

Opioid Surveillance Update for HOPE Council

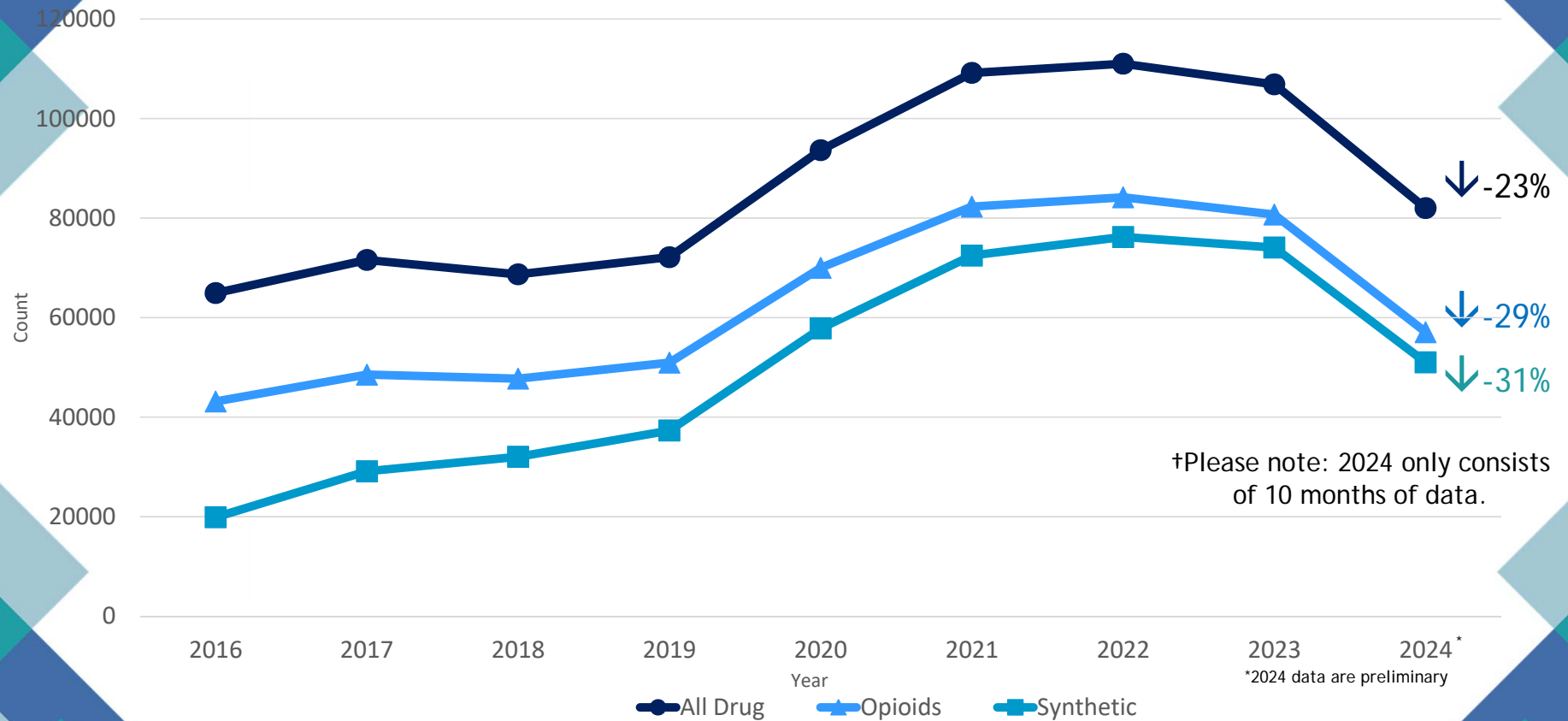
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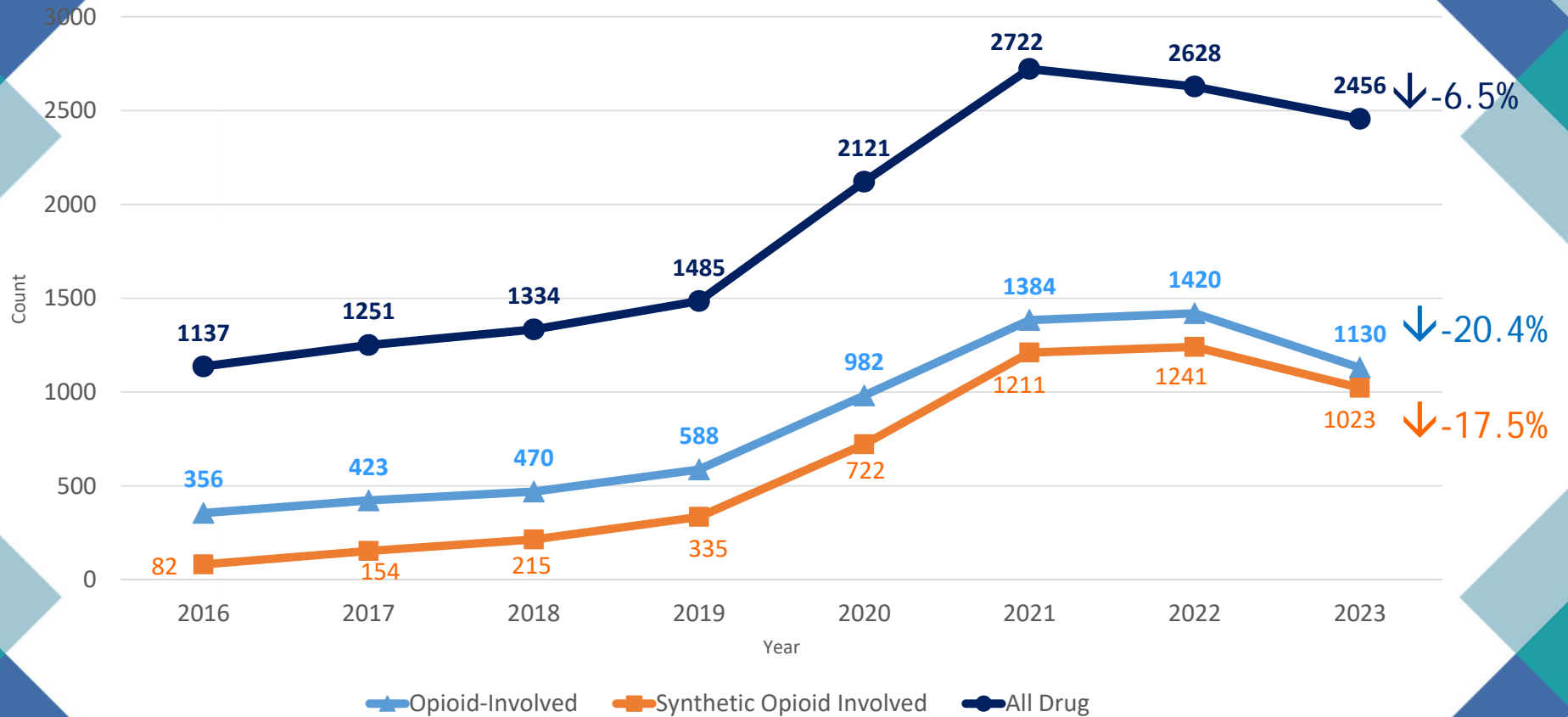


Provisional Counts of Drug Overdose Deaths United States, 12 Month-ending October 2024*



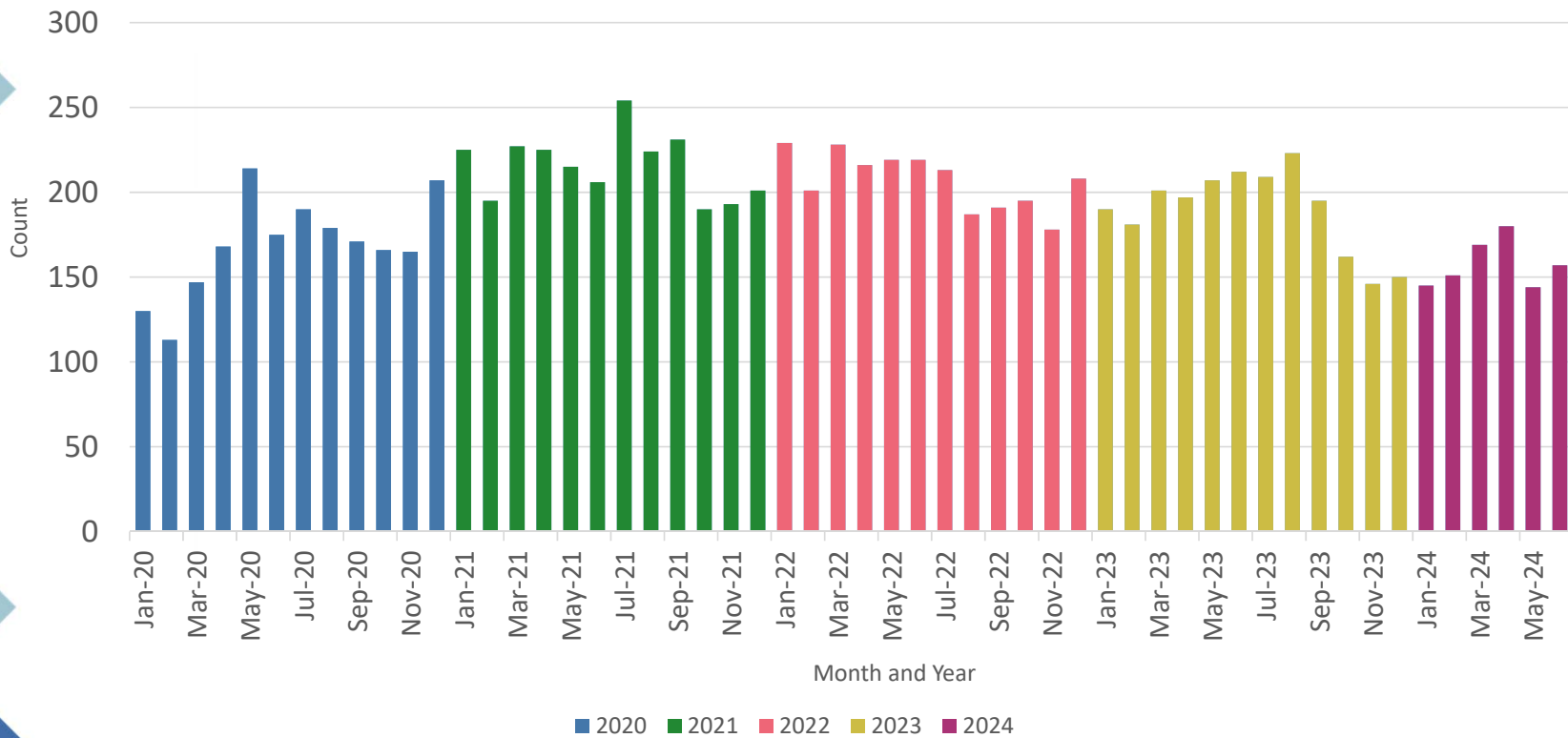
Source: NCHS, National Vital Statistics System, 2016-2024. Extracted 3/2025 by the Louisiana Opioid Surveillance Initiative.

Counts of Drug-Involved Deaths Occurring in Louisiana, 2016-2023



Source: Louisiana Electronic Event Registration System, extracted 3/2025 by the Louisiana Opioid Surveillance Initiative

All Drug-Involved Deaths Louisiana, January 2020 – June 2024*

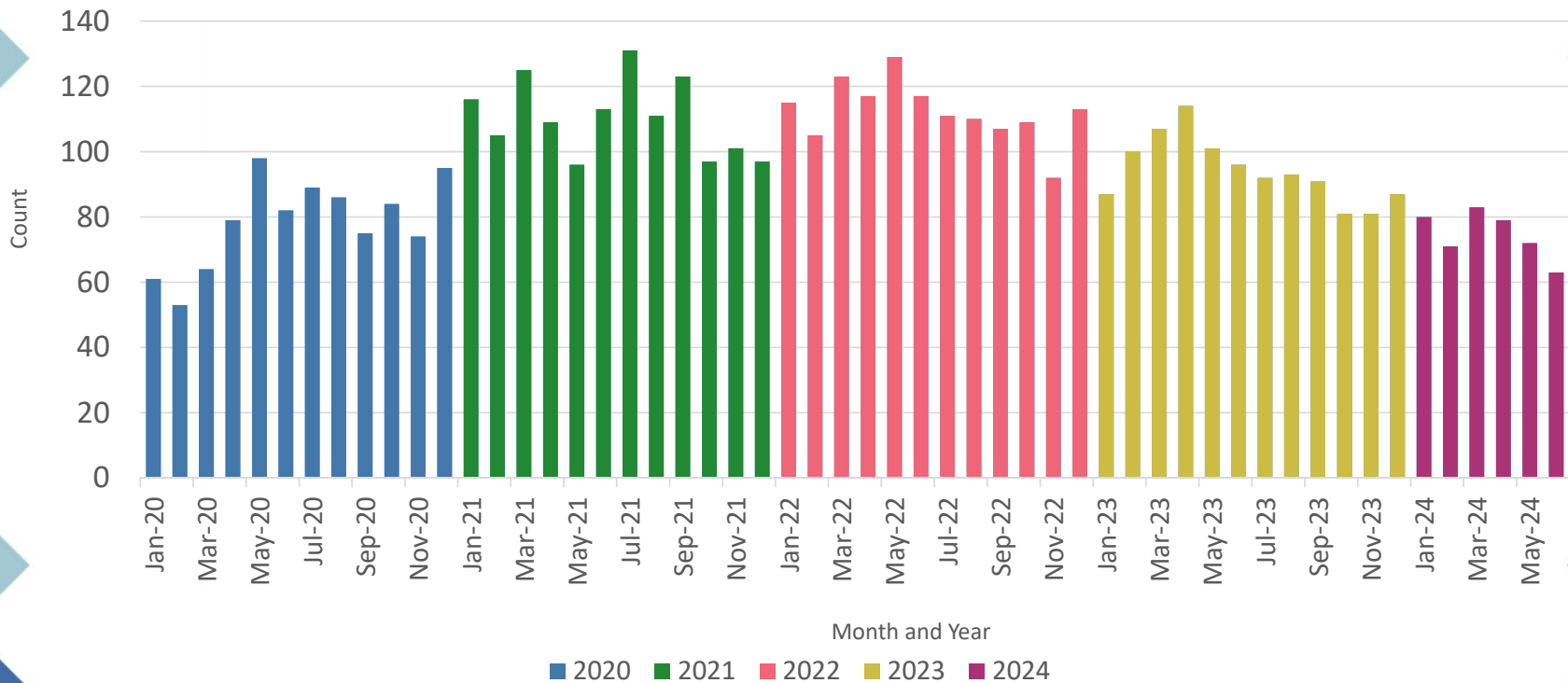


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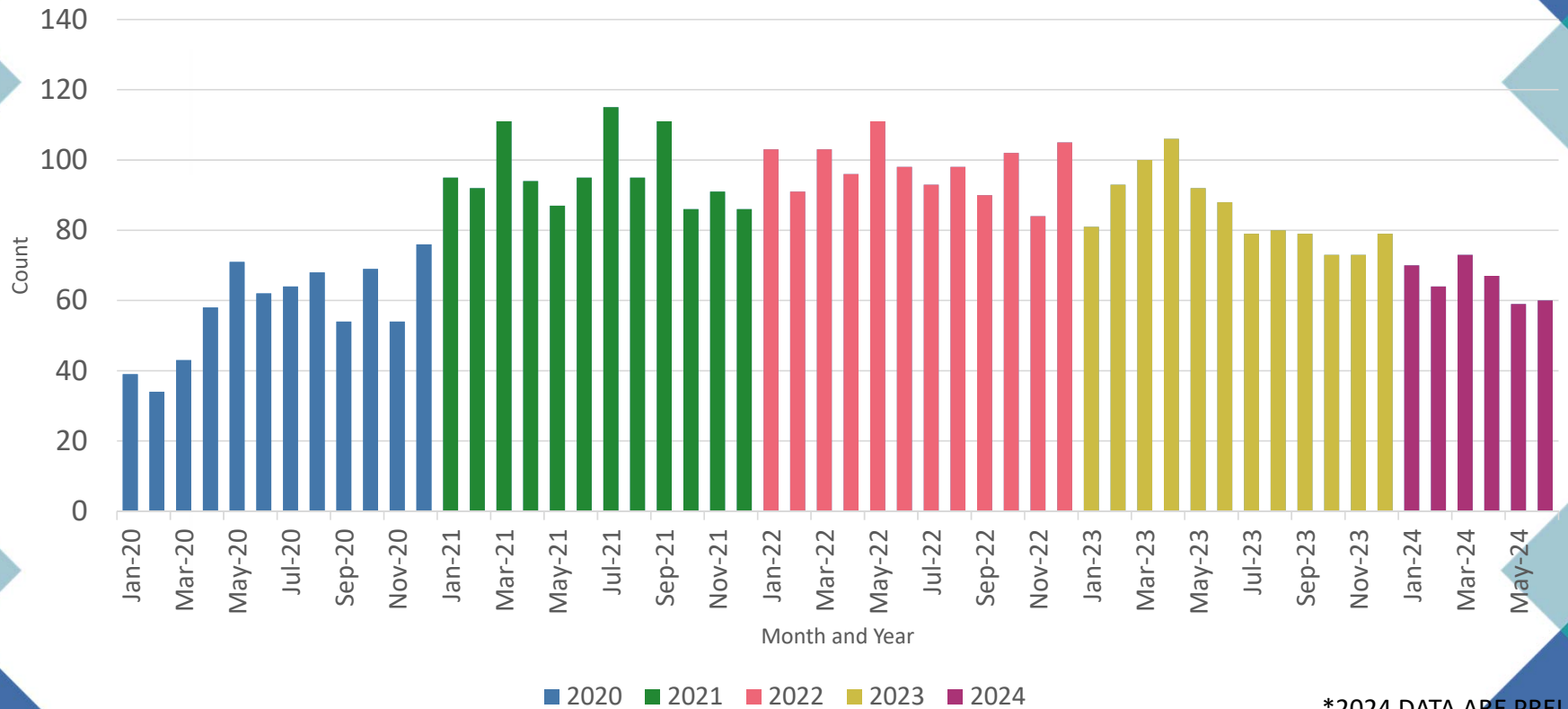


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Synthetic Opioid-Involved Deaths Louisiana, January 2020 – June 2024*



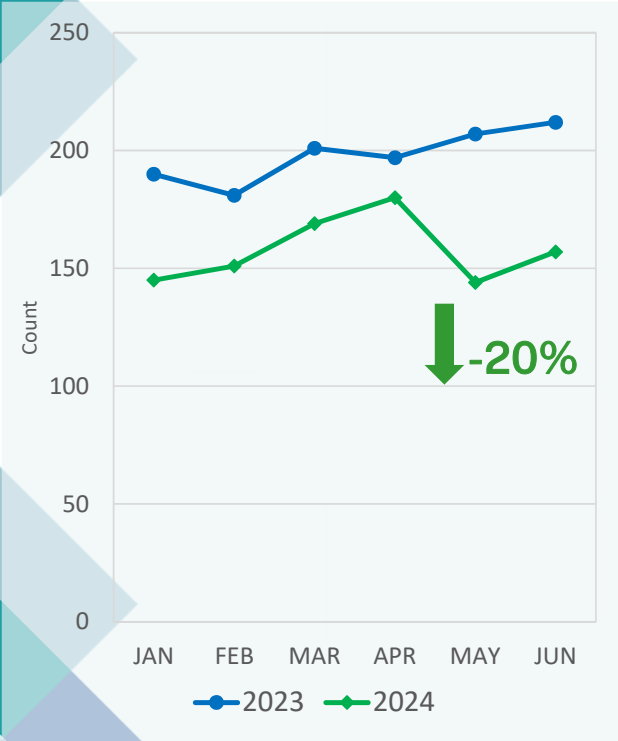
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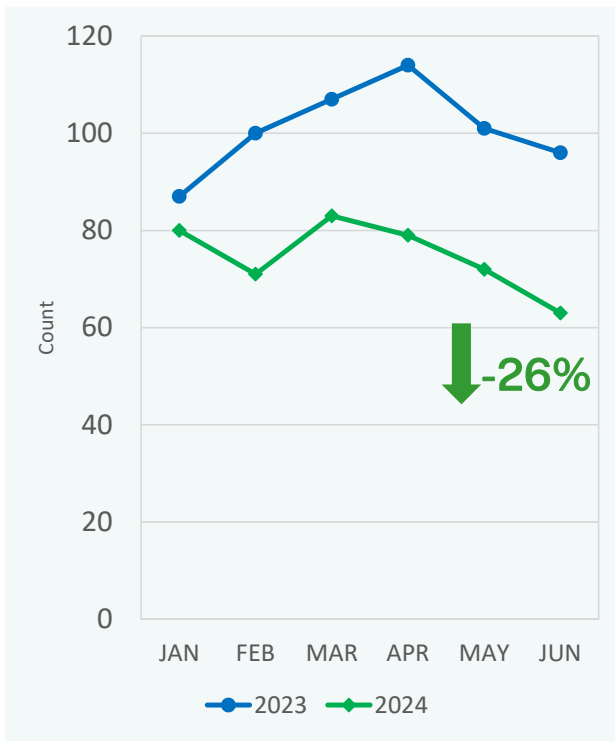


Drug-Involved Deaths by Type Louisiana, Jan – Jun 2023 and Jan – Jun 2024*

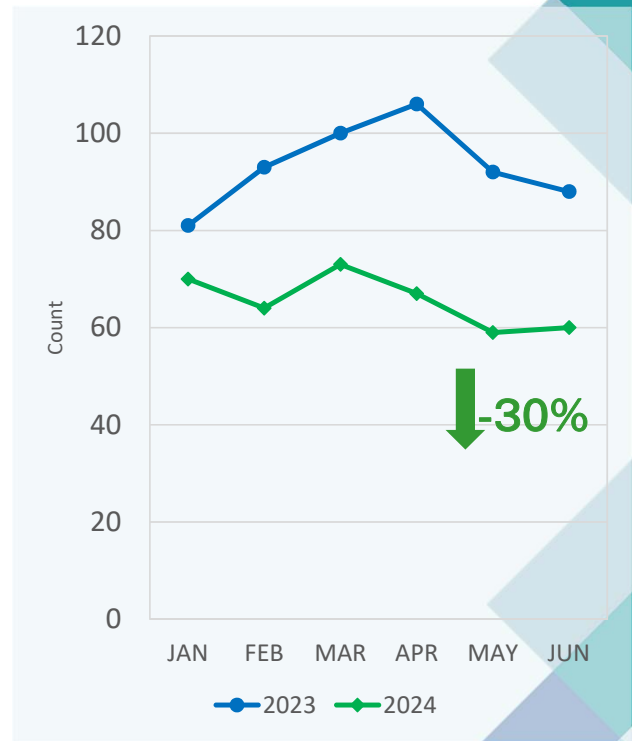
All Drug-Involved



Opioid-Involved



Synthetic Opioid-Involved

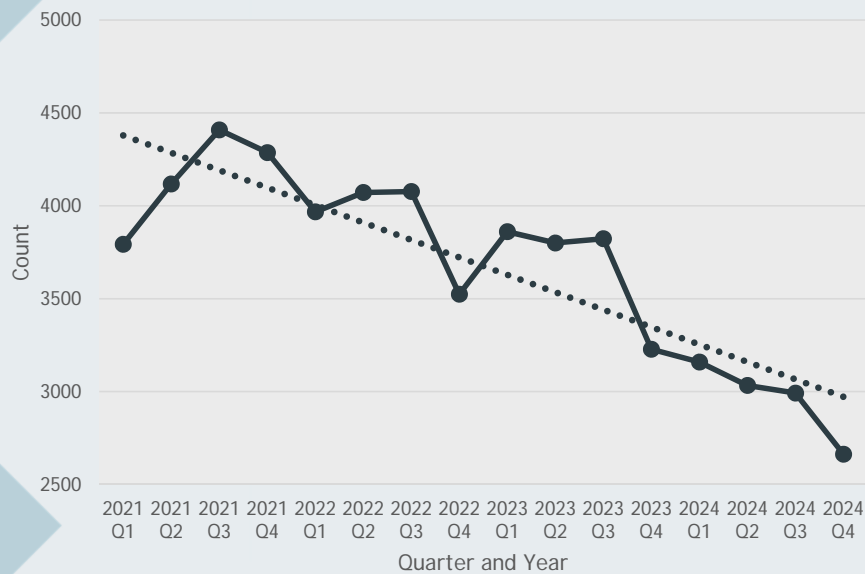


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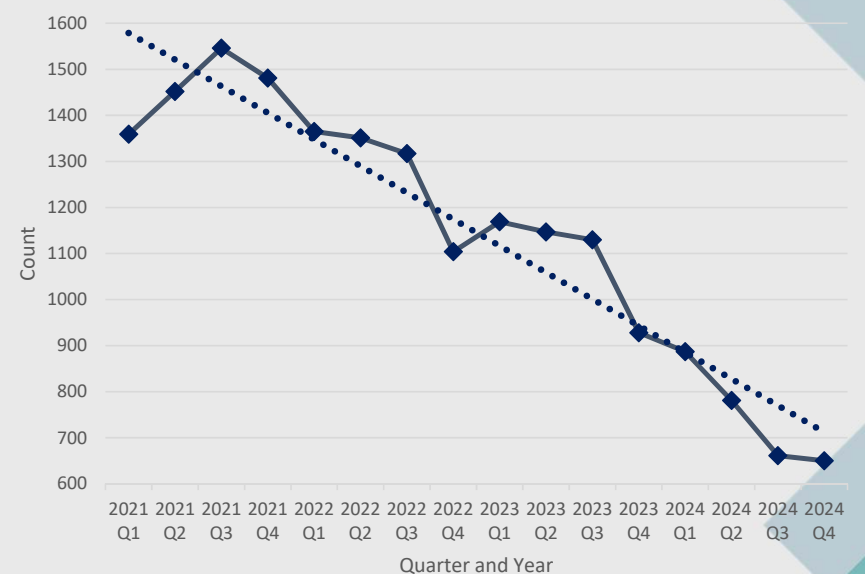
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Emergency Department Visits by Chief Complaint, Louisiana 2021-2024

Drug-related visits



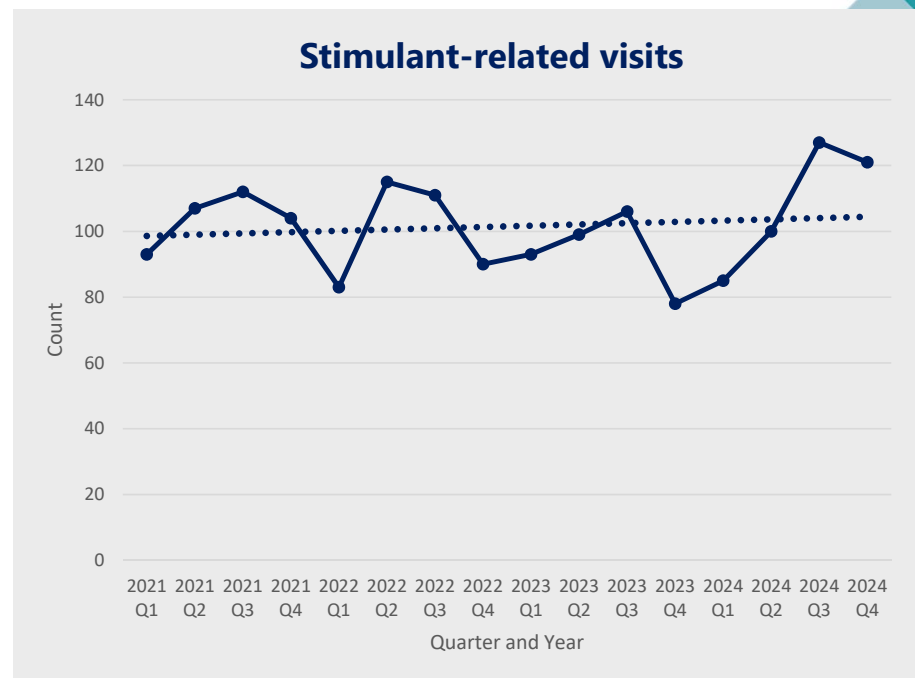
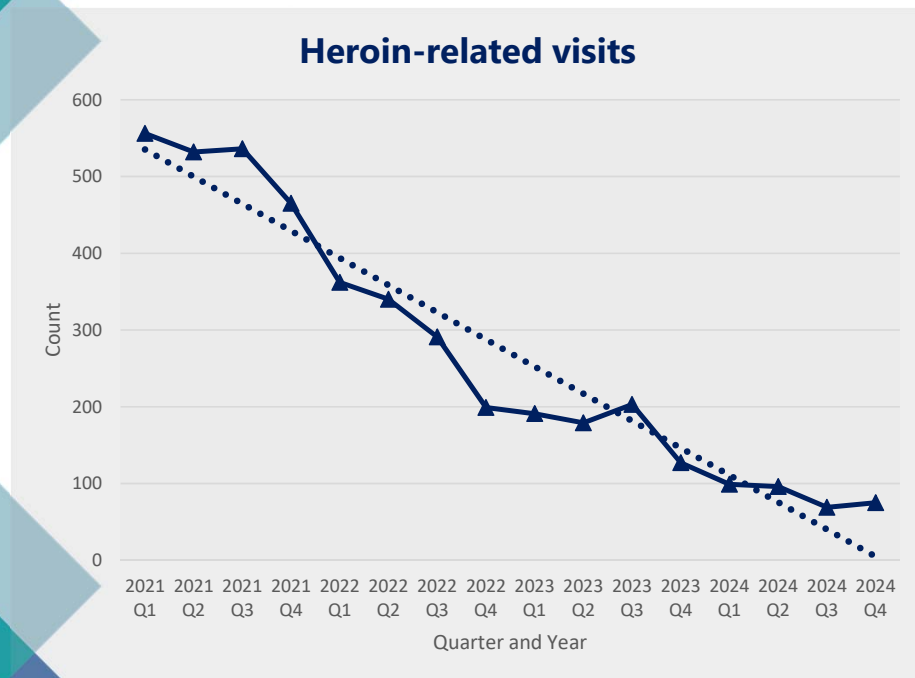
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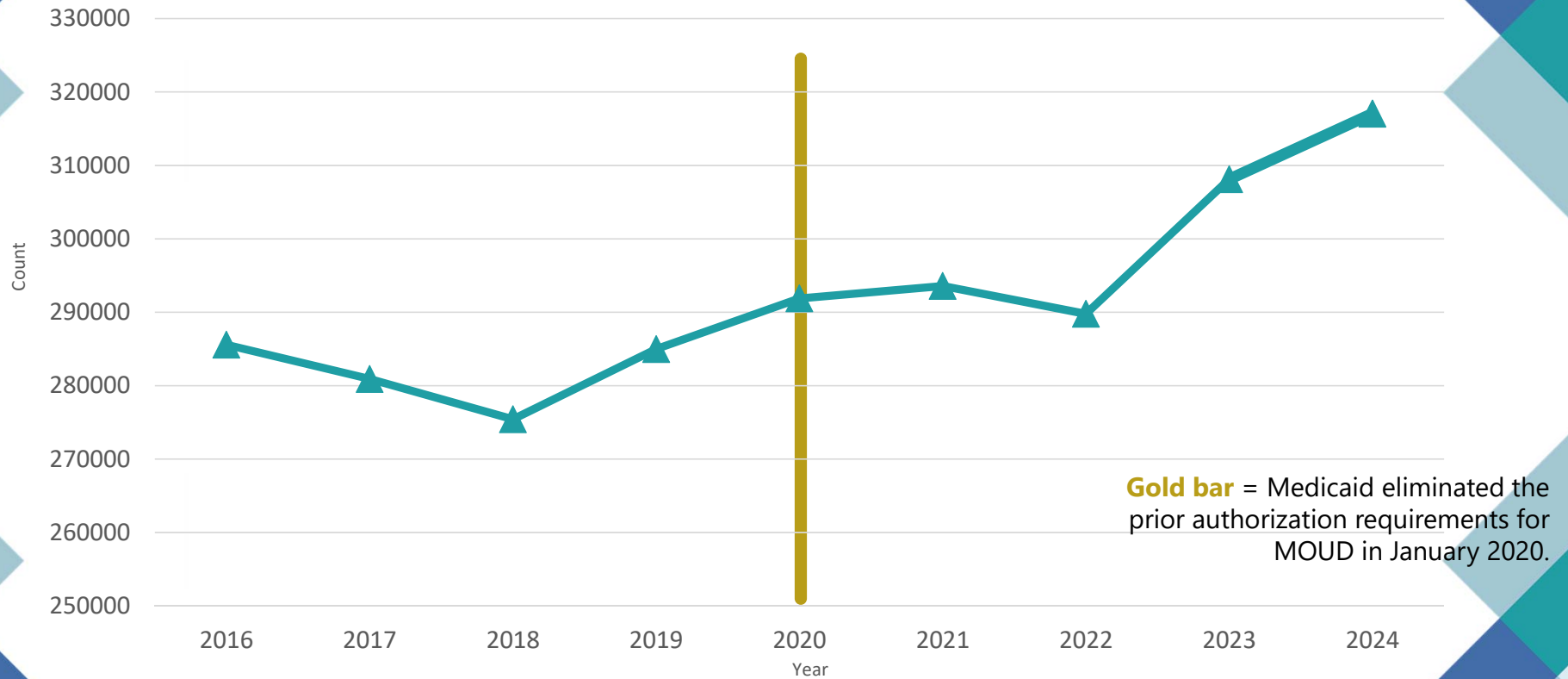
Source: Louisiana Early Event Detection System, extracted 03/2025 by the Louisiana Opioid Surveillance Initiative

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Number of buprenorphine prescriptions dispensed Louisiana, 2016 - 2024



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Source: Louisiana Prescription Monitoring Program/Louisiana Board of Pharmacy, extracted 03/2025 by the Louisiana Opioid Surveillance Initiative



Louisiana Opioid Data and Surveillance System



SYSTEM UPDATES

11/1/2024

Welcome to the Louisiana Opioid and Data Surveillance System!

New data:

- Fourth quarter (Oct-Dec) 2023 Death data from Vital Records are now available
- Fourth quarter (Oct-Dec) 2023 Prescription data from the PMP are now available
- Third quarter (Jul-Sept) 2023 Hospital Admissions from the LAHIDD are now available
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- Fourth quarter (Jan-Mar) 2022 Emergency Department

Explore Opioid and Other Drug Data in Louisiana

The Louisiana Department of Health (LDH) is working to address Louisiana's opioid problem by targeting resources for treatment throughout our state with focused attention on areas where data shows the highest need. We are supporting these strategies by leveraging data for programmatic and policy development.

<https://lodss.ldh.la.gov>

The Louisiana Opioid Data and Surveillance System (LODSS) helps us understand, analyze, and apply data to statewide opioid abuse reduction efforts. Its goal is to evaluate the impact of programmatic and policy efforts and track the behavior of what is now considered a public health epidemic nationwide.

Data within this system is interactive, and can be viewed in different formats, such as table, graphs and maps. The data displays, which have been carefully designed and reviewed by health experts and data specialists, allow various indicators to be explored geographically and over time. To request custom datasets and data visualizations, please [submit a request here](#).

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