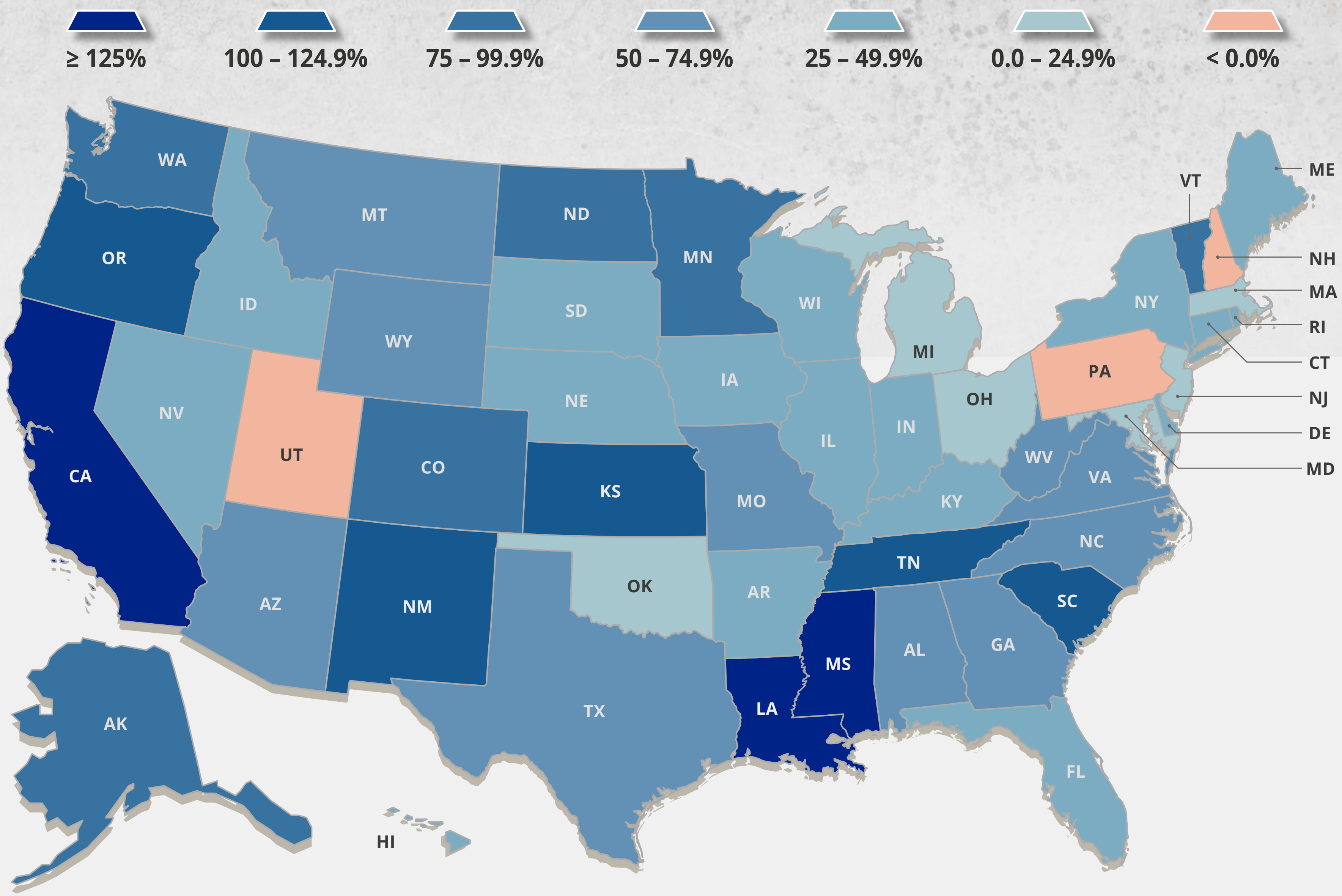


Drug Overdoses Deaths Have Increased the Most

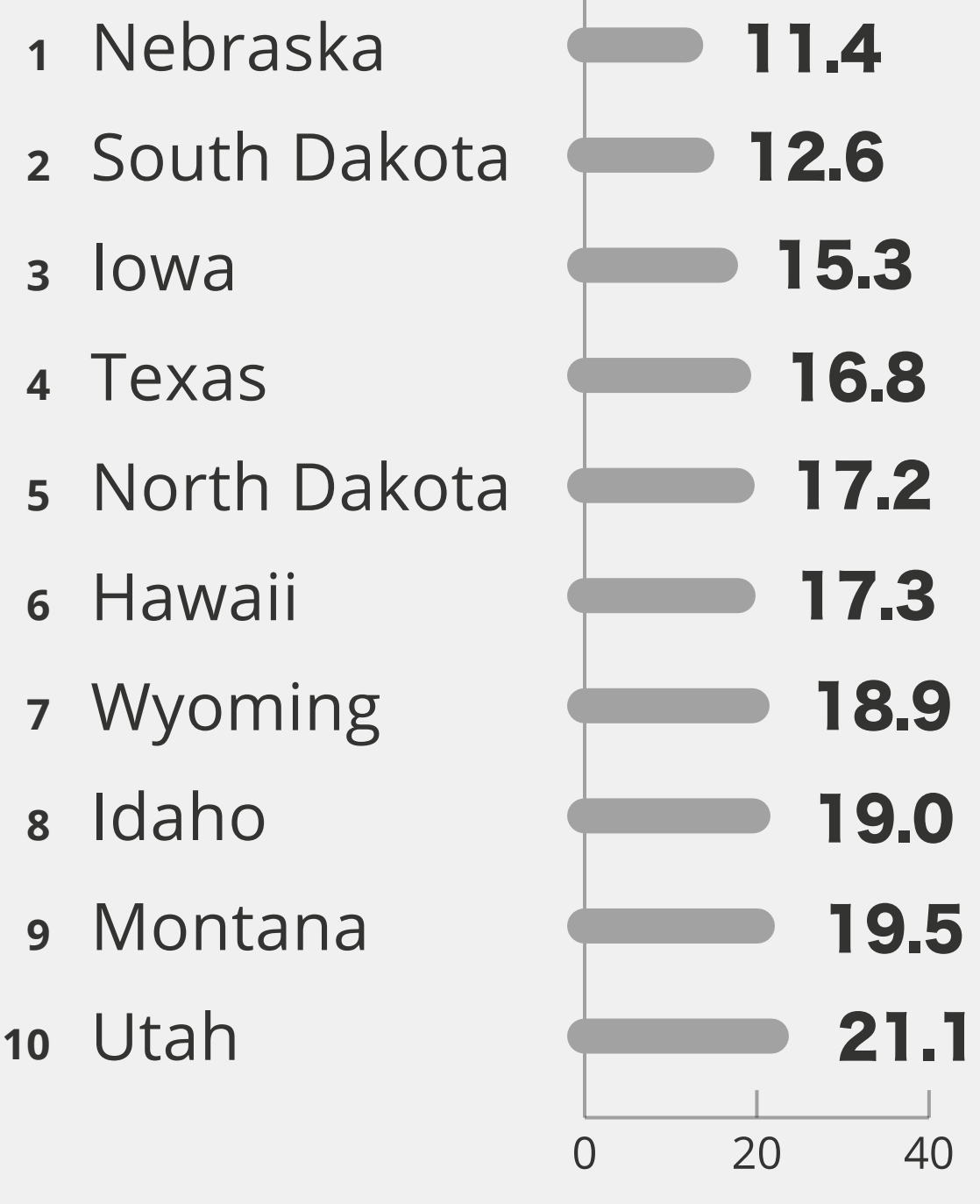
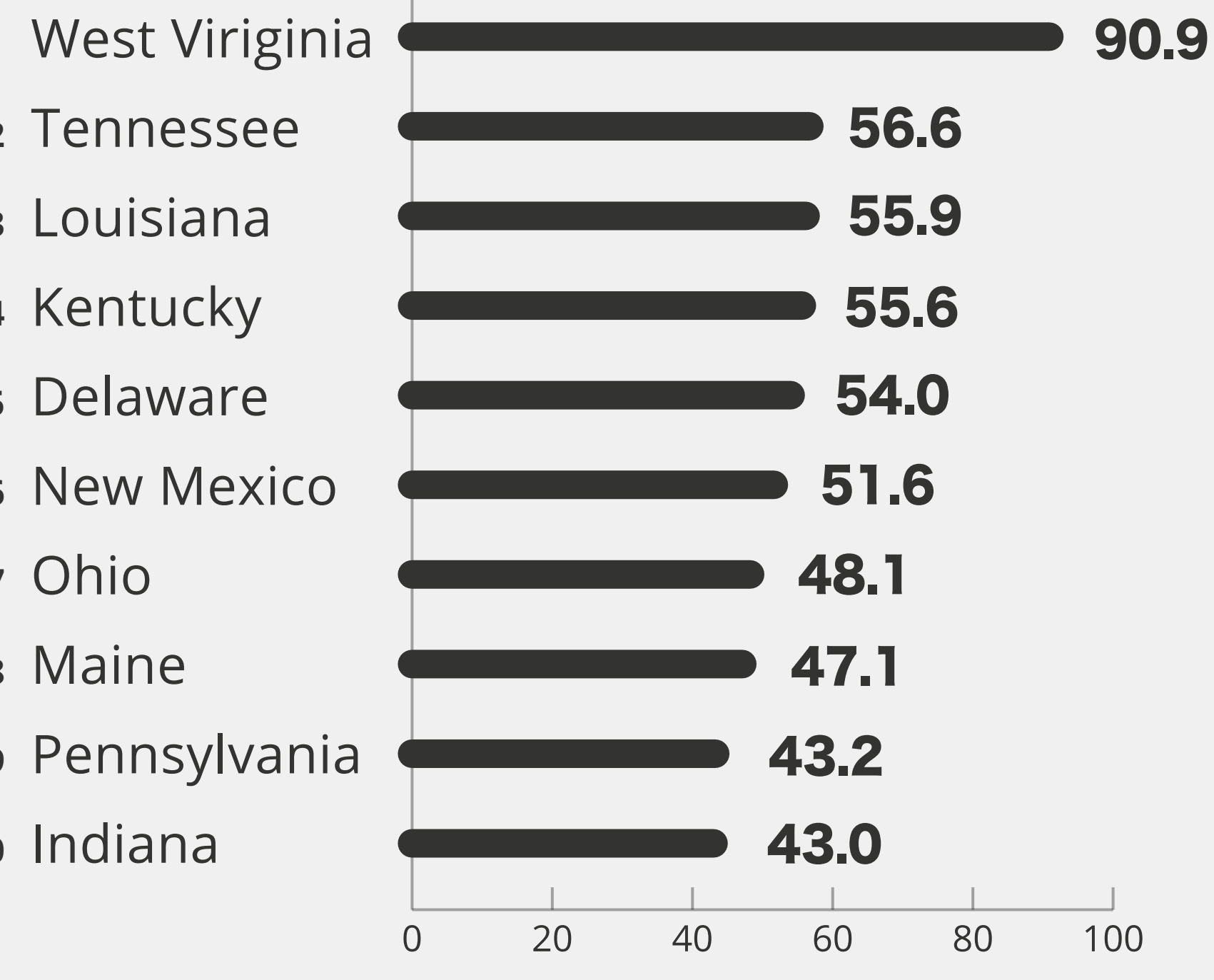
Based on the percentage change of drug overdose deaths per 100,000 people from 2017 to 2021



State	Drug Overdose Rate		Percentage Change
	2017	2021	
1 Mississippi	12.2	28.4	132.79%
2 Louisiana	24.5	55.9	128.16%
3 California	11.7	26.6	127.35%
4 Oregon	12.4	26.8	116.13%
5 Tennessee	26.6	56.6	112.78%
6 South Carolina	20.5	42.8	108.78%
7 New Mexico	24.8	51.6	108.06%
8 Kansas	11.8	24.3	105.93%
9 North Dakota	9.2	17.2	86.96%
10 Washington	15.2	28.1	84.87%
11 Minnesota	13.3	24.5	84.21%
12 Vermont	23.2	42.3	82.33%
13 Colorado	17.6	31.4	78.41%
14 Alaska	20.2	35.6	76.24%
15 Arizona	22.2	38.7	74.32%
16 Virginia	17.9	30.5	70.39%
17 Alabama	18	30.1	67.22%
18 Montana	11.7	19.5	66.67%
19 North Carolina	24.1	39.2	62.66%
20 Texas	10.5	16.8	60%
21 Georgia	14.7	23.5	59.86%
22 West Virginia	57.8	90.9	57.27%
23 Missouri	23.4	36.5	55.98%
24 Wyoming	12.2	18.9	54.92%
25 Kentucky	37.2	55.6	49.46%
26 Florida	25.1	37.5	49.4%
27 Wisconsin	21.2	31.6	49.06%
28 South Dakota	8.5	12.6	48.24%
29 New York	19.4	28.7	47.94%
30 Indiana	29.4	43	46.26%
31 Delaware	37	54	45.95%
32 Arkansas	15.5	22.3	43.87%
33 Nebraska	8.1	11.4	40.74%
34 Maine	34.4	47.1	36.92%
35 Connecticut	30.9	42.3	36.89%
36 Nevada	21.6	29.2	35.19%
37 Rhode Island	31	41.7	34.52%
38 Illinois	21.6	29	34.26%
39 Iowa	11.5	15.3	33.04%
40 Idaho	14.4	19	31.94%
41 Hawaii	13.8	17.3	25.36%
42 Oklahoma	20.1	24.4	21.39%
43 Maryland	36.3	42.8	17.91%
44 Massachusetts	31.8	36.8	15.72%
45 Michigan	27.8	31.5	13.31%
46 New Jersey	30	32.4	8%
47 Ohio	46.3	48.1	3.89%
48 Pennsylvania	44.3	43.2	-2.48%
49 Utah	22.3	21.1	-5.38%
50 New Hampshire	37	32.3	-12.7%

States With the Highest Rates of Drug Overdose Deaths per 100,000

States With the Lowest Rates of Drug Overdose Deaths per 100,000



Sources: https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/pressroom/sosmap/drug_poisoning_mortality/drug_poisoning.htm