

LASSEN COUNTY

AND THE OPIOID EPIDEMIC

Data for Lassen County (2008-2016)	Count
All Opioid Deaths <i>Total Population, 2008-2016</i>	52
Opioid Emergency Department* <i>Age-Adjusted Rate per 100k Residents</i>	58
Opioid Hospitalizations* <i>Age-Adjusted Rate per 100k Residents</i>	23
Prescription Opioid Deaths <i>Age-Adjusted Rate per 100k Residents</i>	52
Prescription Opioids by Location <i>Age-Adjusted Rate per 100k Residents</i>	30,679

Data is from California Department of Public Health. California Opioid Overdose Surveillance Dashboard.
https://pdop.shinyapps.io/ODdash_v1 | Accessed Aug 2017

*Excluding Heroin

LASSEN COUNTY OPIOID FACTS

- In Lassen County, there are enough opioids prescribed to keep every man, woman, and child medicated around the clock for 15 weeks each year.¹
- For the most recent year for which complete data are available, the equivalent of one opioid prescription per person in Lassen County was written.²

¹ <http://www.countyofplumas.com/index.aspx?NID=2474>

² https://pdop.shinyapps.io/ODdash_v1

VISUALIZING DATA

Prescription Opioid Overdose Deaths - 2015: Crude Rate per 100,000 Residents
vs.
Residents w/ Overlapping Opioids - 2015: Crude Rate per 1,000 Residents

