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CUYAHOGA COUNTY STATISTICS: HEROIN-RELATED DEATHS IN MEDICAL EXAMINER-RULED CASES

DISTRICT OF RESIDENCE (Where decedent resided)

Co Council District 2015	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	Grand Total
CD1	2	6	8	5	8	9	9	47
CD2	9	13	17	12	26	26	16	119
CD3	13	16	20	36	49	43	26	203
CD4	5	5	8	19	16	12	17	82
CD5	3	3	4	7	9	10	10	46
CD6	3	7	3	5	7	5	11	41
CD7	7	11	13	21	24	21	24	121
CD8	3	8	10	10	14	20	14	79
CD9	1	1	8	3	5	4	9	31
CD10	7	7	3	5	4	12	13	51
CD11	4	5	5	12	8	9	10	53
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CLE unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Out of County	8	9	8	26	24	27	25	127
Grand Total	65	91	107	161	194	198	184	1000

DISTRICT OF INCIDENCE (where injury occurred)

Co Council District 2015	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	Grand Total
CD1	2	6	5	5	6	5	9	38
CD2	5	11	14	10	14	21	17	92
CD3	9	13	22	28	33	32	30	167
CD4	4	2	5	13	14	8	14	60
CD5	5	1	2	6	4	4	6	28
CD6	2	6	4	3	4	2	7	28
CD7	7	10	11	17	19	17	19	100
CD8	3	9	9	7	10	13	15	66
CD9	1	1	5	3	5	3	8	26
CD10	2	6	4	6	3	7	11	39
CD11	2	4	6	10	12	8	11	53
Unknown	19	18	20	53	36	58	23	227
CLE unknown	0*	0*	0*	0*	24	14	10	48
Out of County	4	4	0	0	10	6	4	28
Grand Total	65	91	107	161	194	198	184	1000

** previously included in overall unknown total*

NOTE 1: Difference between residence and incidence - While these places do overlap at times, there are a number of out of county residents and those where the incidence takes place out of county but decedent was transported IN county for hospitalization prior to death.

NOTE 2: Heroin-related deaths - Meaning that heroin was either the cause, or a contributing factor in the cause of death.

NOTE 3: Medical Examiner-ruled case - Cases are only those that have been ruled upon by the Medical Examiner's Office. They do include cases from residents and incidents that originated outside of Cuyahoga County but because the decedent dies with the borders of Cuyahoga County, they become the jurisdiction of the Cuyahoga County Medical Examiner.