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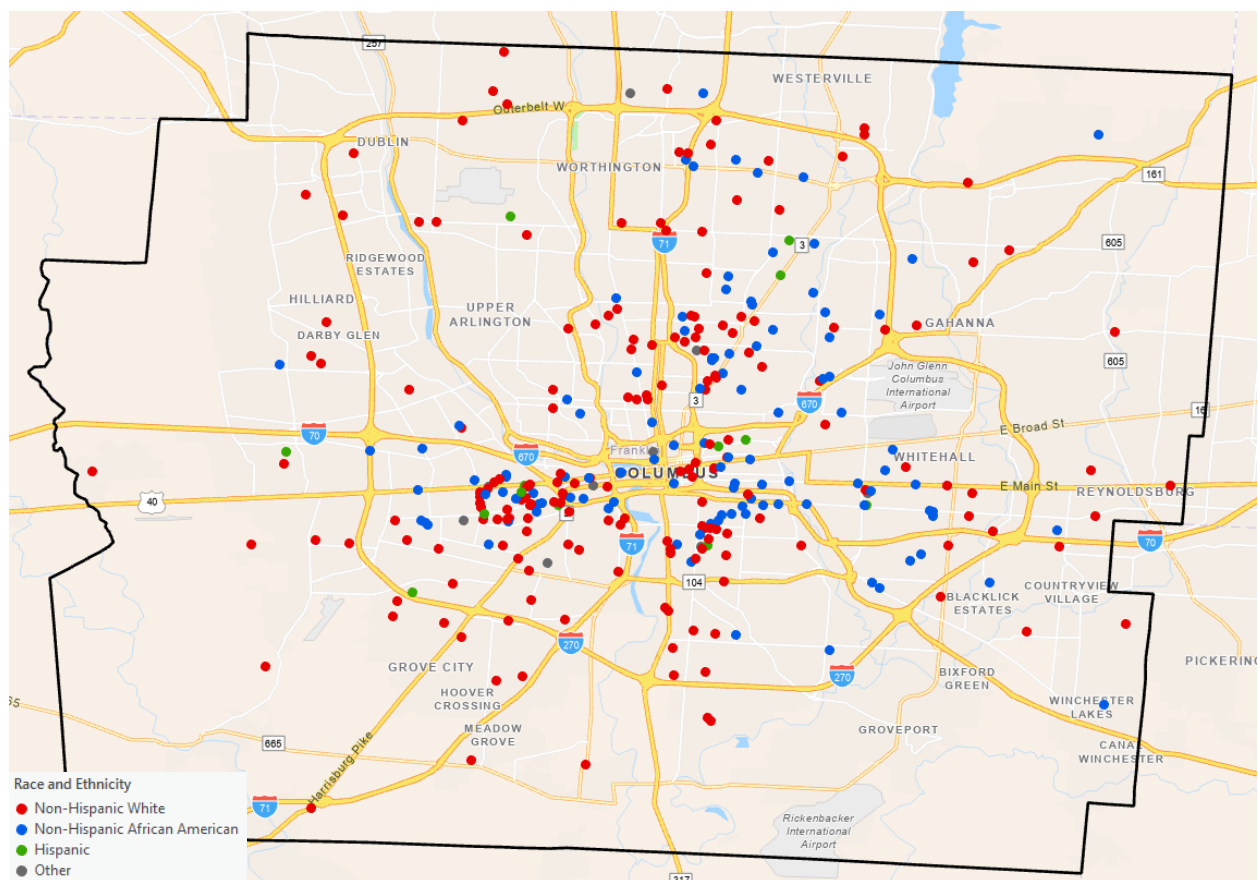
Information gathered on April 1, 2026.

The numbers are based off the date of when the information is pulled, there are currently cases pending closure.

Number of Accidental Deaths from Acute Intoxication by Injury Location:

	Q1 2025	Q2 2025	Q3 2025	Q4 2025	Total
Franklin County	89	76	71	82	318
Out of County	4	5	4	5	18
Location Unknown	17	12	7	9	45

2025 Accidental Acute Intoxication Deaths in Franklin County by Race and Ethnicity



Source: MDILog 2025

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Number of Accidental Deaths from Acute Intoxication by Gender:

	Q1 2025	Q2 2025	Q3 2025	Q4 2025	Total
Male	55	58	58	54	225
Female	34	18	13	28	93

Number of Accidental Deaths from Acute Intoxication by Race and Ethnicity:

	Q1 2025	Q2 2025	Q3 2025	Q4 2025	Total
Non-Hispanic White	56	44	35	46	181
Non-Hispanic African American	25	27	29	34	115
Hispanic	3	3	5	2	13
Other	5	2	2	0	9

Number of Accidental Deaths from Acute Intoxication by Race and Gender:

	Q1 2025	Q2 2025	Q3 2025	Q4 2025	Total
Non-Hispanic White Male	32	29	28	24	113
Non-Hispanic White Female	24	15	7	22	68
Non-Hispanic African American Male	17	24	23	28	92
Non-Hispanic African American Female	8	3	6	6	23

Number of Accidental Deaths from Acute Intoxication by Age Range:

	Q1 2025	Q2 2025	Q3 2025	Q4 2025	Total
<19	0	0	0	0	0
20-39	38	22	24	22	106
40-59	30	40	31	44	145
60-79	21	14	16	16	67
80+	0	0	0	0	0

Age-Adjusted Death Rate of Acute Intoxication by Race and Ethnicity:

	Q1 2025	Q2 2025	Q3 2025	Q4 2025	Total
All	6.5	5.6	5.2	5.9	23.2
Non-Hispanic White	6.8	5.6	4.4	5.6	22.4
Non-Hispanic African American	6.6	7.2	7.7	9.0	30.6
Hispanic	2.6	2.8	4.5	1.5	11.3

* Age-adjusted death rate reported in death per 100,000 Population Count adjusted to US 2000 Standard Population Weight and 2025 rates are estimated using 2024 Population Data.

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Number of Accidental Deaths from Acute Intoxication by Substances:

	Q1 2025	Q2 2025	Q3 2025	Q4 2025	Total
Fentanyl	60	55	54	51	220
Cocaine	50	52	35	47	184
Amphetamine & Methamphetamine	14	13	14	14	55
Alcohol	15	23	20	15	73

*Other substances not mentioned above may involve in individual overdose death and an individual overdose death may include in more than one category due to polysubstance abuse

Age-Adjusted Death Rate of Accidental Acute Intoxication Involving Fentanyl by Race and Ethnicity:

	Q1 2025	Q2 2025	Q3 2025	Q4 2025	Total
All	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.8	16.2
Non-Hispanic White	4.4	4.0	3.2	3.6	15.2
Non-Hispanic African American	4.9	5.2	6.0	5.6	21.6
Hispanic	2.6	2.8	3.5	1.5	10.4

* Age-adjusted death rate reported in death per 100,000 Population Count adjusted to US 2000 Standard Population Weight and 2025 rates are estimated using 2024 Population Data.

Age-Adjusted Death Rate of Accidental Acute Intoxication Involving Cocaine by Race and Ethnicity:

	Q1 2025	Q2 2025	Q3 2025	Q4 2025	Total
All	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.8	16.2
Non-Hispanic White	3.6	4.1	2.2	2.4	12.3
Non-Hispanic African American	3.8	4.7	4.0	6.8	19.4
Hispanic	2.6	1.8	0.9	0.8	6.1

* Age-adjusted death rate reported in death per 100,000 Population Count adjusted to US 2000 Standard Population Weight and 2025 rates are estimated using 2024 Population Data.

Age-Adjusted Death Rate of Accidental Acute Intoxication Involving Amphetamine and Methamphetamine by Race and Ethnicity:

	Q1 2025	Q2 2025	Q3 2025	Q4 2025	Total
All	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	4.2
Non-Hispanic White	1.4	1.2	1.6	1.3	5.4
Non-Hispanic African American	1.2	1.3	0.5	0.5	3.4
Hispanic	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.8

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Number of Accidental Deaths from Accidental Acute Intoxication by Top 5 Combinations of Substance Groups:

	Q1 2025	Q2 2025	Q3 2025	Q4 2025	Total
Fentanyl + Cocaine	33	35	29	29	126
Fentanyl + Amphetamine & Methamphetamine	13	8	9	7	37
Fentanyl + Alcohol	11	17	14	12	54
Cocaine + Alcohol	12	18	12	11	53
Fentanyl + Cocaine + Alcohol	8	12	10	8	38

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