. A FAQ document, budget template, and notes on preparing to apply are also available.



Grant Program Applications received before November 1st will be reviewed for funding beginning December 2023.

For More Information scan the QR code or visit:
<https://dss.sd.gov/behavioralhealth/grantinfo.aspx>
Settlements > Opioid Settlement Fund Community

Timeline for Applications

	1 st Round	2 nd Round
Applications Open	October 1	March 1
Applications Close (5 pm Central Time)	October 31	March 31
Applications Under Review	November	April
Award Announcement	December	May
Budget Period	Six Months December – May	Twelve Months June – May

Contracts to be structured on the calendar year.

Scoring Criterion Focused on Four Main Areas

- Budgets within or near the recommended range of the Opioid Abuse Advisory Committee (between \$5,000 and \$35,000).
- Strong alignment with the Opioid Settlement Memorandum of Understanding and its approved uses, focusing on the stipulation that the project is using funds for the purposes of abating and alleviating the opioid crisis and co-occurring substance abuse.
- Reasonable alignment of the requested budget to the number of individuals to be served, or projected impact.
- Projects that did not duplicate other known efforts, but rather identified ways to partner and collaborate.

Applicant: _____
 Reviewer: _____
 Date Reviewed: _____

FUNDING RECOMMENDATION

- I am in support of awarding funding to this project.
- I am in support of awarding funding to this project with the changes listed below.
- I am not in support of awarding funding to this project.

Total Score:

REVIEWER COMMENTS

Indicate support for scoring by including overall strengths and weaknesses. These comments may be provided to applicants with their final scores.

SCORING CRITERION

I. Alignment with the National Settlement Agreement & Advisory Committee Guidelines	Applicant does not address this element or did not meet the criterion	Applicant provided some information but did not provide thorough detail to fully assess	Applicant addressed the criterion but its approach could be improved	Applicant meets or exceeds the criterion	TOTAL
Does the project propose using funds <u>only</u> for the purposes of abating and alleviating the <u>opioid crisis and co-occurring substance abuse</u> in South Dakota?	0	---	---	10	
Does the application demonstrate meaningful collaboration with participating local government(s)?	0	1	3	5	
Will the project impact individuals in counties or cities that opted out of the localized share?	0	1	3	5	
Is the requested budget within the recommended range (\$5,000 to \$35,000)?	0	---	10	N/A	
Total:					of 30

IV. Improvement upon Existing Efforts or Services Available	Applicant does not address this element or did not meet the criterion	Applicant provided some information but did not provide thorough detail to fully assess	Applicant addressed the criterion but its approach could be improved	Applicant meets or exceeds the criterion	TOTAL
Has the applicant provided evidence to support the need within the target population and identified geographic areas?	0	1	3	5	
Does the project expand, support, or improve upon existing efforts or services currently available in a way that maximizes duplication of efforts and maximizes available resources?	0	3	7	10	
Does the applicant present a reasonable basis for the project that suggests it will be successful in reaching its goals?	0	1	3	5	
Reviewer Comments:					Total: of 30

V. Budget Request	Applicant does not address this element or did not meet the criterion	Applicant provided some information but did not provide thorough detail to fully assess	Applicant addressed the criterion but its approach could be improved	Applicant meets or exceeds the criterion	TOTAL
Has the applicant requested a budget that reasonably aligns with the number of individuals expected to be served or impacted?	0	3	7	10	
Has the applicant identified other funds to be used to support its project, or is it reliant upon any Opioid Settlement funds to execute its strategy?	0	1	3	5	
Reviewer Comments:					Total: of 30

Note: The Advisory Committee reserves the right to assess the appropriateness of the requested funding in alignment with the projected impact of the project.

II. Organizational Experience	Applicant does not address this element or did not meet the criterion	Applicant provided some information but did not provide thorough detail to fully assess	Applicant addressed the criterion but its approach could be improved	Applicant meets or exceeds the criterion	TOTAL
Does the applicant have sufficient subject matter expertise to implement the technical components of the project?	0	1	3	5	
Does the applicant have the organizational capacity (e.g., workforce, facilities, space) to implement the proposed project?	0	1	4	7	
Does the applicant have sufficient experience to be successful in the implementation of this project?	0	1	4	8	
Reviewer Comments:					Total: of 30

III. Sustainability	Applicant does not address this element or did not meet the criterion	Applicant provided some information but did not provide thorough detail to fully assess	Applicant addressed the criterion but its approach could be improved	Applicant meets or exceeds the criterion	TOTAL
Does the applicant require continued funding for more than 12 months to successfully implement its strategy?	0	1	3	5	
Has the applicant identified a plan to sustain the project beyond the funding period? If not applicable / not needed, score at the highest level.	0	1	3	5	
Can the project be meaningfully and effectively completed in the timeframe proposed?	0	1	3	5	
Reviewer Comments:					Total: of 30

12 Applications Recommended for Funding

Brookings County Youth Mentoring Program
Coteau des Prairies Hospital
Emily's Hope
Michael Glynn Memorial Coalition
Minnehaha County – Jail Division
Mitchell Technical College
South Dakota School of Mines & Technology
Southeastern Behavioral HealthCare
University of South Dakota
Wagner Community Memorial Hospital
Washed Clean Addiction and Recovery Ministries
Youth & Family Services, Inc.

Notify Advisory Committee of
Funding Award Decisions



Notify Applicants (by Friday 1/5)



Proceed with Contracts for the
2024 Calendar Year

Prevention Initiatives

Organization	Amount Requested	Amount Awarded	Description
Brookings County Youth Mentoring Program	\$15,170	\$15,170	Will serve youth who have ACEs related to OUD in their families; funds will expand an established model.
Emily's Hope	\$35,000	\$78,100	Opioid misuse prevention curriculum delivery – grades 6-12. Budget annualized to align with calendar year.
Michael Glynn Memorial Coalition	\$10,925	\$10,925	Health Fair re: opioid prevention organized and “manned” by youth.
Mitchell Technical College	\$10,829	\$10,829	Training for all 120+ employees in OEND and purchase of medication and co-located AED storage units.
South Dakota School of Mines & Technology	\$16,372	\$27,734	Expand existing prevention program with focus on opioids through additional staff time and the creation of a strategic plan. Funds to support OEND on campus and through community outreach. Budget adjusted to cap indirect costs at 10% MTDE. Budget annualized to align with calendar year.
Wagner Community Memorial Hospital	\$19,346	\$10,000	Funds to support OEND and a Health Fair at the local level. Initial request also included funds to develop the capacity of one employee to meet educational requirements to eventually be licensed as an addiction counselor; denied due to minimal impact (1 individual).

Treatment Initiatives

Organization	Amount Requested	Amount Awarded	Description
Coteau des Prairies Hospital	\$40,450	\$40,450	ED staff training, additional telehealth equipment, naloxone purchase, and community training.
Minnehaha County Sheriff's Office: Jail Division	\$80,500	\$36,500	Funding to support equipment (monitor) purchase, but not annual costs. Will impact jailed individuals at high risk for overdose or for medical complications from withdrawal.
Southeastern Behavioral HealthCare	\$31,800	\$31,800	Provide transitional housing units for up to 8 individuals in recovery for a one-year period. Strong community partnerships. Award would stipulate funds are only for those impacted by opioid use/misuse.
University of South Dakota - Physician Assistant Program	\$34,000	\$32,653	Provides training in MOUD for PAs, and a network of peers to continue to expand MOUD providers in the state. Budget adjusted to cap indirect costs at 10% MTDE.
Washed Clean Addiction and Recovery Ministries	\$17,100	\$17,100	The project will assist 9.5 persons in recovery find long-term housing and faith-based services over six months at a cost of \$1,800 in support per person. Award would stipulate funds are only for those impacted by opioid use/misuse.
Youth & Family Services, Inc.	\$63,998	\$63,998	Training of 7 staff on opioids and how to work with youth who have trauma related to parents with OUD. Original request also included treatment costs for equine and trauma-informed therapies for OUD-impacted adults and youth.



Settlement Fund Next Steps

- **Several distributions remain pending due to ongoing litigation**
- **Request approval to re-allocate Mallinckrodt settlement funds**
- **Request approval for use of funds to support administrative costs**



Re-allocate portion of National Opioid Abatement Trust II (Mallinckrodt Settlement)

- Distribution 1: \$215,643
- Distribution 2: \$253,698
- **Expenditures**
 - Workwell Mental Health Grant with DOH - \$30,000
 - Balance remaining - \$439,341
- **Propose to increase funding for Overdose Follow-Up Program (Distribution 2 + Remaining Balance of Distribution 1)**



Propose Administrative Fee – up to 5% of Distributions Received

- Moving forward, DSS proposes using up to 5% of total distributions received to offset anticipated administrative fees associated with managing the settlement funds.



Launch the 2nd round of Community Grant Funding

- Emphasize grant funding range in messaging
- Update application to more directly address sustainability of the project and experience / history of the organization



Project Updates

- Naloxone for Business Program
- State Opioid Response Efforts





Naloxone for Business Program

During the 2023 legislative session, HB1162 was passed into law allowing employers to acquire and make available on the employer's premises an opioid antagonist that is dispensed or distributed by a licensed health care professional, if the employer:

- Develops a protocol for the transport, storage, maintenance, and location of the opioid antagonist;
- Provides training and instruction, developed by the Department of Health – all available online;
- Prominently posts instructions on the administration of an opioid antagonist and post-administration protocol, if the employer makes it accessible to the public.



Naloxone for Business Program

The DOH developed a website for training and resources at

<https://doh.sd.gov/health-care-professionals/ems-trauma-program/sd-naloxone-project/naloxone-for-business-training-and-resources/>

- An online Naloxone administration training was developed that includes:
 - Definitions of an opioid and its effects on the body;
 - Signs and symptoms of an overdose;
 - Safety precautions to consider;
 - Explanation of Naloxone and how it works;
 - Administering Naloxone safely; and
 - Activation of emergency services.
- Other DOH website resources include:
 - Sample policy for program implementation
 - Information on where to acquire Naloxone
 - Links to other websites that address how to find help for Opioid Use Disorder



Naloxone for Business Program

Roll-out within Department of Health and Department of Social Services Offices

- Each Department agreed to implement a Naloxone for Business Program in each building where staff are located.
 - An opportunity for our offices to prioritize Opioid overdose awareness, Naloxone training, and take the lead in piloting the program in our state.
 - Many state offices co-located in county buildings and with other state agencies.
- Provides an opportunity to partner with other entities for employee training.

Status of Implementation

- Naloxone and wall mounted Nalox-boxes were purchased for each DOH and DSS office.
- DOH adopted a policy that requires Naloxone administration training for all current and incoming employees.
- Designated Naloxone Coordinators are being trained in each DOH office and Nalox-boxes are being sent to offices once Coordinator training has been completed.
- All DOH staff will receive Naloxone Administration training by mid-February 2024.

Recovery Support Services funded by SOR



Face It Together

- Sioux Falls, SD
- Office-based and telehealth based coaching sessions
- Services available to individuals impacted by opioids or stimulants



Bethany Christian Services

- Sioux Falls and Rapid City, SD
- Intensive case management services through their ReNEW Program, targeted to pregnant and postpartum women



Oxford House

- Peer-led / peer-governed
- MOUD-friendly homes

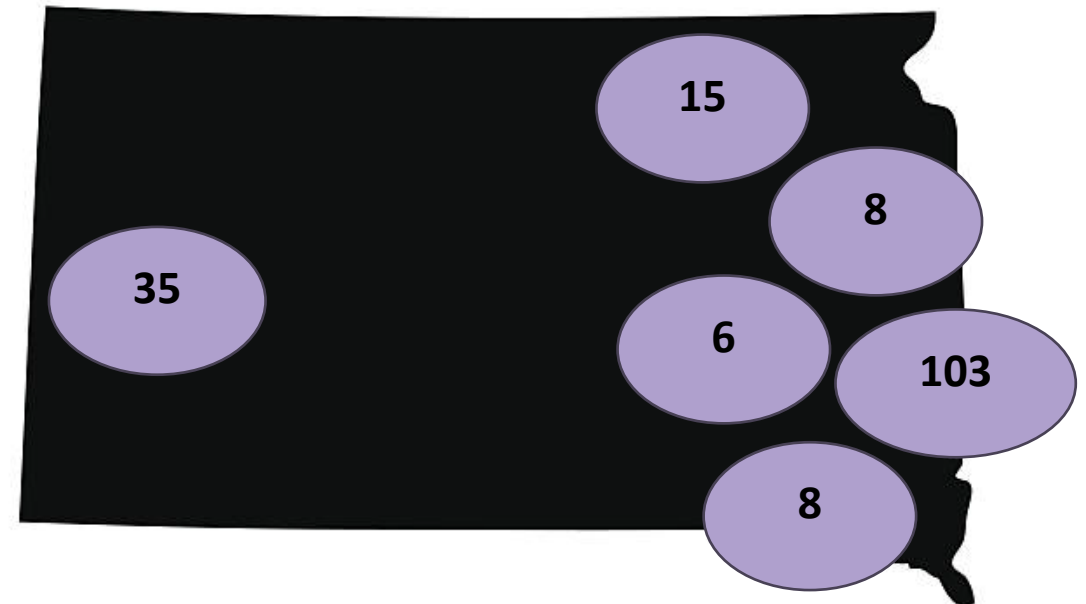
On average, 22 new individuals each month begin recovery support services supported by SOR.

Recovery Support Services funded by SOR



***Oxford House
Expanded Capacity***

**22 houses across SD
175 total beds available**



Enter a location or click on a house name for directions.

State: County: Gender: Show Only Vacancies:

House Name	Gender	City	House #	County	Contact	Contact #	Interviews	Capacity	Vacancies	Distance
Hills	W	Rapid City	(605) 791-1188	Pennington	Lora	(605) 569-2111	Mon 6:30pm	10	3	Search by Zip
ne	M	Sioux Falls	(605) 271-0925	Minnehaha	Matt	(605) 403-6978	Sun 7:00pm	9	3	Search by Zip
ah	W	Aberdeen	(605) 262-0455	Brown	Stephanie	(605) 228-0857	Daily 7:00pm	8	2	Search by Zip
on	W	Sioux Falls	(605) 274-0619	Minnehaha	Rochelle	(605) 595-0195	Sun 6:00pm	10	1	Search by Zip
	WC	Sioux Falls	(605) 271-1810	Minnehaha	Maggie	(605) 359-7406	Sun 8:00pm	10	1W 0WC	Search by Zip
Park	M	Sioux Falls	(605) 271-0631	Minnehaha	David	(605) 228-2505	Sun 5:30pm	8	3	Search by Zip
Plains	M	Aberdeen	(605) 262-0249	Brown	Joshua	(605) 971-0493	Sun 1:00pm	8	0	Search by Zip
	M	Sioux Falls	(605) 271-1889	Minnehaha	Tyler	(605) 760-1216	Sun 1:00pm	9	1	Search by Zip
more	M	Rapid City	(605) 791-0177	Pennington	Mike	(605) 786-6583	Sun 7:00pm	9	1	Search by Zip

Show Map

Real-time look-up for house availability

<https://oxfordvacancies.com/>

Legislative Updates

- Scheduling of Xylazine





South Dakota's Opioid Road Map: *Data & Surveillance*

- Prevalence Data & Enhanced Surveillance Activities
- Prescription Drug Monitoring Program Updates



Data Updates

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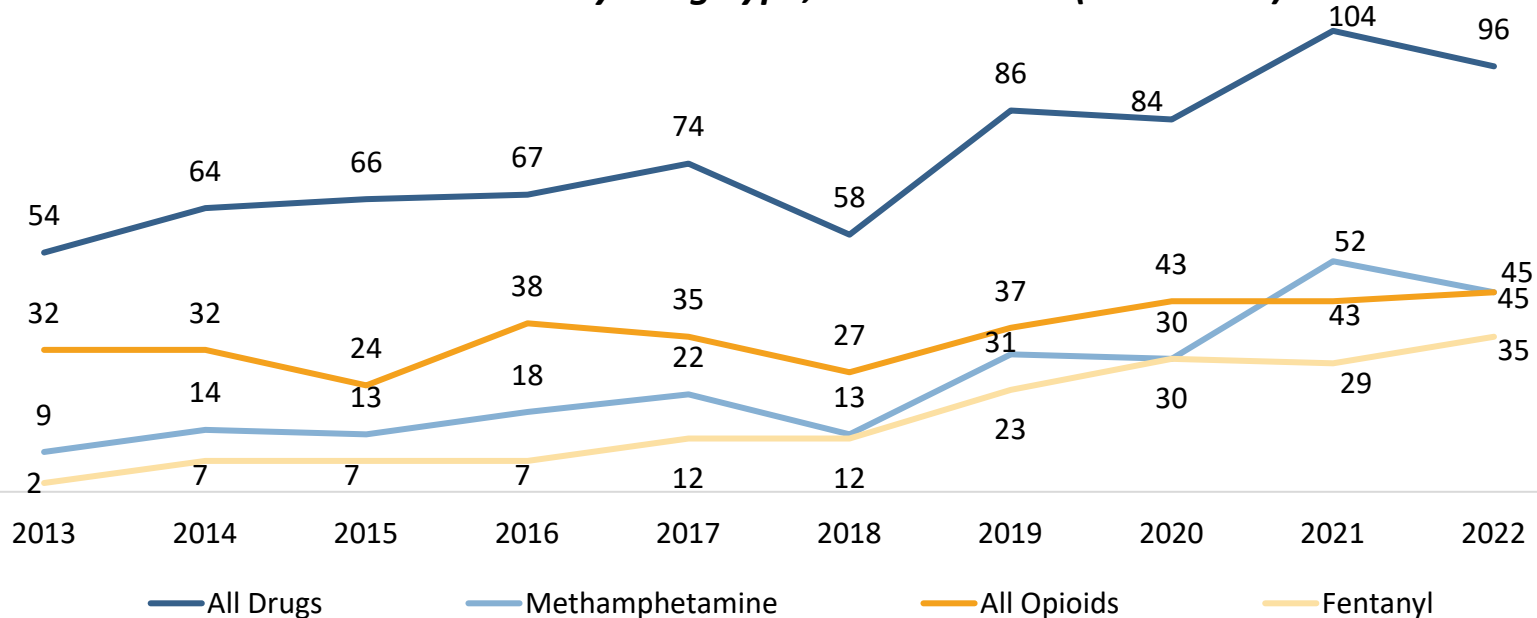
Amanda Weinzetl, MPH
Injury Prevention Epidemiologist
South Dakota Department of Health



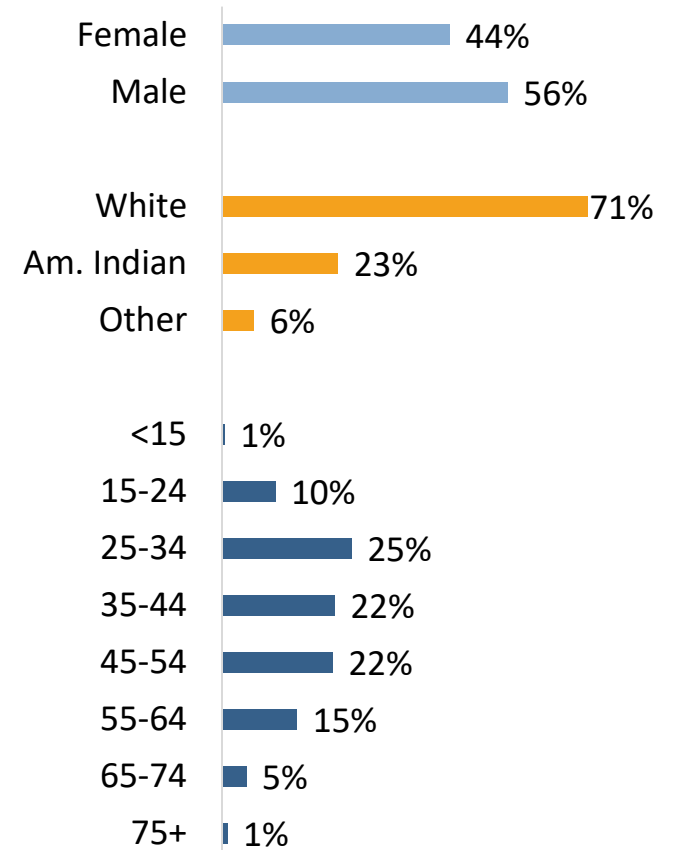
Overdose Deaths

- South Dakota had the **2nd** lowest age-adjusted **OVERDOSE** death rate in 2021
 - SD = 12.6 per 100,000
 - US = 32.4 per 100,000
- South Dakota had the **LOWEST** age-adjusted **OPIOID OVERDOSE** death rate in 2021
 - SD = 5.7 per 100,000
 - US = 24.7 per 100,000

Overdose Deaths by Drug Type, South Dakota (2013-2022)



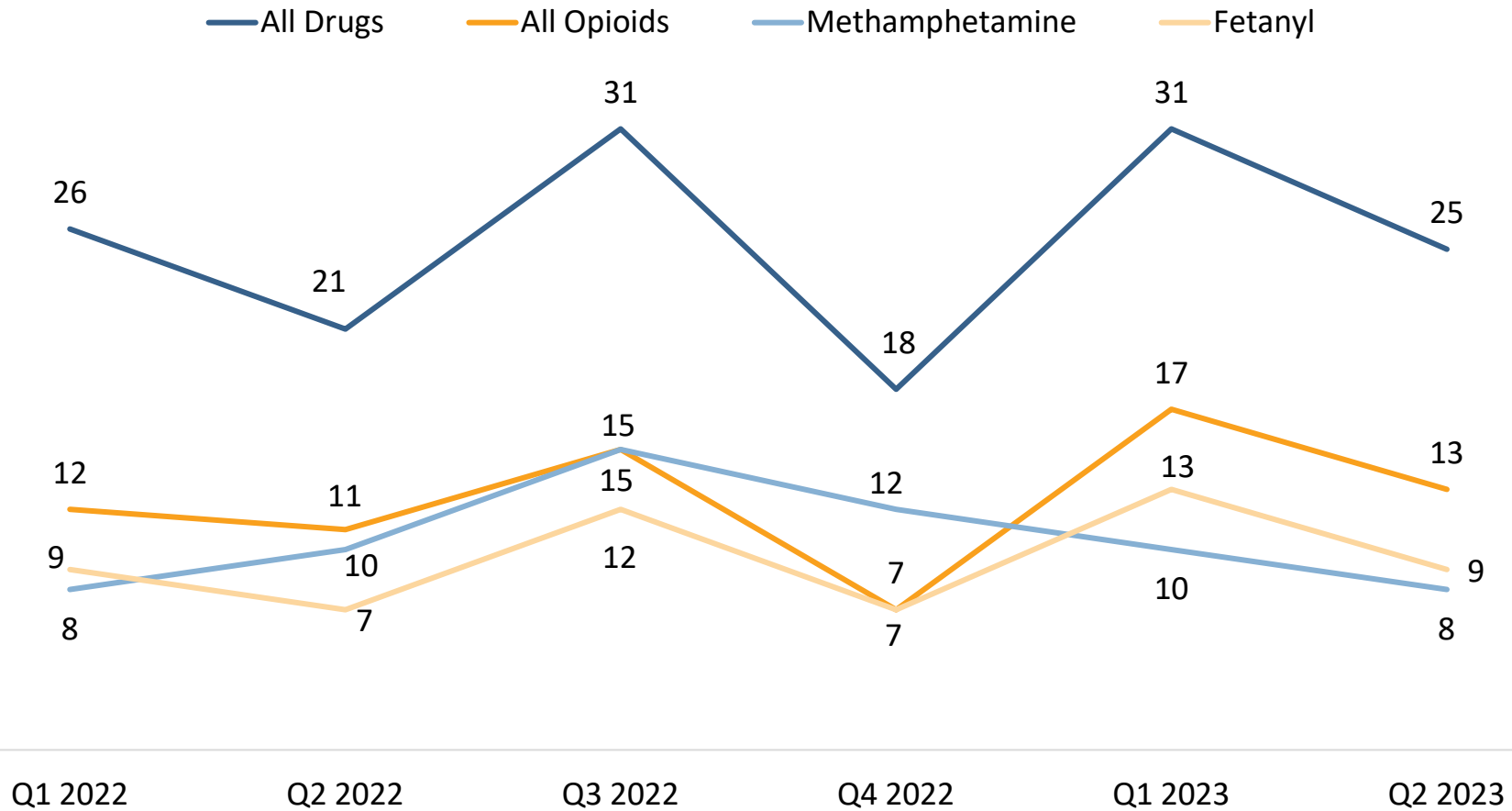
Overdose Deaths by Demographics, 2013-2022





Provisional Overdose Deaths

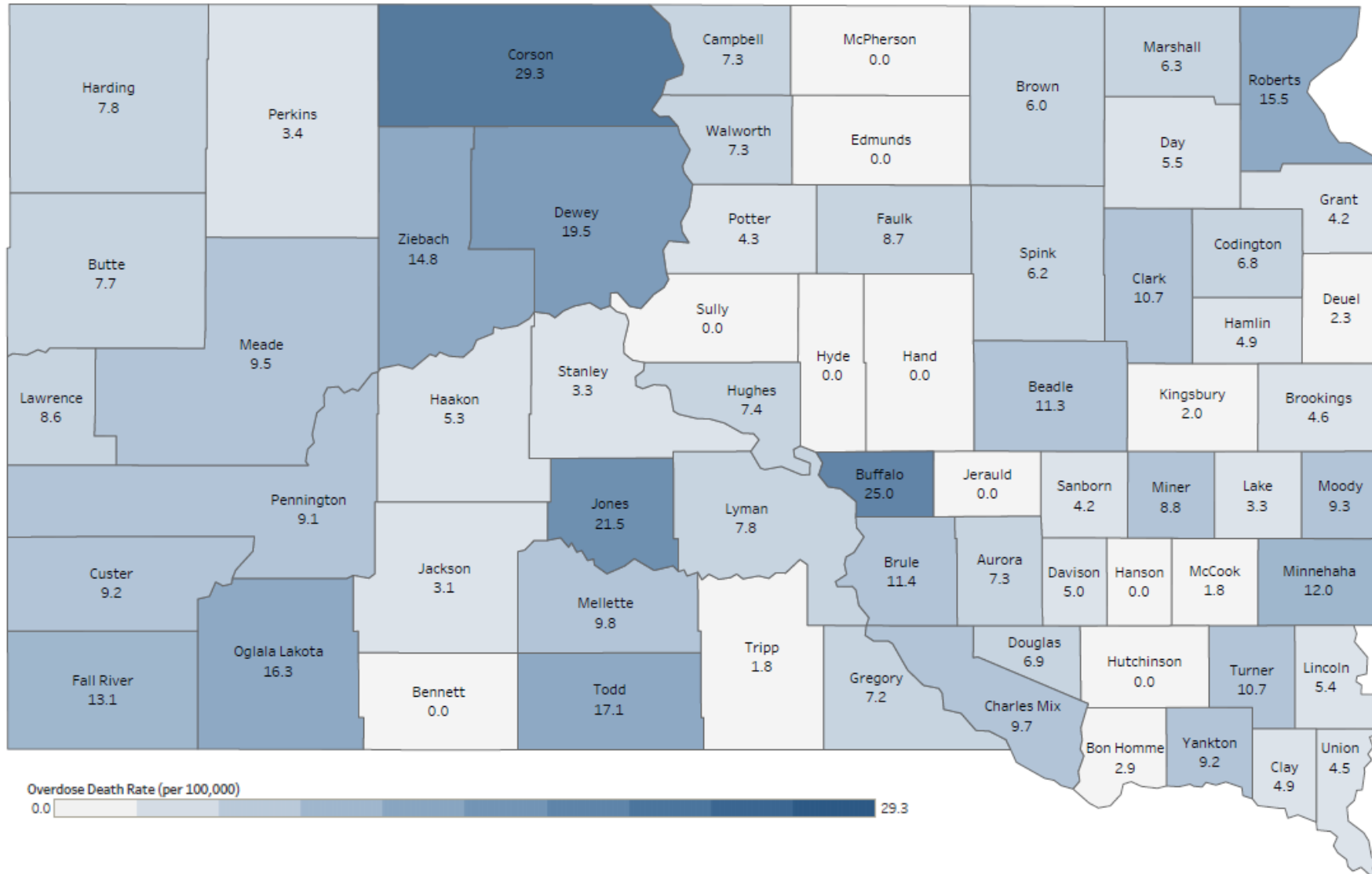
Provisional Overdose Death Counts by Drug Type



NOTE: 2023 data is provisional



All Drug Overdose Death Rates by County, 2013-2022





State Unintentional Drug Overdose Reporting System (SUDORS)

SUDORS is a CDC funded surveillance strategy that aims to collect and disseminate descriptions of unintentional and undetermined drug overdose deaths.

Data comes from:



Death Certificates



Coroner Reports



Toxicology Reports

SUDORS Case Inclusion:

- Unintentional or Undetermined Overdose/Poisoning Death
- State occurrent – the **death** must have occurred within the state

Thanks!

Questions?

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SD PDMP Update



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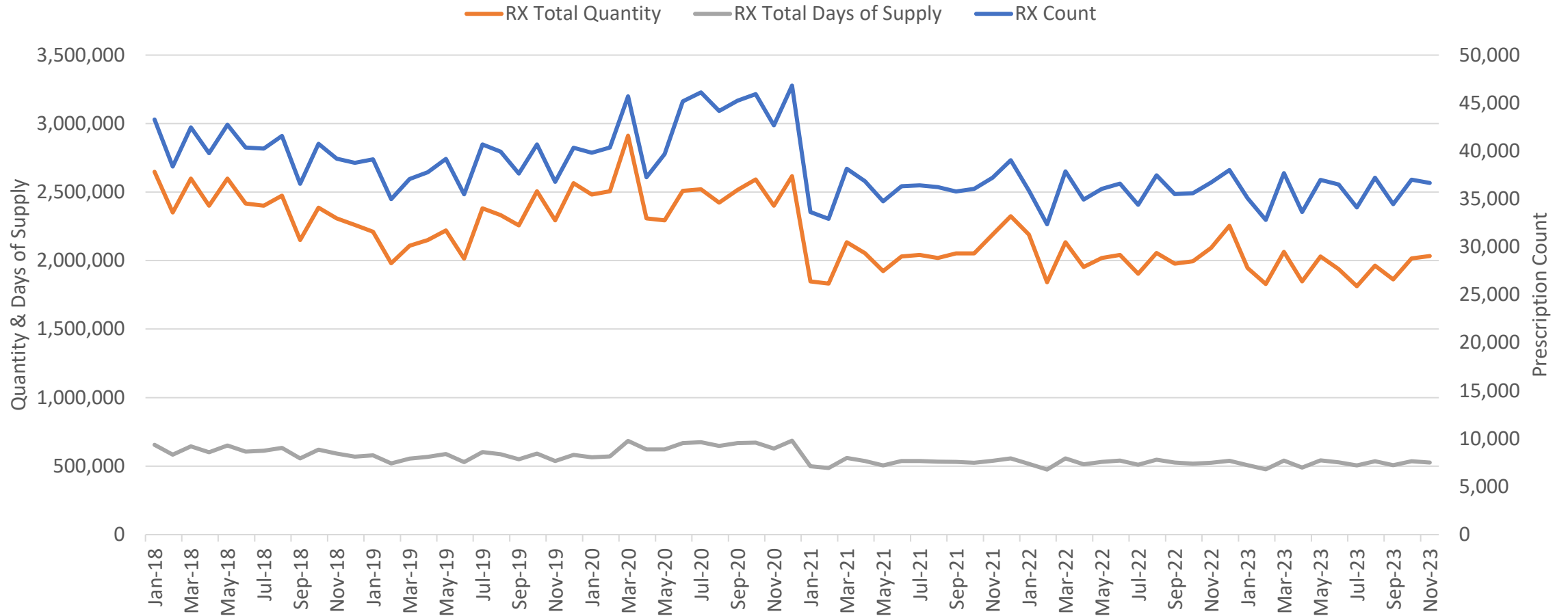
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Melissa DeNoon, R.Ph., SD PDMP Director

OD2A in States PDMP Funded Enhancements

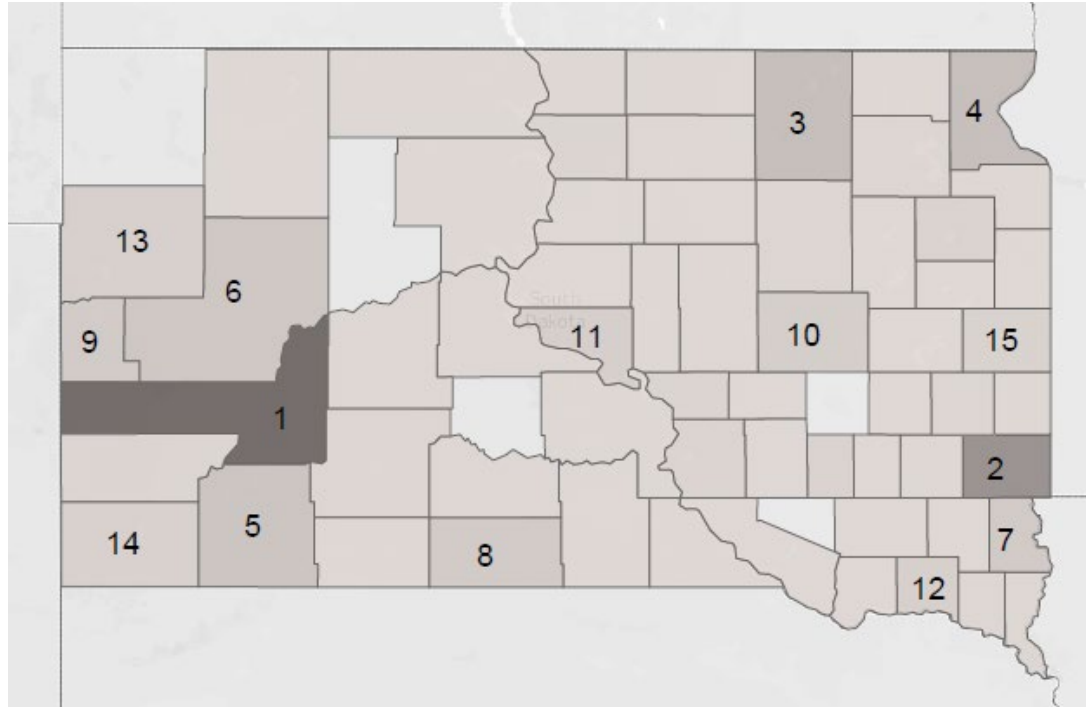
- Clinical Alerts
- Prescriber Reports
- Advanced Analytics
- Masked Data Extracts
- RxCheck Hub Connection Annual Fee

Opioid Prescriptions – SD Patients



MOUD Buprenorphine RX Count by Patient County

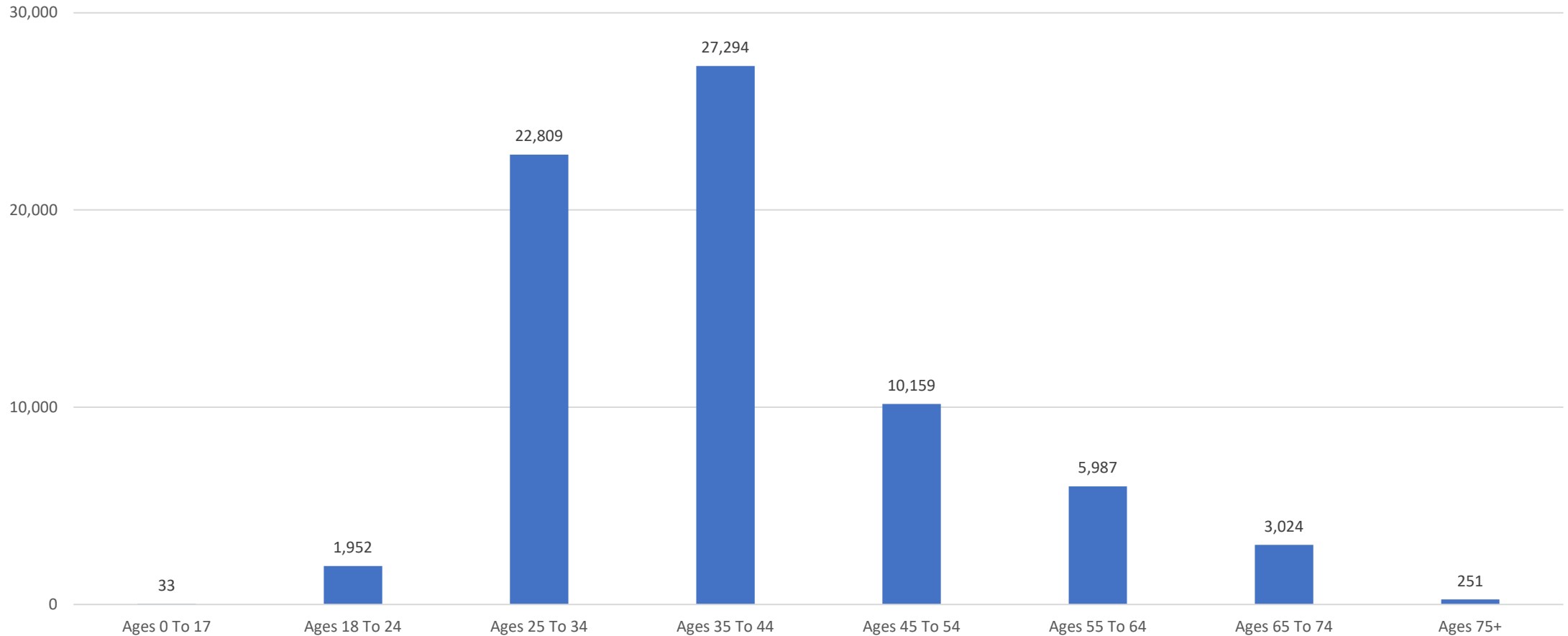
*January 2021 through December 26, 2023



Patient County	Rx Count
PENNINGTON	19,807
MINNEHAHA	12,410
BROWN	4,496
ROBERTS	4,279
SHANNON	3,275
MEADE	2,798
LINCOLN	2,404
TODD	2,187
LAWRENCE	2,057
BEADLE	1,715
HUGHES	1,516
YANKTON	1,376
BUTTE	1,343
FALL RIVER	1,132
BROOKINGS	1,031

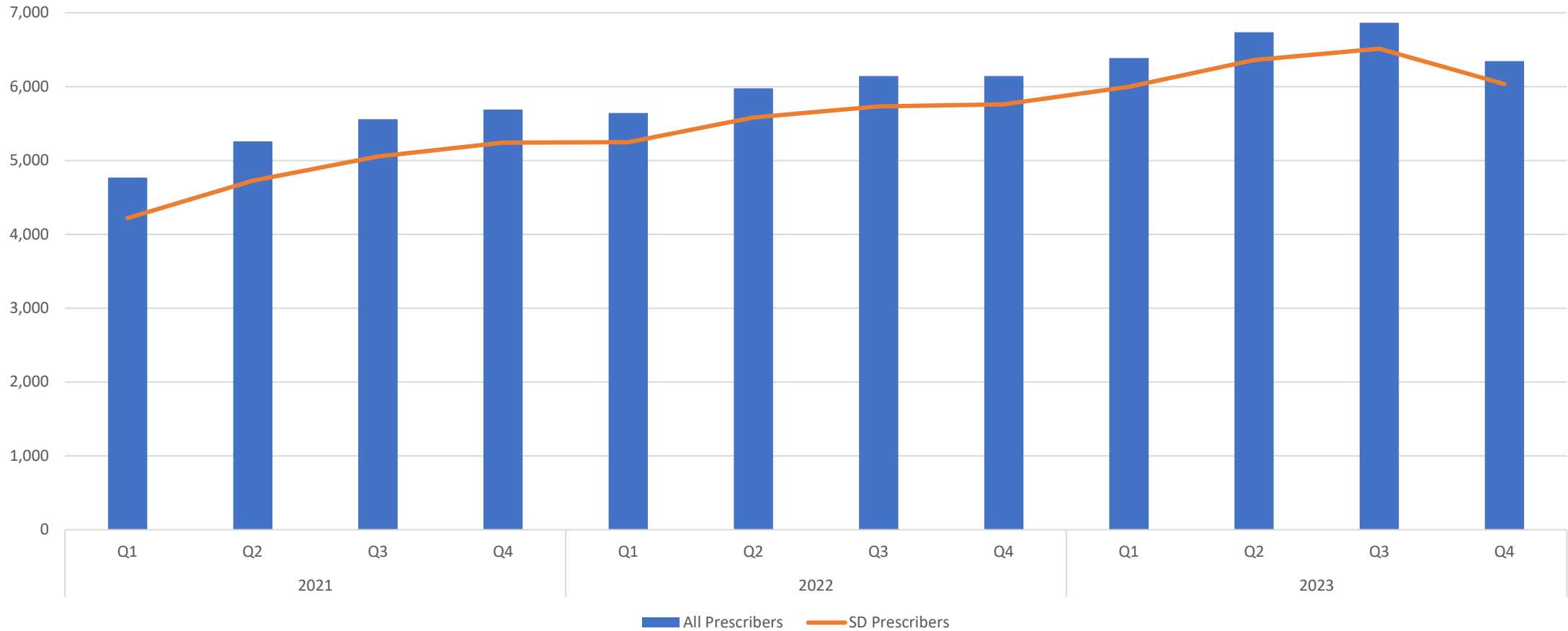
MOUD Buprenorphine RX Count by SD Patient

Age *January 2021 through December 26, 2023



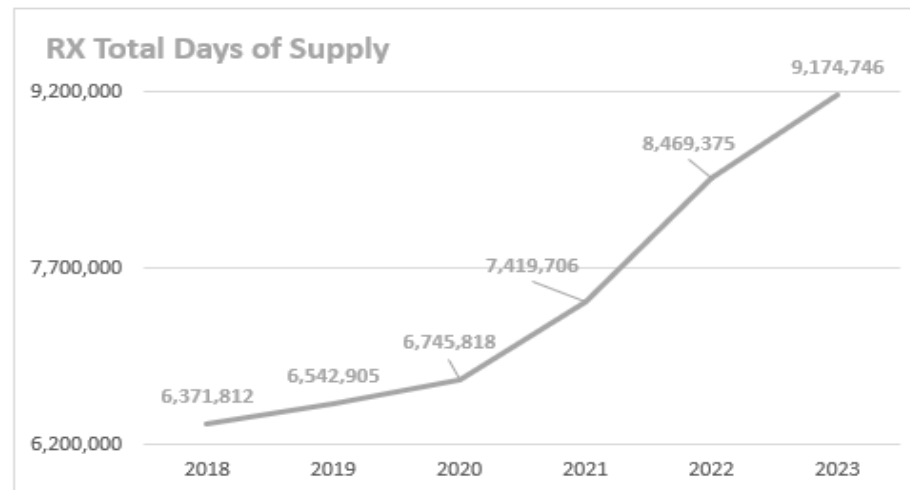
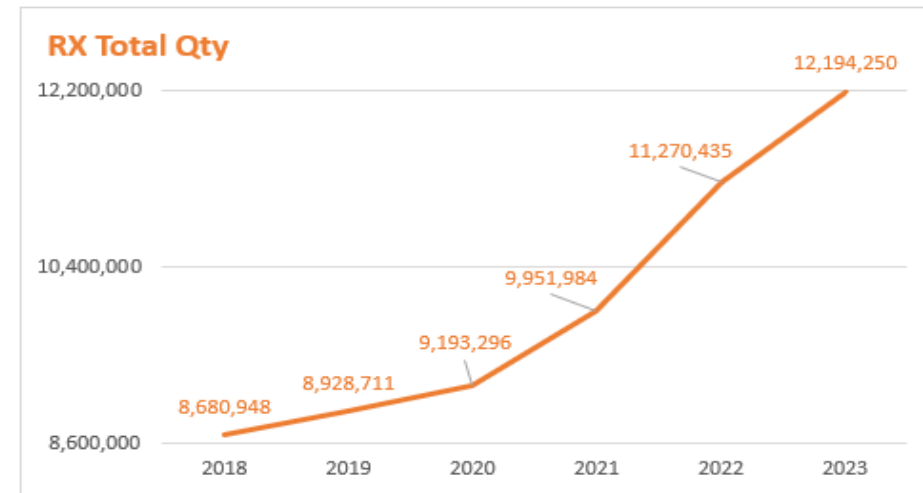
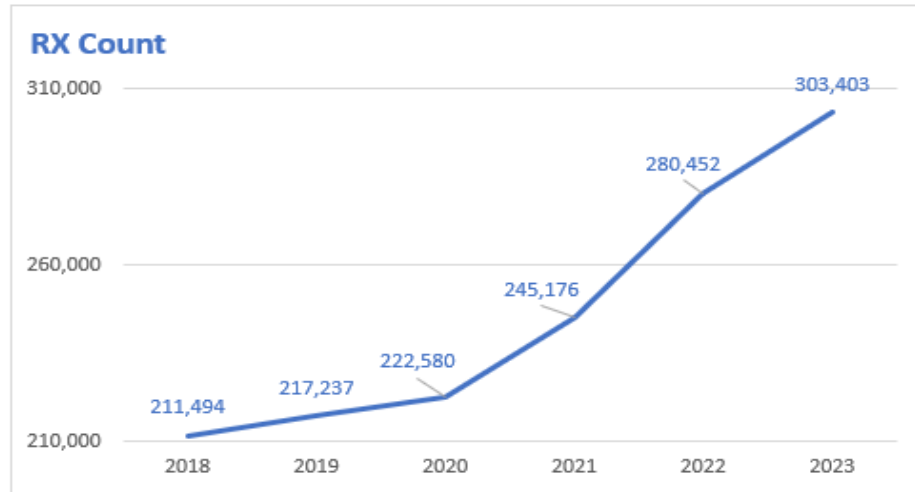
MOUD Buprenorphine RX Count – SD Patients

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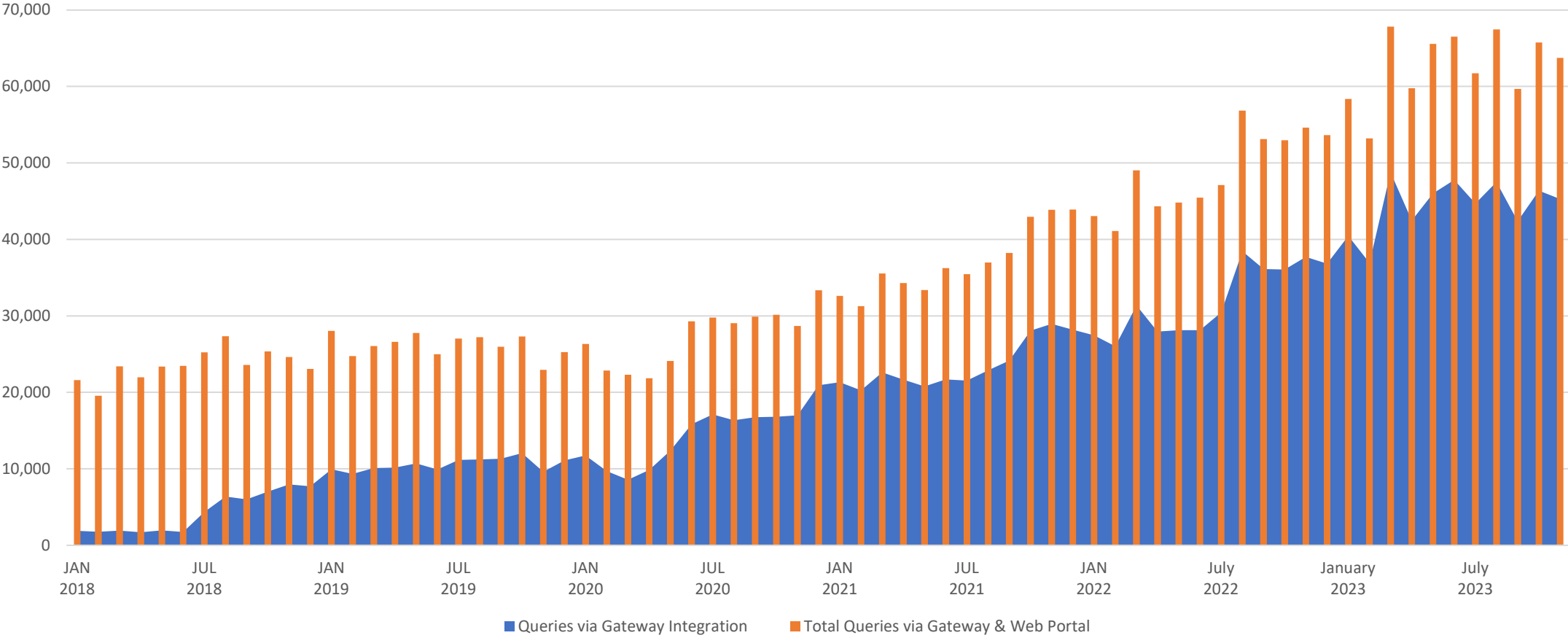


Stimulants – SD Patients

*Through 12.26.23



Trending PDMP Utilization by SD Prescribers & Pharmacists



Questions?



Committee & Partner Updates

- Roundtable updates from Committee members
- Updates from other partners on shared strategies

Facilitated by Lori Martinec





Public Input

Closing Remarks

