



Self-Inflicted Benzodiazepine Poisoning Deaths by County: N.C. Residents, 2008-2017

County	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	Total
	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Alamance	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	5
Alexander	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alleghany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Anson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ashe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Avery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Beaufort	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
Bertie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bladen	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	3
Brunswick	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	1	3	9
Buncombe	0	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	2	3	10
Burke	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	6
Cabarrus	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	4
Caldwell	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	6
Camden	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carteret	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	4
Caswell	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Catawba	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	3	1	14
Chatham	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
Cherokee	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chowan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cleveland	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	4
Columbus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Craven	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	1	6
Cumberland	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	4	11
Currituck	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Dare	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1



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Davidson	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	2	1	6
Davie	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	4
Duplin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Durham	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	6
Edgecombe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forsyth	2	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	4	1	11
Franklin	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Gaston	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	5
Gates	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Graham	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Granville	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3
Greene	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guilford	0	0	2	1	2	0	3	4	0	3	15
Halifax	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Harnett	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	1	0	5
Haywood	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Henderson	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	5
Hertford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Hoke	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hyde	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Iredell	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	6
Jackson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Johnston	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	2	6
Jones	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lee	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Lenoir	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Lincoln	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	5
McDowell	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	3



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Macon	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Madison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Martin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mecklenburg	1	1	4	7	2	0	3	3	2	2	25
Mitchell	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Montgomery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Moore	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Nash	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	5
New Hanover	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	3	1	9
Northampton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Onslow	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	6
Orange	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
Pamlico	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pasquotank	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pender	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2
Perquimans	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Pitt	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	3	7
Polk	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Randolph	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	4	0	2	8
Richmond	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
Robeson	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	4
Rockingham	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	6
Rowan	2	1	0	2	0	1	2	2	2	2	14
Rutherford	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	2	6
Sampson	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Scotland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Stanly	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	4



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Stokes	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	4
Surry	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Swain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transylvania	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	1	5
Tyrrell	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	3
Vance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wake	3	1	3	2	1	0	3	3	5	4	25
Warren	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Watauga	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Wayne	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	3
Wilkes	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
Wilson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	3
Yadkin	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Yancey	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATE	21	11	29	22	28	17	42	54	51	64	339

Data Source: North Carolina State Center for Health Statistics, Vital Statistics Death Certificate Data.

Note: Counts by any mention of drug type are not mutually exclusive; if a death involved multiple drugs it could be listed in additional tables.

ICD-10 Codes: An underlying cause (COD1) of X60-X64 Intentional self-poisoning by drugs; and a contributing cause (COD2-21) of T42.4 Benzodiazepine.

Version updates:

Previous versions of this table did not include NC residents deaths that occurred out of state for 2012-2015; this table includes NC resident deaths occurring in and out of state for all years.