

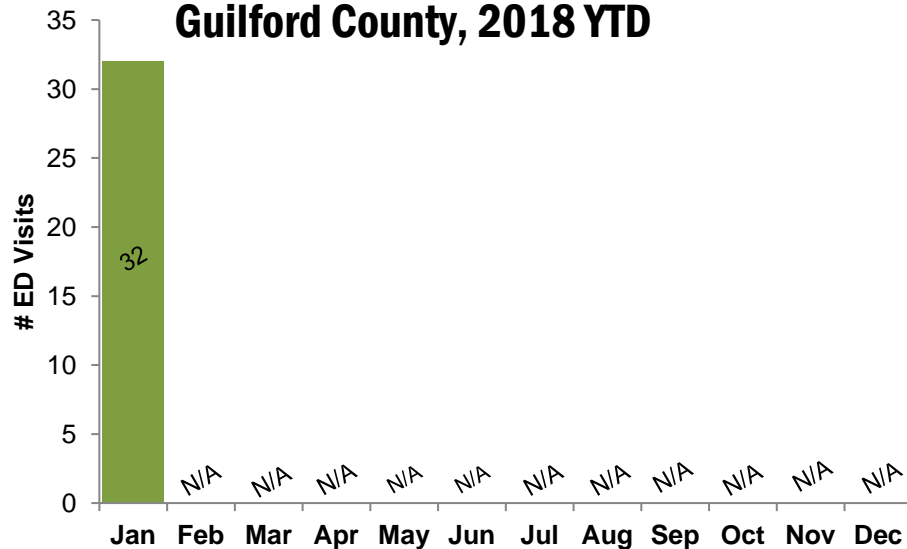


# Guilford County

## 2018 YTD

# 32 OPIOID OVERDOSE EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT VISITS

**Opioid Overdose ED Visits by Month:  
Guilford County, 2018 YTD**



YTD: Year to Date  
Data suppressed for <10 cases  
Month(s) shaded in blue are above average YTD  
Provisional Data: 2018 ED Visits

**NOTE:** The North Carolina Disease Event Tracking and Epidemiologic Collection Tool (NC DETECT) is North Carolina's statewide syndromic surveillance system. For training on NCDTECT, contact Amy Ising, [ising@ad.unc.edu](mailto:ising@ad.unc.edu).

Emergency department visit data from NC DETECT are provisional and should not be considered final. There may be data quality issues affecting our counts: counties with <10 cases may not be true lack of opioid overdose cases but data quality issues; additionally, some hospitals use non-specific poisoning codes rather than specific opioid poisoning codes.

## 32 Year-to-Date Opioid ED Visits in Guilford County

versus January 2017 **27**

Source: NC DETECT: ED; Syndrome: Overdose: Opioid Overdose (ICD-9/10-CM)

**Note:** Counts based on diagnosis (ICD-9/10-CM code) of an opioid overdose of any intent (accidental, intentional, assault, and undetermined) for North Carolina residents. Opioid overdose cases include poisonings with opium, heroin, opioids, methadone, and other synthetic narcotics.

**Opioid Overdose ED  
Visits by Race**

|       | Guilford,<br>2018 YTD | North Carolina,<br>2018 YTD |
|-------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| White | 87.5%                 | 88.1%                       |
| Black | 12.5%                 | 8.9%                        |
| Other | 0.0%                  | 2.5%                        |

**Opioid Overdose ED Visits by Age Group**

