

Division of Substance Use Programs

The Vermont Department of Health has developed two dashboards with substance use data. The <u>Substance</u> <u>Use Dashboard</u>, maintained by the Division of Substance Use Programs (DSU), was launched in December 2023 and the <u>Opioid Overdose Dashboard</u>, maintained by the Division of Health Statistics and Informatics (HSI), was launched in December 2024.

Dashboards provide public-facing state and county-level data in an interactive format to support communities in their work to reduce substance use and related issues

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- The Substance Use Dashboard provides state and county-level substance use information.
- The Opioid Overdose Dashboard state and county-level fatal and non-fatal opioid overdose information.

Goal

The goal of public-facing, web-based dashboards is to provide accessible substance use data to support community-level substance use initiatives and decision making. The dashboards have state and county-level substance use data and data associated with the physical, mental, environmental and social health consequences of substance use in emergency response, law enforcement, overdose, population health and treatment. For some measures, data are available by other demographics (e.g., age group, sex). Additional data sources and measures may be added in the future.

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Partners

We work with the Department of Public Safety and the Agency of Digital Services to support the dashboards and provide a wider view of the impact of substance use in Vermont.

Using the Dashboard

Watch the video walkthrough to learn how to use the Substance Use Dashboard.

For more information about the Substance Use Dashboard, contact <u>AHS.VDHDSU@vermont.gov</u>.

For more information about the Opioid Overdose Dashboard, contact <u>AHS.VDHOverdoseDataVT@vermont.gov</u>.