Drugs Identified in Deceased Persons by Florida Medical Examiners

2007 Interim Report



Data Collection

The Office of Vital Statistics has recorded that approximately 87,500 deaths occurred in Florida during January through June 2007. Of these, the medical examiners reported on 3,980 drug-related deaths (whether the cause of death or merely present) through toxicology reports submitted to the Medical Examiners Commission. The vast majority of these 3,980 cases involved more than one drug listed in the report.

The state's medical examiners were asked to distinguish between the drugs being the "cause" of death or merely "present" in the body at the time of death. This report distinguishes between the various Methylated Amphetamines and Benzodiazepines.

Data was collected on the following drugs:

- ✓ Ethyl Alcohol
- ✓ Methylated Amphetamines: Amphetamines, Methamphetamine, MDMA (Ecstasy), MDA, MDEA, other Methylated Amphetamine
- ✓ Benzodiazepines: Alprazolam, Diazepam, Flunitrazepam (Rohypnol), other Benzodiazepine (includes these major benzodiazepines: Temazepam, Nordiazepam, Oxazepam, Midazolam, Chlordiazepoxide, and Lorazepam)
- ✓ Cannabinoids (Marijuana)
- ✓ Carisoprodol/Meprobamate
- ✓ Cocaine
- ✓ GHB
- ✓ Inhalants: Freon, Nitrous Oxide, other Inhalant
- ✓ Ketamine
- ✓ Opioids: Fentanyl, Heroin, Hydrocodone, Hydromorphone, Meperidine, Methadone, Morphine, Oxycodone, Propoxyphene, Tramadol, other Opioid
- ✓ Phencyclidine (PCP)

Report Summary

Some general statewide trends for the first half of 2007 are listed below.

- ✓ The three most frequently occurring drugs found in decedents were Ethyl Alcohol (1,902), all Benzodiazepines (1,167), and Cocaine (1,008).
- ✓ The drugs that caused the most deaths were Cocaine (398), Methadone (392), all Benzodiazepines (353 includes 260 deaths caused by Alprazolam), Oxycodone (323), Ethyl Alcohol (224), Hydrocodone (134), and Morphine (122).
- ✓ The four drugs that were the most lethal (more than 50% of the deaths, in which these drugs were found, were caused by the drug) were Heroin (84.4%), Methadone (73.5%), Oxycodone (56.9%) and Fentanyl (55.3%).
- ✓ While more than 50% of the deaths from Freon, Nitrous Oxide, other Inhalants and PCP were caused by the drug, the sample size is small for each drug. The other Inhalants reported were 1,1-Difluoroethane.
- ✓ Excluding Ethyl Alcohol, prescription drugs account for 69% of all drug occurrences in this report. Prescription drugs (76%) are found to dominate at lethal levels when compared to illicit drugs (24%). Prescription drugs are also found to be the majority of non-lethal occurrences at 64% in contrast to illicit drugs at 36%. The prescription drugs tracked in this report are: all Benzodiazepines, Carisoprodol/Meprobamate, and all Opioids except Heroin.
- ✓ Occurrences of Oxycodone (8.6%) and Hydrocodone (6.1%) increased during the first six months of 2007 when compared with the last six months of 2006. Deaths caused by Oxycodone and Hydrocodone increased 9.5% and 8.1%, respectively during the first half of 2007.
- ✓ While Heroin continues to be the most lethal drug named in this report, Heroin occurrences declined by 13.5%, and deaths caused by Heroin decreased by 9.5% when comparing July December 2006 to January June 2007.
- ✓ Methadone occurrences increased during the first half of 2007 by 6.2%, and deaths caused by Methadone slightly rose by 3.7%.
- ✓ Occurrences of Cocaine declined by 2.9%, and deaths caused by Cocaine decreased by 10.4% as well.
- ✓ Alprazolam (Xanax) and Diazepam (Valium) dominate the category of Benzodiazepines. Occurrences of Alprazolam increased by 12.2% and Diazepam increased by 13.7% when compared to the last half of 2006. Other Benzodiazepines of Temazepam (180 occurrences), Nordiazepam (140 occurrences) and Oxazepam (138 occurrences) followed and constituted almost 60% of all other Benzodiazepines reported.
- ✓ Some notable decreases that occurred during the first half of the year are in the occurrences of Tramadol (11.1%), all Methylated Amphetamine cases (6.4% includes a 9.2% decrease in Amphetamine occurrences), and other Benzodiazepines (4.8%).
- ✓ Other notable increases that occurred between January June 2007 are in the occurrences of Hydromorphone (27%), Cannabinoids (13.2%), Methamphetamine (14%), Ethyl Alcohol (5.1%), all Benzodiazepine cases (4.9%), Fentanyl (4%), Morphine (3.7%), Carisoprodol (3.2%), Propoxyphene (3%) and other Opioids (2.2%).
- ✓ Codeine continues to be the predominant "Other Opioid" reported.

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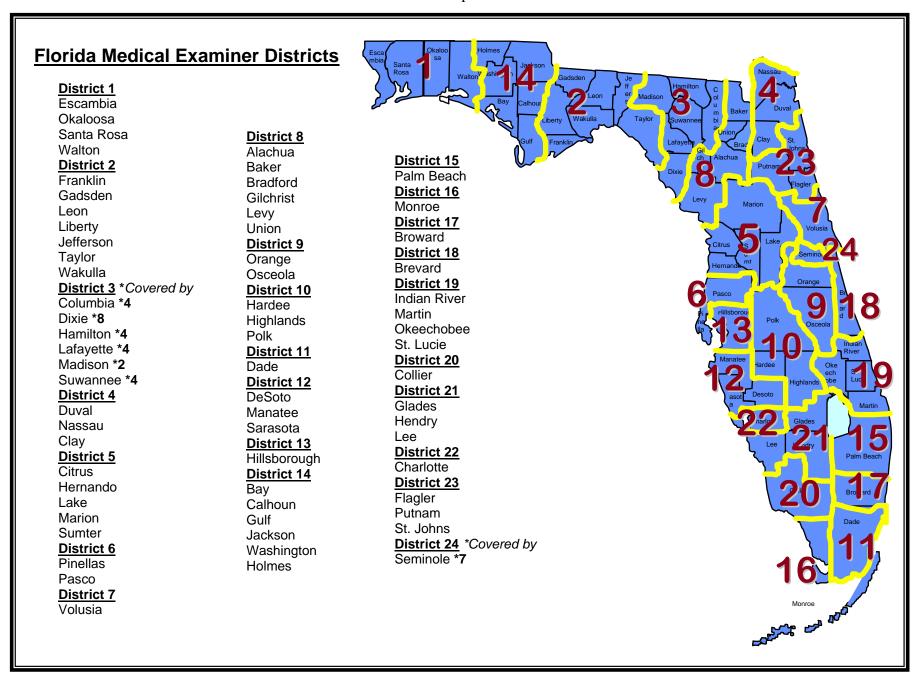


Table 1

Summary of Drug-Related Deaths January – June 2007

	Drug Found in Body	Total Occurrences	Cause	Present
	Ethyl Alcohol	1,902	224	1,678
	All Methylated Amphetamine cases*	103	34	69
nines	Amphetamine	59	14	45
hetan	Methamphetamine	57	19	38
Methylated Amphetamines	MDMA	33	8	25
ylated	MDA	13	4	9
Meth	MDEA	1	0	1
	Other Methylated Amphetamine	2	0	2
	All Benzodiazepine cases*	1,167	353	814
pines	Alprazolam	652	260	392
Benzodiazepines	Diazepam	356	93	263
Benzc	Flunitrazepam (Rohypnol)	0	0	0
	Other Benzodiazepine	479	66	413
	Cannabinoids	530	0	530
	Carisoprodol/Meprobamate	160	41	119
	Cocaine	1,008	398	610

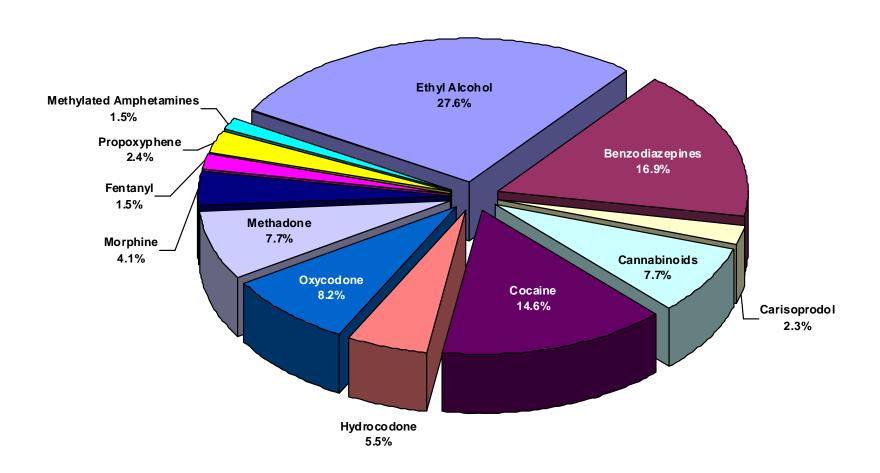
^{*}Note: Many of the deaths were found to have several drugs contributing to the death, thus the count of specific drugs listed is greater than the number of cases.

Table 1 **Summary of Drug-Related Deaths (continued)**

	Drug Found in Body	Total Occurrences	Cause	Present
ts	Freon	1	1	0
Inhalants	Nitrous Oxide (N2O)	1	1	0
In	Other Inhalant	2	1	1
	GHB	4	1	3
	Ketamine	2	0	2
	Phencyclidine (PCP)	1	1	0
	Heroin (only illicit opioid)	45	38	7
	Fentanyl	103	57	46
	Hydrocodone	380	134	246
	Hydromorphone	80	16	64
S	Meperidine	16	0	16
Opioids	Methadone	533	392	141
	Morphine	280	122	158
	Oxycodone	568	323	245
	Propoxyphene	169	48	121
	Tramadol	64	19	45
	Other Opioid	183	20	163

^{*}Note: Many of the deaths were found to have several drugs contributing to the death, thus the count of specific drugs listed is greater than the number of cases.

Frequency of Occurrence of Drugs in Decedents January - June 2007

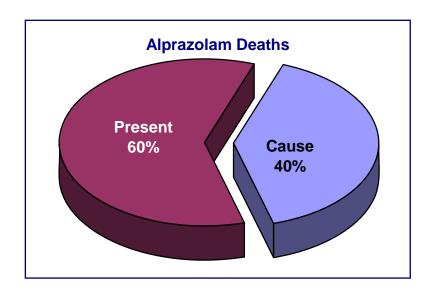


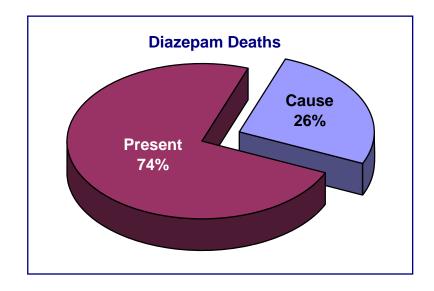
Heroin, GHB, PCP, Ketamine, Freon, Hydromorphone, Meperidine, Tramadol, other opioids, and other inhalants constituted less than 1% of the drug frequencies.

Note: Many of the deaths were found to have several drugs contributing to the death, thus the count of specific drugs is greater than the number of cases.

Chart 2

Drug Detected at Death: Lethal vs. Non-Lethal





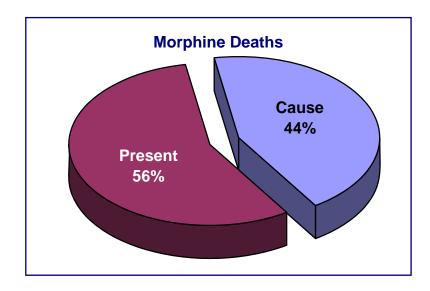
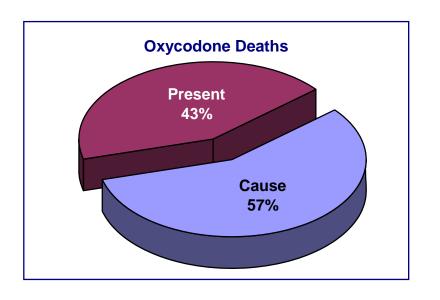
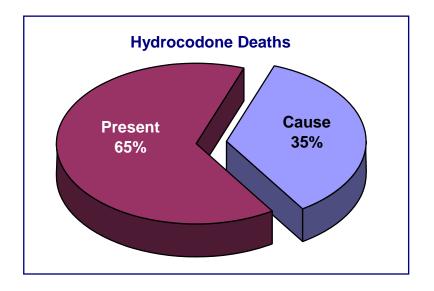


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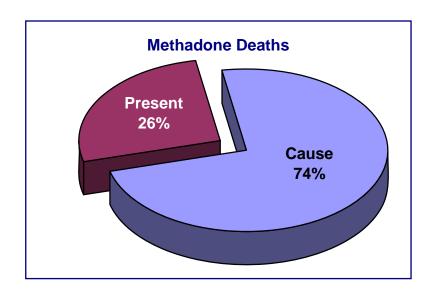
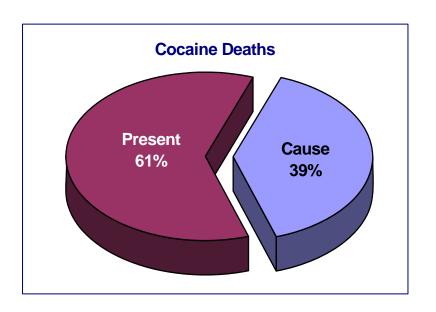
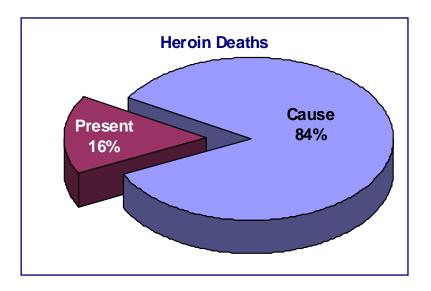


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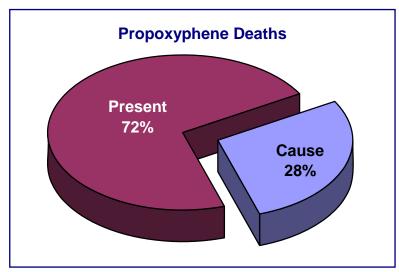


Table 2

Comparison of Drug-Related Deaths July – December 2006 vs. January – June 2007

	Drug Found in Body	July –December 2006	January – June 2007	Percentage Change
	Ethyl Alcohol	1,810	1,902	5.1%
	All Methylated Amphetamine cases	110	103	-6.4%
nines	Amphetamine	65	59	-9.2%
hetan	Methamphetamine	50	57	14%
Amp	MDMA	36	33	*
ylated	MDA	23	13	*
Methylated Amphetamines	MDEA	0	1	*
	Other Methylated Amphetamine	4	2	*
	All Benzodiazepine cases	1,113	1,167	4.9%
pines	Alprazolam	581	652	12.2%
diaze	Diazepam	313	356	13.7%
Benzodiazepines	Flunitrazepam (Rohypnol)	1	0	*
	Other Benzodiazepine	503	479	-4.8%
	Cannabinoids	468	530	13.2%
	Carisoprodol/Meprobamate	155	160	3.2%
	Cocaine	1,038	1,008	-2.9%

^{*}Note: Due to small sample size, percentage change was not calculated.

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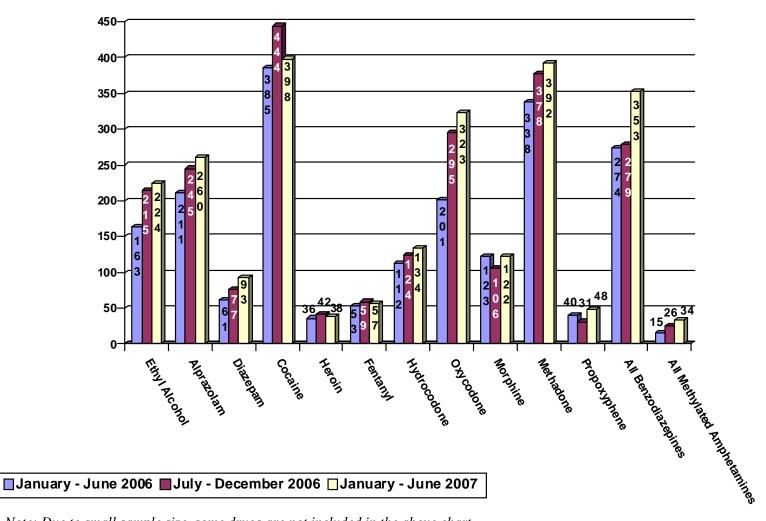
Comparison of Drug-Related Deaths (continued)

	Drug Found in Body	July –December 2006	January – June 2007	Percentage Change
ts	Freon	1	1	*
Inhalants	Nitrous Oxide (N2O)	0	1	*
- In	Other Inhalant	6	2	*
	GHB	0	4	*
	Ketamine	1	2	*
	Phencyclidine (PCP)	0	1	*
	Heroin (only illicit opioid)	52	45	-13.5%
	Fentanyl	99	103	4.0%
	Hydrocodone	358	380	6.1%
	Hydromorphone	63	80	27.0%
S	Meperidine	17	16	*
Opioids	Methadone	502	533	6.2%
	Morphine	270	280	3.7%
	Oxycodone	523	568	8.6%
	Propoxyphene	164	169	3.0%
	Tramadol	72	64	-11.1%
	Other Opioid	179	183	2.2%

^{*}Note: Due to small sample size, percentage change was not calculated.

Chart 3

Deaths in Which the Drugs Named Caused Death January 2006 - June 2007



Note: Due to small sample size, some drugs are not included in the above chart.

Alprazolam Deaths January – June 2007

Medical Examiner			
District	& Area of Florida		
District	Area of Florida		
1	Pensacola		
3	Tallahassee		
3	Live Oak		
4	Jacksonville		
5	Leesburg		
6	St. Petersburg		
7	Daytona Beach		
8	Gainesville		
9	Orlando		
10	Lakeland		
11	Miami		
12	Sarasota		
13	Tampa		
14	Panama City		
15	West Palm Bch		
16	Florida Keys		
17	Ft. Lauderdale		
18	Melbourne		
19	Ft. Pierce		
20	Naples		
21	Ft. Myers		
22	Port Charlotte		
23	St. Augustine		
24	Sanford		
Sta	atewide Totals		

Total Deaths with Alprazolam				
Total	Cause	Present		
		14		
22 7	8 2	5		
3	2	1		
73	33	40		
19	11	8		
73	15	58		
19	3 5	16		
11	5	6		
25	15	10		
28	0	28		
22	8	14		
30	17	13		
70	48	22		
13	1	12		
44	15	29		
9	6	3		
62	34	28		
24	9	15		
27	6	21		
11	0	11		
18	12	6		
11	0	11		
17	7	10		
14	3	11		
652	260	392		

Deaths with Alprazolam Only			
Total	Cause	Present	
0	0	0	
0	0	0	
0	0	0	
4	0	4	
0	0	0	
4	1	3	
0	0	0	
0	0	0	
1	0	1	
0	0	0	
5	0	5	
5	0	5 7	
7	0		
1	0	1	
2	0	2	
0	0	0	
5	0	5	
1	0	1	
1	0	1	
2	0	2	
1	0	1	
1	0	1	
0	0	0	
1	0	1	
41	1	40	

Deaths with Alprazolam in				
Combination with Other Drugs				
Total	Cause	Present		
	8	14		
22 7	2	5 1		
3	2 2	1		
69	33	36		
19	11	8		
69	14	55		
19	3	16		
11	3 5	6		
24	15	9		
28	0	28		
17	8	9		
25	17	8		
63	48	15		
12 42	1	11		
42	15	27		
9	6	27 3		
57	34	23		
23	9	14		
26	6	20		
9	0	9		
17	12	5		
10	0	10		
17	7	10		
13	3	10		
611	259	352		

Table 4

Alprazolam Deaths by Age January – June 2007

Medical Examiner District and Area					
	of Florida				
District	Area of Florida	Total			
1	Pensacola	22			
2	Tallahassee	7			
3	Live Oak	3			
4	Jacksonville	73			
5	Leesburg	19			
6	St. Petersburg	73			
7	Daytona Beach	19			
8	Gainesville	11			
9	Orlando	25			
10	Lakeland	28			
11	Miami	22			
12	Sarasota	30			
13	Tampa	70			
14	Panama City	13			
15	West Palm Bch	44			
16	Florida Keys	9			
17	Ft. Lauderdale	62			
18	Melbourne	24			
19	Ft. Pierce	27			
20	Naples	11			
21	Ft. Myers	18			
22	Port Charlotte	11			
23	St. Augustine	17			
24	Sanford	14			
St	Statewide Totals 652				

Alprazolam Found at Lethal Levels						
	Age of Decedent					
Total	< 18	18–25	26-34	35-50	>50	
8	0	1	1	6	0	
2 2	0	0	1	1	0	
2	0	1	1	0	0	
33	0	8	8	12	5	
11	0	1	3	5	2	
15	0	2	2	6	5	
<u>3</u> 5	0	1	0	0	5 2	
5	0	1	1	2	1	
15	0	2	1	8	4	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
8	0	0	2	6	0	
17	0	3	5	5	4	
48	0	10	12	21	5	
1	0	0	0	0	1	
15	1	4	1	7	2	
6	0	2	2	2	0	
34	0	7	7	15	5	
9	0	2	2	3	2	
6	0	0	1	3	2	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
12	0	2	3	2	5	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
7	0	1	0	5	1	
3	0	0	0	2	1	
260	1	48	53	111	47	

A	Alprazol	am Pres	ent (No	n-Lethal	l)	
		Age of I	Decedent			
Total	<18	18-25	26-34	35-50	>50	
14	0	1	6	7	0	
5	0	0	1	2	2	
1	0	0	0	1	0	
40	0	5	6	18	11	
8	0	2 7	0	5	1	
58	1	7	10	29	11	
16	0	3	2	6	5	
6	0	0	0	5 3	1	
10	0	2	1	3	4	
28	0	3	4	12	9	
14	1	0	1	6	6	
13	0	1	1	7	4	
22	0	3	1	9	9	
12	0	2	1	8	1	
29	1	6	5	10	7	
3	0	0	0	2	1	
28	0	4	5	8	11	
15	0	3	5 5	4	3 5	
21	0	4	6	6		
11	1	6	1	3	0	
6	0	0	2	2 2	5	
11	1	1	2 2			
10	0	2	3	4	1	
11	0	2	2	4	3	
392	5	57	65	163	102	

Diazepam Deaths January – June 2007

Medical Examiner		
District & Area of Florida		
District	Area of Florida	
1	Pensacola	
2	Tallahassee	
3 4	Live Oak	
4	Jacksonville	
5 6	Leesburg	
6	St. Petersburg	
7	Daytona Beach	
8	Gainesville	
9	Orlando	
10	Lakeland	
11	Miami	
12	Sarasota	
13	Tampa	
14	Panama City	
15	West Palm Bch	
16	Florida Keys	
17	Ft. Lauderdale	
18	Melbourne	
19	Ft. Pierce	
20	Naples	
21	Ft. Myers	
22	Port Charlotte	
23	St. Augustine	
24	Sanford	
Statewide Totals		

Total Deaths with Diazepam			
Total	Cause	Present	
11	4	7	
3	0	3	
1	1	0	
28	8	20	
10	3	7	
49	9	40	
24	2	22	
4	2 1	2 16	
17			
7 3 17	0	7	
3	1	7 2 8 5 5	
17	9	8	
20	15	5	
5	0	5	
31	9	22	
8	3	22 5	
34	10	24	
27	8	19	
19	0	19	
6	0	6	
19	5	14	
3		2	
6	2	4	
4	0	4	
356	93	263	

Deaths v	Deaths with Diazepam Only			
Total	Cause	Present		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
2	0	2		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
4	0	4		
0	0	0		
2	0	2		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
3	0	3		
3	0	3		
0	0	0		
5	0	5		
0	0	0		
5	0	5		
4	0	4		
1	0	1		
0	0	0		
2	0	2		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
31	0	31		

Deaths with Diazepam in			
Combination with Other Drugs			
Total	Cause	Present	
11	4	7	
3	0	3	
3	1	3 0	
26	Q	18	
10	8 3 9 2 2 1	7	
49	0	40	
20	9		
4	2	18	
4 15 7 3 14	2	2 14	
15	1	14	
7	0	7 2 5 2 5 17 5	
3	1	2	
14	9	5	
17 5	15	2	
5	0	5	
26	9	17	
8	3	5	
29	10	19	
23	8	15	
18 6	0	18	
6	0	6	
17	5	12	
3	5 1 2	12 2	
6		4	
4	0	4	
325	93	232	

Table 6

Diazepam Deaths by Age January – June 2007

Medical	Medical Examiner District and Area		
	of Florida		
District	Area of Florida	Total	
1	Pensacola	11	
2	Tallahassee	3	
3	Live Oak	1	
4	Jacksonville	28	
5	Leesburg	10	
6	St. Petersburg	49	
7	Daytona Beach	24	
8	Gainesville	4	
9	Orlando	17	
10	Lakeland	7	
11	Miami	3	
12	Sarasota	17	
13	Tampa	20	
14	Panama City	5	
15	West Palm Bch	31	
16	Florida Keys	8	
17	Ft. Lauderdale	34	
18	Melbourne	27	
19	Ft. Pierce	19	
20	Naples	6	
21	Ft. Myers	19	
22	Port Charlotte	3	
23	St. Augustine	6	
24	Sanford	4	
Statewide Totals 356			

Ι	Diazepam Found at Lethal Levels				
		Age of I	Decedent		
Total	< 18	18–25	26-34	35-50	>50
4	0	0	1	1	2
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	0	1	0
8	0	3	1	2	2
3	0	0	0	2	1
9	0	1	0	5	3
2	0	0	1	0	1
2	0	0	0	2	0
1	0	0	0	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	0	0
9	0	0	2	3	4
15	0	1	4	9	1
0	0	0	0	0	0
9	0	1	1	6	1
3	0	1	0	2	0
10	0	1	1	6	2
8	0	1	2	0	5
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
5	0	1	0	1	3
1	0	0	0	1	0
2	0	1	0	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
93	0	11	14	43	25

Diazepam Present (Non-Lethal)					
	_		Decedent		
Total	<18	18-25	26-34	35-50	>50
7	0	1	2	1	3
3	0	0	0	1	3 2
0	0	0	0	0	0
20	0	4	2	9	5
7	0	1	1	3	2
40	0	4	4	19	13
22	2	1	5	6	8
2	0	0	0	0	2
16	0	0	3	7	6
7	0	2	0	1	4
2	0	0	1	1	0
8	0	1	0	4	3
5 5	0	0	1	0	4
5	0	0	0	1	4
22	0	4	1	5	12
5	0	0	0	4	1
24	0	2	0	12	10
19	0	2	4	5	8
19	0	1	2	7	9
6	0	2	0	1	3
14	1	2	1	6	4
2	0	1	0	0	1
4	0	0	1	1	2
4	0	2	0	0	
263	3	30	28	94	108

Oxycodone Deaths January – June 2007

Med	Medical Examiner		
District	& Area of Florida		
District	Area of Florida		
1	Pensacola		
2	Tallahassee		
2 3 4	Live Oak		
4	Jacksonville		
5 6	Leesburg		
6	St. Petersburg		
7 8	Daytona Beach		
8	Gainesville		
9	Orlando		
10	Lakeland		
11	Miami		
12	Sarasota		
13	Tampa		
14	Panama City		
15	West Palm Bch		
16	Florida Keys		
17	Ft. Lauderdale		
18	Melbourne		
19	Ft. Pierce		
20	Naples		
21	Ft. Myers		
22	Port Charlotte		
23	St. Augustine		
24 Sanford			
Statewide Totals			

Total Deaths with Oxycodone			
Total	Cause	Present	
11			
3	2 0 2	9 3	
3	2	1	
42	16	26	
15	11	4	
88	62	26	
23	9	14	
7	0	7	
31	17	14	
11	6	9 3 9	
9	6	3	
26	17	9	
54 2	37	17	
2	1	1	
60	36	24	
7	5	2	
49	38	11	
25	13	12	
34	15	19	
4	0	4	
28	16	12	
14	7	7	
12	9 2	3 8	
10			
568	323	245	

Deaths w	Deaths with Oxycodone Only			
Total	Cause	Present		
1	0	1		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
5	0	5		
2	1	1		
2 5 2 2 5	4	1		
2	0	2		
2	0	2 2 3		
5	2	3		
0	0	0		
1	0	1		
4	2	2		
10	2 2 0	8		
0	0	0		
7	2	5		
0	0	0		
4	2 2	2		
3		2		
3	1	2		
0	0	0		
2	1	1		
1	0	1		
3	1	2		
0	0	0		
60	20	40		

Deaths with Oxycodone in			
	ther Drugs		
Cause	Present		
2	8		
0	3		
	1		
	21 3 25 12 5 11 9 2 7 9 1		
10	3		
58	25		
9	12		
	5		
15	11		
2	9		
6	2		
15	7		
35	9		
1			
34	19		
5	<u>2</u> 9		
36	9		
11	11		
14	17		
0	4		
15	11		
7	6		
8	1		
2	8		
303	205		
	ion with O Cause 2 0 2 16 10 58 9 0 15 2 6 15 35 1 34 5 36 11 14 0 15 7		

Table 8

Oxycodone Deaths by Age January – June 2007

Medical	Medical Examiner District and Area		
	of Florida		
District	Area of Florida	Total	
1	Pensacola	11	
2	Tallahassee	3	
3	Live Oak	3	
4	Jacksonville	42	
5	Leesburg	15	
6	St. Petersburg	88	
7	Daytona Beach	23	
8	Gainesville	7	
9	Orlando	31	
10	Lakeland	11	
11	Miami	9	
12	Sarasota	26	
13	Tampa	54	
14	Panama City	2	
15	West Palm Bch	60	
16	Florida Keys	7	
17	Ft. Lauderdale	49	
18	Melbourne	25	
19	Ft. Pierce	34	
20	Naples	4	
21	Ft. Myers	28	
22	Port Charlotte	14	
23	St. Augustine	12	
24	Sanford	10	
Statewide Totals 568			

0	Oxycodone Found at Lethal Levels						
	Age of Decedent						
Total	< 18	18–25	26-34	35-50	>50		
2	0	0	1	1	0		
0	0	0	0	0	0		
2	0	0	0	2	0		
16	0	1	1	10	4		
11	1	2	3	4	1		
62	3	10	8	28	13		
9	0	0	4	3	2		
0	0	0	0	0	0		
17	0	3	2	9	3		
2	0	0	1	1	0		
6	0	0	2	4	0		
17	0	1	4	7	5		
37	1	3	10	17	6		
1	0	0	0	1	0		
36	1	3	8	18	6		
5	0	2	1	2	0		
38	1	9	5	20	3		
13	0	1	3	5	4		
15	0	3	6	4	2		
0	0	0	0	0	0		
16	0	4	3	2	7		
7	1	1	2	2	1		
9	0	1	1	2	5		
2	0	0	0	1	1		
323	8	44	65	143	63		

(Oxycodo	ne Pres	ent (Nor	ı-Lethal)
		Age of I	Decedent		
Total	<18	18-25	26-34	35-50	>50
9	0	0	2	4	3
3	0	1	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0
26	0	2	4	6	14
4	0	0	1	2	1
26	0	5	1	15	5
14	1	3	2	1	7
7	0	0	2	1	4
14	0	2	0	5	7
9	0	1	3	3	2
3	0	0	0		2
9	0	1	2	3	3
17	0	0	3	6	8
1	0	0	0	0	
24	1	1	3	11	8
2	0	0	0	2	0
11	0	1	2	4	4
12	0	0	3 2	6	3
19	0	4	2	3	10
4	0	2	0	1	1
12	0	2	2	3	5
7	1	2	0	1	3
3	0	0	1	1	1
8	0	1	2	4	1
245	3	29	35	84	94

Hydrocodone Deaths January – June 2007

Medical Examiner		
District	& Area of Florida	
District	Area of Florida	
1	Pensacola	
2 3	Tallahassee	
3	Live Oak	
4	Jacksonville	
4 5 6	Leesburg	
6	St. Petersburg	
7	Daytona Beach	
8	Gainesville	
9	Orlando	
10	Lakeland	
11	Miami	
12	Sarasota	
13	Tampa	
14	Panama City	
15	West Palm Bch	
16	Florida Keys	
17	Ft. Lauderdale	
18	Melbourne	
19	Ft. Pierce	
20	Naples	
21	Ft. Myers	
22	Port Charlotte	
23	St. Augustine	
24	Sanford	
Sta	atewide Totals	

Total Deaths with Hydrocodone			
Total	Cause	Present	
15	3	12	
10	3	7	
6	3 3 1	7 5 25 3 34	
53	28	25	
9 44		3	
44	6 10 2 2 2 9	34	
16 10	2	14 8	
10	2	8	
31	9	22	
14 2	1	13	
2	1	1	
20	8	12	
37 10	20	17	
10	1	9	
20	8	12	
7	4	3	
12	5	7	
7 12 12	4	12 3 7 8 5	
10	5	5	
4	0	4	
13	8 4 5 4 5 0 5 0 5 0 5	8	
6	0	6	
8	5	3	
11		8	
380	134	246	

Deaths with Hydrocodone				
Only				
Total	Cause	Present		
3	0	3		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
2	0	2		
1	1	0		
4	2	2		
0	0	0		
1	0	1		
7	1	6		
3	0	3		
0	0	0		
7	0	7		
9	2	7		
0	0	0		
1	0	1		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
4	0	4		
0	1	1		
	0	0		
2	1	1		
2	0	2		
1	0	1		
1	0	1		
50	8	42		

Deaths with Hydrocodone in Combination with Other Drugs				
Total	Cause	Present		
12	3	9 7		
10	3			
6	1	5		
51	28	23 3 32		
8	5	3		
40	5 8 2 2 8	32		
16	2	14		
9	2	7		
24	8	16		
11	1	10		
2	1	1		
13	8	5		
28	18	10		
10	1	9		
19	8	11		
7	4	3 7		
12	5	7		
8	4	4		
8	4	4		
4	0	4		
11	4	7		
4	0	4		
7	5	2		
10	3	7		
330	126	204		

Hydrocodone Deaths by Age January – June 2007

Medical Examiner District and Area					
	of Florida				
District	Area of Florida	Total			
1	Pensacola	15			
3	Tallahassee	10			
3	Live Oak	6			
4	Jacksonville	53			
5	Leesburg	9			
6	St. Petersburg	44			
7	Daytona Beach	16			
8	Gainesville	10			
9	Orlando	31			
10	Lakeland	14			
11	Miami	2			
12	Sarasota	20			
13	Tampa	37			
14	Panama City	10			
15	West Palm Bch	20			
16	Florida Keys	7			
17	Ft. Lauderdale	12			
18	Melbourne	12			
19	Ft. Pierce	10			
20	Naples	4			
21	Ft. Myers	13			
22	Port Charlotte	6			
23	St. Augustine	8			
24	Sanford	11			
St	Statewide Totals 380				

Ну	Hydrocodone Found at Lethal Levels				
		Age of I	Decedent		
Total	< 18	18–25	26-34	35-50	>50
3	0	0	0	2	1
3	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	0	0
28	0	8	7	10	3
6	0	0	1	4	1
10	0	0	2	6	2
2	0	0	0	2	0
2	0	1	0	0	1
9	0	0	0	6	3
1	0	0	1	0	0
1	0	0	0	1	0
8	0	0	0	3	5
20	0	1	7	8	4
1	0	1	0	0	0
8	0	1	1	4	2
4	0	1	0	1	2
5	0	0	0	4	1
4	0	0	0	1	3
5	0	0	0	3	2
0	0	0	0	0	0
5	0	1	1	1	2
0	0	0	0	0	0
5	0	1	0	2	2
3	0	0	0	3	0
134	0	15	22	62	35

Н	ydrocod	lone Pre	sent (No	n-Letha	<u>l)</u>
		Age of I	Decedent		
Total	<18	18-25	26-34	35-50	>50
12	0	0	4		3
7 5	0	0	1	5 2 3	4
5	0	1	0	3	1
25	0	2	2	14	7
3	0	0	1	1	1
34	0	4	3	15	12
14	0	2	5	3	4
8	0	0	0	3	5
22	0	1	1	11	9
13	0	1	1	6	5
1	0	0	0	0	1
12	0	1	3	2	6
17	0	0	2	7	8
9	0	1	0	5	
12	0	0	1	7	4
7	0	0	0	1	2
7	0	0	2	3	2
8	0	0	1	3 3 3	4
5	0	0	0	3	2
4	1	0	2		0
8	0	1	1	1	5
6	0	0	1	1	4
3	0	1	1	1	0
8	0	1	1	4	2
246	1	16	33	102	94

Methadone Deaths January – June 2007

Medical Examiner			
District	& Area of Florida		
District	Area of Florida		
1	Pensacola		
2	Tallahassee		
3 4	Live Oak		
4	Jacksonville		
5 6	Leesburg		
6	St. Petersburg		
7	Daytona Beach		
8	Gainesville		
9	Orlando		
10	Lakeland		
11	Miami		
12	Sarasota		
13	Tampa		
14	Panama City		
15	West Palm Bch		
16	Florida Keys		
17	Ft. Lauderdale		
18	Melbourne		
19	Ft. Pierce		
20	Naples		
21	Ft. Myers		
22	Port Charlotte		
23	St. Augustine		
24	Sanford		
Statewide Totals			

Total Deaths with Methadone			
Total	Cause	Present	
	17		
7		2 4	
19 7 2 33	3 2 25	0	
33	25	8	
28	20	8	
58	44	14	
17	11 11	6 5 7 4 5 7 8	
16	11	5	
30	23 3 3 27 37 6	7	
7	3	4	
8	3	5	
34	27	7	
45	37	8	
6	6	0	
60	45	15	
8	7	1	
34	7 22	1 12	
20	11	9	
31	25	6	
14	10	4	
28	23	5	
9	5	5 4 3 4	
14	11	3	
5	1		
533	392	141	

Deaths with Methadone Only			
Total	Cause	Present	
1	1	0	
1	0	1	
0	0	0	
1	1	0	
7	5	2	
8	6	2	
0	0	0	
1	1	0	
4	2	2	
0	0	0	
2	1	1	
2	2	0	
6	5	1	
0	0	0	
11	7	4	
1	0	1	
5	0	5	
0	0	0	
5	3	2	
2	2	0	
2	1	1	
0	0	0	
1	1	0	
0	0	0	
60	38	22	

Deaths	with Meth	adone in	
	Deaths with Methadone in Combination with Other Drugs		
Total	Cause	Present	
18	16		
6	3	2 3 0	
2	3 2	0	
32	24	8	
21 50 17 15 26	15	6	
50	38	12	
17	11 10	6	
15	10	5 5 4	
26	21 3 2 25 32 6	5	
7	3		
6	2	4	
32	25	4 7 7	
39 6	32		
6	6	0	
49	38	11	
7	7	0 7	
29	22		
20	38 7 22 11 22 8 22	9	
26	22		
12	8	4	
26	22	4	
9	5	4	
13	10	3 4	
5	1		
473	354	119	

Methadone Deaths by Age January – June 2007

Medical Examiner District and Area			
	of Florida		
District	Area of Florida	Total	
1	Pensacola	19	
3	Tallahassee	7	
	Live Oak	2	
4	Jacksonville	33	
5	Leesburg	28	
6	St. Petersburg	58	
7	Daytona Beach	17	
8	Gainesville	16	
9	Orlando	30	
10	Lakeland	7	
11	Miami	8	
12	Sarasota	34	
13	Tampa	45	
14	Panama City	6	
15	West Palm Bch	60	
16	Florida Keys	8	
17	Ft. Lauderdale	34	
18	Melbourne	20	
19	Ft. Pierce	31	
20	Naples	14	
21	Ft. Myers	28	
22	Port Charlotte	9	
23	St. Augustine	14	
24	Sanford	5	
Statewide Totals 533			

N.	Methadone Found at Lethal Levels				
		Age of I	Decedent		
Total	< 18	18–25	26-34	35-50	>50
17	0	2	5	8	2
3 2	0	0	1	1	1
2	0	1	0	1	0
25	0	8	6	10	1
20	0	7	4	7	2
44	0	8	8	16	12
11	0	3	2	4	2
11	0	1	2	6	2
23	0	3	4	13	3
23 3 3	0	1	1	0	1
	0	0	1	2	0
27	0	5	6	12	4
37	0	6	13	15	3 2
6	0	1	1	2	2
45	3	11	10	13	8
7	0	0	1	5	1
22	0	4	5	6	7
11	0	2	4	1	4
25	0	5	5	11	4
10	0	4	0	4	2 5
23 5	1	6	3	8	
	1	2	0	5	0
11	0	3	1		2
1	0	1	0	0	0
392	5	84	83	152	68

I	Methadone Present (Non-Lethal))
		Age of I	Decedent		
Total	<18	18-25	26-34	35-50	>50
2	0	0	0		0
4	0	1	1	2 2	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
8	0	2	0	5	1
8	0	1	1	3	3
14	0	1	1	9	3 3 3
6	0	1	1	1	3
5	0	1	0	1	3
7	0	1	0	4	2
4	0	1	1	1	1
5	0	0	0	2	3
7	0	0	2	4	1
8	0	1	0	1	6
0	0	0	0	0	0
15	0	0	5	5	5
1	0	0	0	1	0
12	0	1	1	3	7
9	0	1	1	5	2
6	0	0	0	4	2
4	0	0	0	3	1
5	0	2	0	0	3
4	0	2	1	0	1
3	0	1	1	1	0
4	0	0	3	0	1
141	0	17	19	57	48

Morphine Deaths January – June 2007

Medical Examiner		
District & Area of Florida		
District	Area of Florida	
1	Pensacola	
3	Tallahassee	
	Live Oak	
4 5 6	Jacksonville	
5	Leesburg	
6	St. Petersburg	
7	Daytona Beach	
8	Gainesville	
9	Orlando	
10	Lakeland	
11	Miami	
12	Sarasota	
13	Tampa	
14	Panama City	
15	West Palm Bch	
16	Florida Keys	
17	Ft. Lauderdale	
18	Melbourne	
19	Ft. Pierce	
20	Naples	
21	Ft. Myers	
22	Port Charlotte	
23	St. Augustine	
24	Sanford	
Statewide Totals		

Total Deaths with Morphine		
Total	Cause	Present
9	2	7
7	1	6
3	2	1
28	8	20
12	9	3
33	22	11
12	3	9
10		9
26	18	8
12	2 5 3 9 2	10
10	5	5 3
6	3	3
27	9	18
8	2	6
16	6	10
0	0	0
12	7	5
11	5	6
7	2	5
4	0	4
10	5	5
6	0 7 5 2 0 5 2 5 3 122	4
6	5	1
5	3	2
280	122	158

Deaths v	Deaths with Morphine Only		
Total	Cause	Present	
3	0	3	
1	0	1	
2	1	1	
	0	3	
3 3	2	1	
0	0	0	
2	0	2	
3 5 2 2 3	0	3 3 2	
5	2	3	
2	0	2	
2	0	2	
3	2	1	
6	0	6	
6	1	1	
6	1	5	
0	0	0	
3	0	3 4	
4	0	4	
4	1	3 2 3	
2	0	2	
3	0	3	
1	0	1	
1	0	1	
0	0	0	
61	10	51	

Deaths with Morphine in		
Combinat		ther Drugs
Total	Cause	Present
6	2	4
6	1	5
1	1	0
25	8	17
9	7	2
33	8 7 22	2 11
10	3	7
7		6
21	16	5
10	2 5	8
8	5	3
3	1	2
21	9	12
6	1	3 2 12 5 5
10	5	5
0	0	0
9	7	2
	5	2
3 2 7	1	2
2	0	2
7	5	2
5 5 5	5 2 5 3	2 2 2 2 2 2 3
5	5	0
5	3	2
219	112	107

Table 14

Morphine Deaths by Age January – June 2007

Medical Examiner District and Area			
	of Florida		
District	Area of Florida	Total	
1	Pensacola	9	
2	Tallahassee	7	
3	Live Oak	3	
4	Jacksonville	28	
5	Leesburg	12	
6	St. Petersburg	33	
7	Daytona Beach	12	
8	Gainesville	10	
9	Orlando	26	
10	Lakeland	12	
11	Miami	10	
12	Sarasota	6	
13	Tampa	27	
14	Panama City	8	
15	West Palm Bch	16	
16	Florida Keys	0	
17	Ft. Lauderdale	12	
18	Melbourne	11	
19	Ft. Pierce	7	
20	Naples	4	
21	Ft. Myers	10	
22	Port Charlotte	6	
23	St. Augustine	6	
24	Sanford	5	
Statewide Totals 280			

N	Morphine Found at Lethal Levels				
	Age of Decedent				
Total	< 18	18–25	26-34	35-50	>50
2	0	0	0	1	1
1	0	0	1	0	0
2	0	0	0	2	0
8	0	0	2	5	1
9	0	0	1	4	4
22	1	0	4	10	7
3	0	0	0	1	2
1	0	1	0	0	0
18	0	0	4	10	4
2	0	0	1	0	1
5	0	1	1	2	1
3	0	0	0	2	1
9	0	1	0	6	2
2	0	0	0	1	1
6	0	2	2	2	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
7	0	2	3	1	1
5	0	0	2	2	1
2	0	0	0	0	2
0	0	0	0	0	0
5	0	1	0	4	0
2	0	0	0	1	1
5	0	1	0	1	3
3	0	0	1	2	0
122	1	9	22	57	33

	Mombi	no Duoge	mt (Non	Lothal	
	worpm			-Lethal)	
	ı		Decedent	1	
Total	<18	18-25	26-34	35-50	>50
7	0	0	0	3	4
6	0	1	2	1	2
1	1	0	0	0	0
20	0	4	1	7	8
3	0	0	0	1	2
11	0	0	0	4	7
9	0	1	2	1	5
9	0	0	0	2	7
8	1	0	0	1	6
10	1	0	1	5	3
5	0	0	0	2	
3	0	0	0	0	3
18	0	1	1	4	12
6	0	0	0	2	4
10	0	0	0	0	10
0	0	0	0	0	0
5	0	1	0	1	3
6	0	0	0	2	4
5	0	0	0	2	3
4	0	1	0	0	3
5	0	1	0	1	
4	0	0	1	0	3
1	0	0	0	0	1
2	0	1	0	1	0
158	3	11	8	40	96

Propoxyphene Deaths January – June 2007

Medical Examiner		
District	& Area of Florida	
District	Area of Florida	
1	Pensacola	
2	Tallahassee	
2 3	Live Oak	
4	Jacksonville	
5 6	Leesburg	
6	St. Petersburg	
7	Daytona Beach	
8	Gainesville	
9	Orlando	
10	Lakeland	
11	Miami	
12	Sarasota	
13	Tampa	
14	Panama City	
15	West Palm Bch	
16	Florida Keys	
17	Ft. Lauderdale	
18	Melbourne	
19	Ft. Pierce	
20	Naples	
21	Ft. Myers	
22	Port Charlotte	
23	St. Augustine	
24	Sanford	
Statewide Totals		

Tota	Total Deaths with				
	Propoxyphene				
Total	Cause	Present			
7	2	5 4			
5 2					
2	1	1			
11	1 3 3 7	8			
11 22	3	8 15			
22	7	15			
7	3	4			
3 19 9	3 0 5 3	3 14 6 3 0			
19	5	14			
9	3	6			
3 0	0	3			
0	0	0			
9	3	6 5			
6					
7	1	6 0			
0 11	0	0			
11	5	6			
4	1	3			
9	1	8			
2	0 4	3 8 2 8			
4 9 2 12 5 2 3	4	8			
5	2 1	3			
2		1			
169 48 121					

Deaths with Propoxyphene				
	Only			
Total				
1	1	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
2	0	2		
4	1	3 5		
7	2			
0	0	0		
1	0	1		
1	0	1		
0	0	0		
2	0	2		
0	0	0		
5	0	5		
1	0	1		
2	1	1		
0	0	0		
3	0	3		
1	1	0		
2	1	1		
0	0	0		
4	0	4		
1	0	1		
1	0	1		
0	0	0		
38	7	31		

Deaths with Propoxyphene in			
Combination with Other Drugs			
Total	Cause	Present	
6	1	5 4	
5	1		
6 5 2 9 7	1	1	
9	3	6	
7	2	5	
15	3 2 5 3 0	10	
7 2	3	4	
2	0	2	
18	5 3 0	13	
9	3	6	
		1	
0	0	0	
4	3	1	
5	1	4	
5	0	5	
0	0	0	
8	5	3	
3	0	3	
0 8 3 7 2 8	0	3 3 7 2 4 2	
2	0	2	
8	4	4	
4	2		
1	1	0	
3	1	2	
131	41	90	

Propoxyphene Deaths by Age January - June 2007

Medical Examiner District and Area				
	of Florida			
District	Area of Florida	Total		
1	Pensacola	7		
2	Tallahassee	5 2		
3	Live Oak			
4	Jacksonville	11		
5	Leesburg	11		
6	St. Petersburg	22		
7	Daytona Beach	7		
8	Gainesville	3		
9	Orlando	19		
10	Lakeland	9		
11	Miami	3		
12	Sarasota	0		
13	Tampa	9		
14	Panama City	6		
15	West Palm Bch	7		
16	Florida Keys	0		
17	Ft. Lauderdale	11		
18	Melbourne	4		
19	Ft. Pierce	9		
20	Naples	2		
21	Ft. Myers	12		
22	Port Charlotte	5 2		
23	St. Augustine	2		
24	Sanford	3		
Statewide Totals 169				

Pro	Propoxyphene Found at Lethal Levels				
Age of Decedent					
Total	< 18	18–25	26-34	35-50	>50
2	0	0	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	0	1	0
3	0	2	0	0	1
3	0	0	0	3	0
7	0	0	2	2	3
3	0	0	1	0	2
0	0	0	0	0	0
5	0	1	1	0	3
3	0	0	1	0	2
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
3	0	1	0	2	0
1	0	0	0	1	0
1	0	0	0	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
5	0	0	1	2	2
1	0	0	0	1	0
1	0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	0	0	0
4	0	0	0	0	4
2	0	0	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1	0
1	0	0	0	1	0
48	0	4	8	17	19

Propoxyphene Present (Non-Lethal)					
Age of Decedent					
Total	<18	18-25	26-34	35-50	>50
5	0	0	1	4	0
4	0	0	0	1	3
1	0	0	0	1	0
8	0	0	2	2	4
8	0	1	0	3	4
15	0	0	1	6	8
4	0	0	2	2	0
3	0	0	0	2	1
14	0	0	1	3	10
6	0	0	1	1	4
3	0	0	0	0	3
0	0	0	0	0	0
6	0	0	0	1	5
5	0	1	0	4	0
6	0	1	0	2	3
0	0	0	0	0	0
6	0	0	0	1	5
3	0	0	0	1	2
8	0	1	0	3	4
2	0	0	0	1	1
8	0	1	0	1	6
3	0	0	1	0	2
1	0	0	0	0	1
2	0	0	0	1	1
121	0	5	9	40	67

Cocaine Deaths January – June 2007

Med	Medical Examiner		
District	& Area of Florida		
District	Area of Florida		
1	Pensacola		
2	Tallahassee		
3 4	Live Oak		
4	Jacksonville		
5 6	Leesburg		
6	St. Petersburg		
7	Daytona Beach		
8	Gainesville		
9	Orlando		
10	Lakeland		
11	Miami		
12	Sarasota		
13	Tampa		
14	Panama City		
15	West Palm Bch		
16	Florida Keys		
17	Ft. Lauderdale		
18	Melbourne		
19	Ft. Pierce		
20	Naples		
21	Ft. Myers		
22	Port Charlotte		
23	St. Augustine		
24	Sanford		
Statewide Totals			

Total Deaths with Cocaine						
Total	Total Cause Present					
28	13	15				
24	10	14				
6	1	5				
125	50	75				
23	10	13				
90	56	34				
35	6	29				
20	9	11				
95	32	63				
24	11	13				
84	16	68				
64	31	33				
70	28	42				
19	7	12				
67	25	42				
17	5	12				
60	32	28				
31	12	19				
26	13	13				
22	6	16				
34	16	18				
10	1	9				
21	7	14				
13	1	12				
1,008 398 610						

Deaths with Cocaine Only					
Total	Cause	Present			
6					
6	3 2 0	4			
6 2 22	0	3 4 2			
22	8	14			
3 13 6	0	3 6 4			
13	0 7 2 3 9 4	6			
6	2	4			
8	3	5 25 1			
34	9	25			
5	4	1			
38	6	32			
23 21 5	7 8 5	16			
21	8	13			
5		0			
13	6	7 0			
13	0	0			
12	6	6			
5 6	2 3 1	3			
6	3	3			
6		5			
8	3	3 3 5 5 4			
4	0	4			
5 1	2	3			
1	1	0			
252	252 88 164				

Deaths with Cocaine in				
Combination with Other Drugs				
Total	Cause	Present		
22	10	12		
18	8	10		
4	1	3		
103	42	61		
20	10	10		
77	49	28		
29	4	25		
12	6	6		
61	23	38		
19	7	12		
46	10	36		
41	24	17		
49	20	29		
14	2	12		
54	19	35		
17	5	12		
48	26	22		
26	10	16		
20	10	10		
16	5	11		
26	13	13		
6	1	5		
16	5	11		
12	0	12		
756	310	446		

Cocaine Deaths by Age January - June 2007

Medical Examiner District and Area		
	of Florida	
District	Area of Florida	Total
1	Pensacola	28
3	Tallahassee	24
	Live Oak	6
4	Jacksonville	125
5	Leesburg	23
6	St. Petersburg	90
7	Daytona Beach	35
8	Gainesville	20
9	Orlando	95
10	Lakeland	24
11	Miami	84
12	Sarasota	64
13	Tampa	70
14	Panama City	19
15	West Palm Bch	67
16	Florida Keys	17
17	Ft. Lauderdale	60
18	Melbourne	31
19	Ft. Pierce	26
20	Naples	22
21	Ft. Myers	34
22	Port Charlotte	10
23	St. Augustine	21
24	Sanford	13
St	atewide Totals	1,008

	Cocaine Found at Lethal Levels					
	Age of Decedent					
Total	< 18	18–25	26-34	35-50	>50	
13	0	0	3	8	2	
10	0	3	4	2	1	
1	0	0	0	1	0	
50	0	7	11	22	10	
10	0	0	4	4	2	
56	2	10	7	28	9 2 1	
6	0	0	1	3	2	
9	0	2	1	5		
32	0	2	5	20	5 3 3	
11	0	1	5 2 3	5	3	
16	0	0		10	3	
31	0	4	4	18	5	
28	0	3	7	8	10	
7	0		3	1	2	
25	0	4	4	10	7	
5	0	0	1	4	0	
32	0	6	8	14	4	
12	0	0	3 2	6	3 2	
13	0	1		8		
6	0	1	1	4	0	
16	0	4	0	10	2	
1	0	0	0	1	0	
7	0	4	2	1	0	
1	0	0	1	0	0	
398	2	53	77	193	73	

Cocaine Present (Non-Lethal)						
Age of Decedent						
Total	<18	18-25	26-34	35-50	>50	
15	0	2	1	10	2	
14	1	0	3	7	3	
5	0	0	1	4	0	
75	0	16	15	35	9	
13	0	3	3	4	3	
34	1	5	3	17	8	
29	0	1	10	10	8	
11	0	1	0	8	2	
63	1	9	17	26	10	
13	0	4	2	6	1	
68	3	11	10	27	17	
33	0	10	3	16	4	
42	0	8	7	22	5	
12	0	5		5		
42	1	8	12	17	4	
12	0	2	3	3	4	
28	0	4	10	9	5	
19	1	2	5	8	3	
13	1	1	1	9	1	
16	2	4	2	7	1	
18	0	4	3	8	3	
9	0	3	0	3	3	
14	1	3	3	7	0	
12	0	4	5	2	1	
610	12	110	120	270	98	

Heroin Deaths January – June 2007

Medical Examiner				
District & Area of Florida				
District	Area of Florida			
1	1 Pensacola			
3	Tallahassee			
	Live Oak			
4 5 6	Jacksonville			
5	Leesburg			
6	St. Petersburg			
7	Daytona Beach			
8	Gainesville			
9	Orlando			
10	Lakeland			
11	Miami			
12 Sarasota				
13 Tampa				
14 Panama City				
15 West Palm Bch				
16	Florida Keys			
17	Ft. Lauderdale			
18	Melbourne			
19	Ft. Pierce			
20	Naples			
21	Ft. Myers			
22	Port Charlotte			
23	St. Augustine			
24 Sanford				
Statewide Totals				

Total Deaths with Heroin				
Total	Cause	Present		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
2	2	0		
0	0	0		
8	8	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
5	5	0		
0	0	0		
7	3	4		
2	3 2 5	0		
6	5	1		
0	0	0		
4	4	0		
0	0	0		
3	3	0		
1	1	0		
2	2	0		
1	1	0		
1	1	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
3	1	2		
45	38	7		

Deaths with Heroin Only				
Total	Cause	Present		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
2	1	1		
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2	2	0		
0	0	0		
1	1	0		
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1	1	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
0	0	0		
1	0	1		
7	5	2		

Deaths with Heroin in					
Combination with Other Drugs					
Total	Cause	Present			
0	0	0			
0	0	0			
0	0	0			
2	2	0			
0	0	0			
8	8	0			
0	0	0			
0	0	0			
5	5	0			
0	0	0			
5 2 4	2	3			
2	2 2 3 0	0			
	3	1			
0	0	0			
3	3	0			
0	0	0			
2	2	0			
1	1	0			
2	2	0			
1	1	0			
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0	0	0			
2	1	1			
38	33	5			

Heroin Deaths by Age January – June 2007

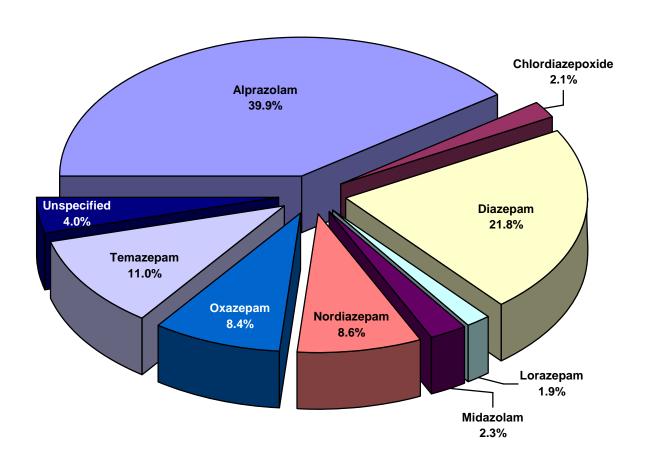
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of Florida				
District	Area of Florida	Total		
1	Pensacola	0		
3	Tallahassee	0		
	Live Oak	0		
4	Jacksonville	2		
5	Leesburg	0		
6	St. Petersburg	8		
7	Daytona Beach	0		
8	Gainesville	0		
9	Orlando	5		
10	Lakeland	0		
11	Miami	7		
12	Sarasota	2		
13	Tampa	6		
14	Panama City	0		
15	West Palm Bch	4		
16	Florida Keys	0		
17	Ft. Lauderdale	3		
18	Melbourne	1		
19	Ft. Pierce	2		
20	Naples	1		
21	Ft. Myers	1		
22	Port Charlotte	0		
23	St. Augustine	0		
24				
St	45			

Heroin Found at Lethal Levels						
Age of Decedent						
Total	< 18	18–25	26-34	35-50	>50	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
2	0	0	1	1	0	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
8	0	0	1	5	2	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
5	0	0	2	3	0	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
3	0	0	0	3	0	
2	0	0	0	1	1	
5	0	1	0	3	1	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
4	0	0	0	2	2	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
3	0	1	1	0	1	
1	0	0	0	1	0	
2	0	0	0	2	0	
1	0	0	0	0	1	
1	0	0	0	1	0	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
0	0	0	0	0	0	
1	0	0	1	0	0	
38	0	2	6	22	8	

Heroin Present (Non-Lethal)					
Age of Decedent					
Total	<18	18-25	26-34	35-50	>50
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
4	0	0	1	2	1
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
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2	0	1	0	1	0
7	0	2	1	3	1

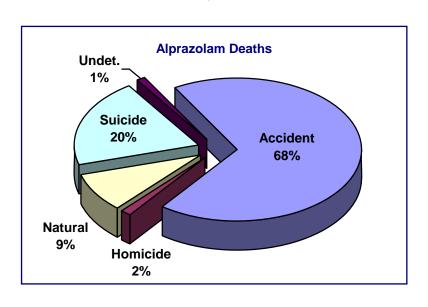
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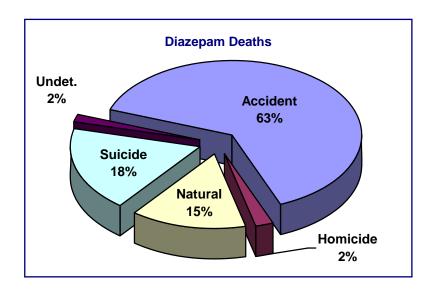
Frequency of Occurrence of Benzodiazepines January - June 2007



Manners of Death for Cases Reported

(Accidental, Homicide, Natural, Suicide or Undetermined)





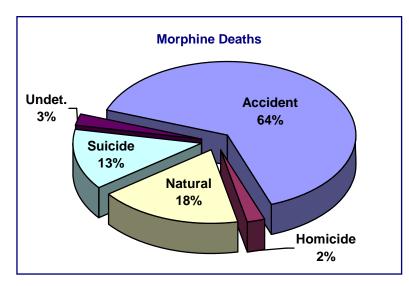
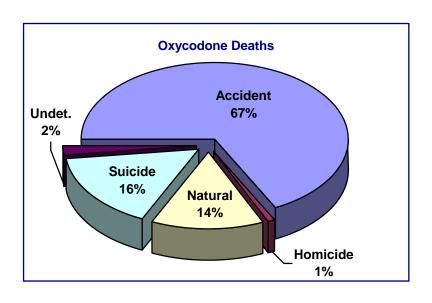
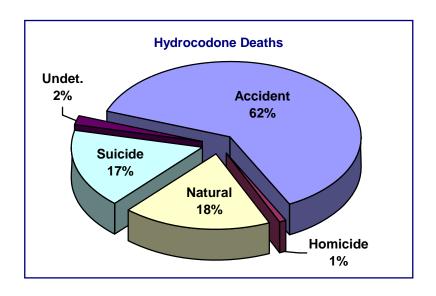


Chart 5

Manners of Death for Cases Reported

(Accidental, Homicide, Natural, Suicide or Undetermined)





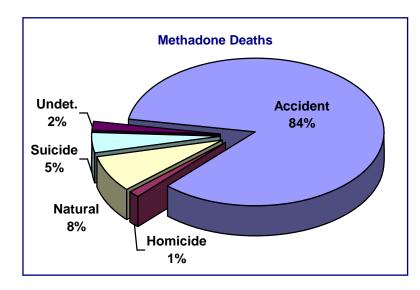
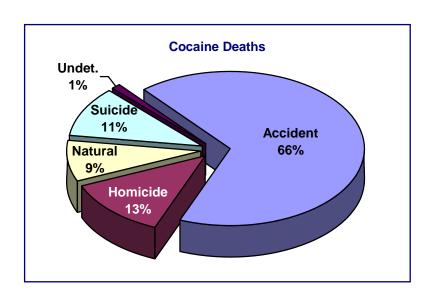
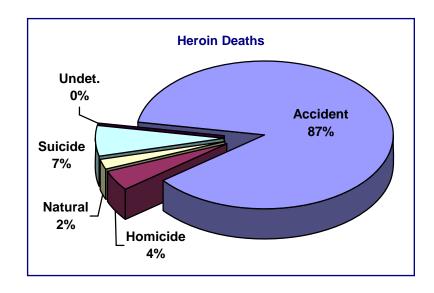


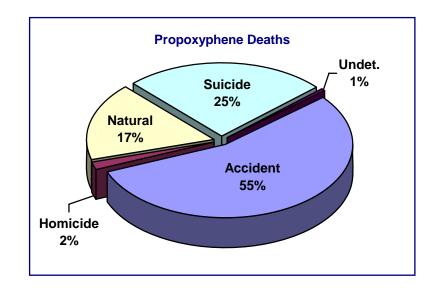
Chart 5

Manners of Death for Cases Reported

(Accidental, Homicide, Natural, Suicide or Undetermined)







Glossary

Benzodiazepine – A family of drugs used primarily to control stress and anxiety and to treat seizures and alcohol withdrawal. These drugs are often referred to as "minor tranquilizers." Xanax and valium are common forms of this drug.

Cannabinoids – A series of 66 chemicals found in the marijuana plant, the most psychoactive of which is THC, a strong, illicit hallucinogen. Street names for this drug are often associated with a geographic area from which it came but also include generic names like "ganja", "MJ", "ragweed", "refer" and "grass."

Carisoprodol – Muscle relaxer used for the relief of pain, muscle spasms and limited mobility. It is often abused in conjunction with analgesics for enhanced effect. It is marketed as Soma.

Cocaine – An illicit Stimulant. Powder cocaine goes by multiple street names including "C", "blow", "snow" and "nose candy" while freebase cocaine is mostly commonly known as "crack."

Ethyl Alcohol - Alcohol

Fentanyl – Synthetic Narcotic Analgesic (pain killer) used in the Durgesic transdermal patch. Also available in a solid "lollypop" sold under the brand name Actiq.

Gamma - Hydroxybutyric Acid (GHB) – A Depressant, also known as a "Date Rape" drug. GHB often goes by the street name "easy lay", "scoop", "liquid X", "Georgia home boy" and "grievous bodily harm."

Heroin – An illicit Narcotic derivative. It is a semi-synthetic product of opium. Heroin also has multiple street names including "H", "hombre" and "smack."

Hydrocodone – Narcotic Analgesic (pain killer). Vicodin and Lortab are two common drugs containing hydrocodone.

Hydromorphone - Opiate-Based Narcotic Analgesic (pain killer) used to treat moderate to severe pain. Marketed under the trade name Dilaudid, it is 2 to 8 times more potent than morphine. Commonly used by abusers as a substitute for heroin.

Ketamine – Animal tranquilizer, it is a chemical relative of PCP. Street names for this drug include "special K", "vitamin K" and "cat valium."

Meperidine – Synthetic Narcotic Analgesic (pain killer) sold under the trade name Demerol, it is used for pre-anesthesia and the relief of moderate to severe pain.

Glossary (continued)

Methadone – Analgesic (pain killer) commonly associated with Heroin detoxification and maintenance programs but it is also prescribed to treat severe pain. It has been increasingly prescribed in place of oxycodone for pain management. Dolophine is one form of methadone.

Methylated Amphetamines – Includes such drugs as Methamphetamine (stimulant) and MDMA (Ecstasy – which is a hallucinogen). Ecstasy has multiple street names including "E", "Eve", "Adam", XTC", "love drug", and "clarity". MDMA is often also known by the embossed logos on the pills such as "Mitsubishis" and "Killer Bees". Methamphetamine is also known as "meth", "crank", "speed" and "tina".

Morphine – Opiate-Based Narcotic Analgesic (pain killer) used to treat moderate to severe pain. MS-Contin is the tablet form, Roxanol is the liquid form.

Nitrous Oxide (N2O) – An inhalant (gas) that produces light anesthesia and analgesia. "Whippets" are a common form of nitrous oxide.

Oxycodone – Narcotic Analgesic (pain killer). OxyContin is one form of this drug and goes by the street name "OC". Percocet and Percodan also contain Oxycodone.

Phencyclidine (**PCP**) – An illicit dissociative anesthetic/hallucinogen. Common street names for this drug include "angel dust", "ace", "DOA" and "wack".

Propoxyphene - Synthetic Narcotic Analgesic (pain killer) used for mild to moderate pain. A chemical cousin to methadone, it is marketed under the trade name Darvor and Darvocet when mixed with acetaminophen.

Rohypnol – Commonly referred to as a "Date Rape" drug. It is a sedative in the Benzodiazepine family. It often goes by the street name "roofies".

Tramadol – Synthetic Analgesic sold under the trade name Ultram and Ultracet. Used for moderate to severe pain. It is a chemical analogue to codeine. Not currently a scheduled drug.

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