



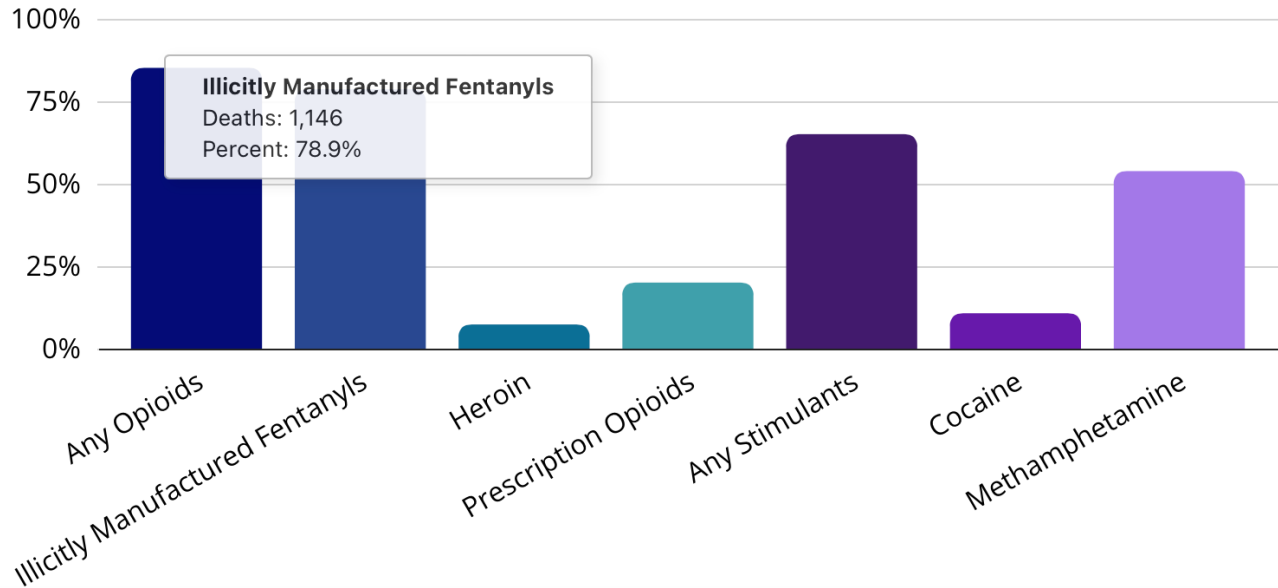
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WEST VIRGINIA BORDER AND DRUG FACTS

- **DACA Recipients: 110**
 - as of 12/22 per CBP
- **Foreign Born, Non-Citizens in West Virginia: 14,042**
 - Per 2021: ACS 1-Year Estimates, US Census Bureau
- **Estimated # of Illegal Immigrants in West Virginia: < 5,000**
 - As of 2016 (latest data available), Pew Research
- **West Virginia has the highest rate of overdose deaths of any state at (86.7).**
The next closest state is Kentucky at (53.4)
 - Per 100,000
 - Data from the CDC's SUDORS Dashboard
- **West Virginia 2021 Overdose Deaths: 1,453**
 - 12% increase over 2020
 - People under the age of 45 accounted for 58% of all overdose deaths in West Virginia.
 - Data from the CDC's SUDORS Dashboard
- **85.4% of deaths involved at least one opioid** and 65.3% involved at least one stimulant. (see chart below)
 - **Illicitly manufactured fentanyl was the most commonly involved opioid.**
 - The most common stimulant involved in overdose deaths was methamphetamine.



- **78.9% of overdose deaths in West Virginia involved illicitly manufactured fentanyl.**



(% of overdose deaths involving select drugs and drug classes, West Virginia 2021 | Source: CDC SUDORS)

- According to the CDC, in West Virginia (2021) **83% of drug overdose deaths** had at least one potential opportunity for intervention.
 - Data from CDC WONDER database

