
BC's Opioid Overdose Response Strategy

Presented to Vancouver City Council

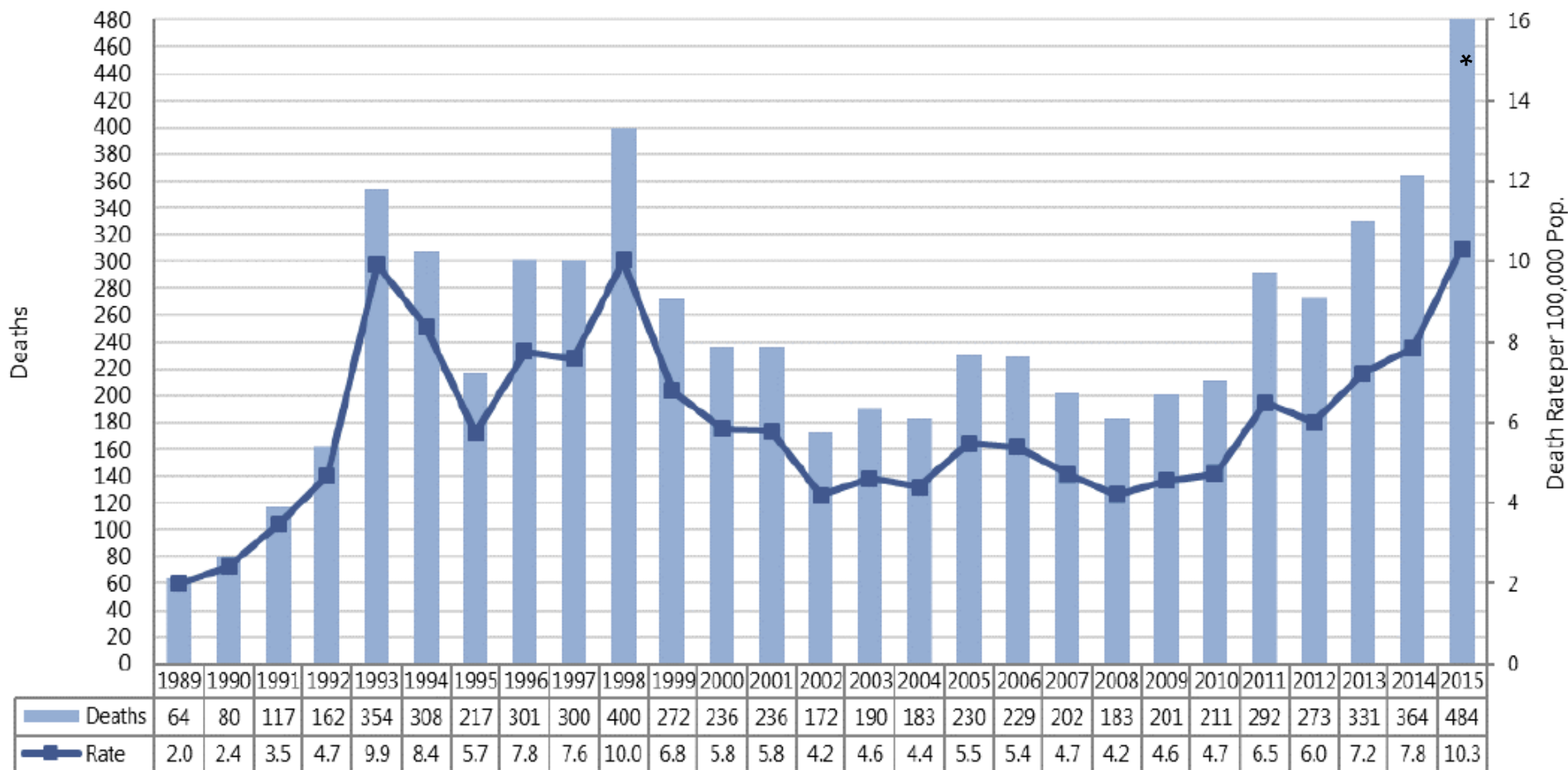
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Illicit overdose deaths and rate per 100,000



* Provisional - subject to change as cases closed

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2016 Jan-May 31 (i.e. 5/12) = 308

Illicit Drug Overdose Deaths by Region, 2007-2016*

Region	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016*
Metro	75	60	77	63	93	87	112	127	159 ¹	72 ¹
Fraser	45	51	49	74	99	90	88	113	175	93
Interior	32	20	33	35	37	31	50	45	61	57
Island	36	44	34	24	47	46	59	56	61	66
Northern	14	8	8	15	16	19	22	23	28	20
Total	202	183	201	211	292	273	331	364	484	308

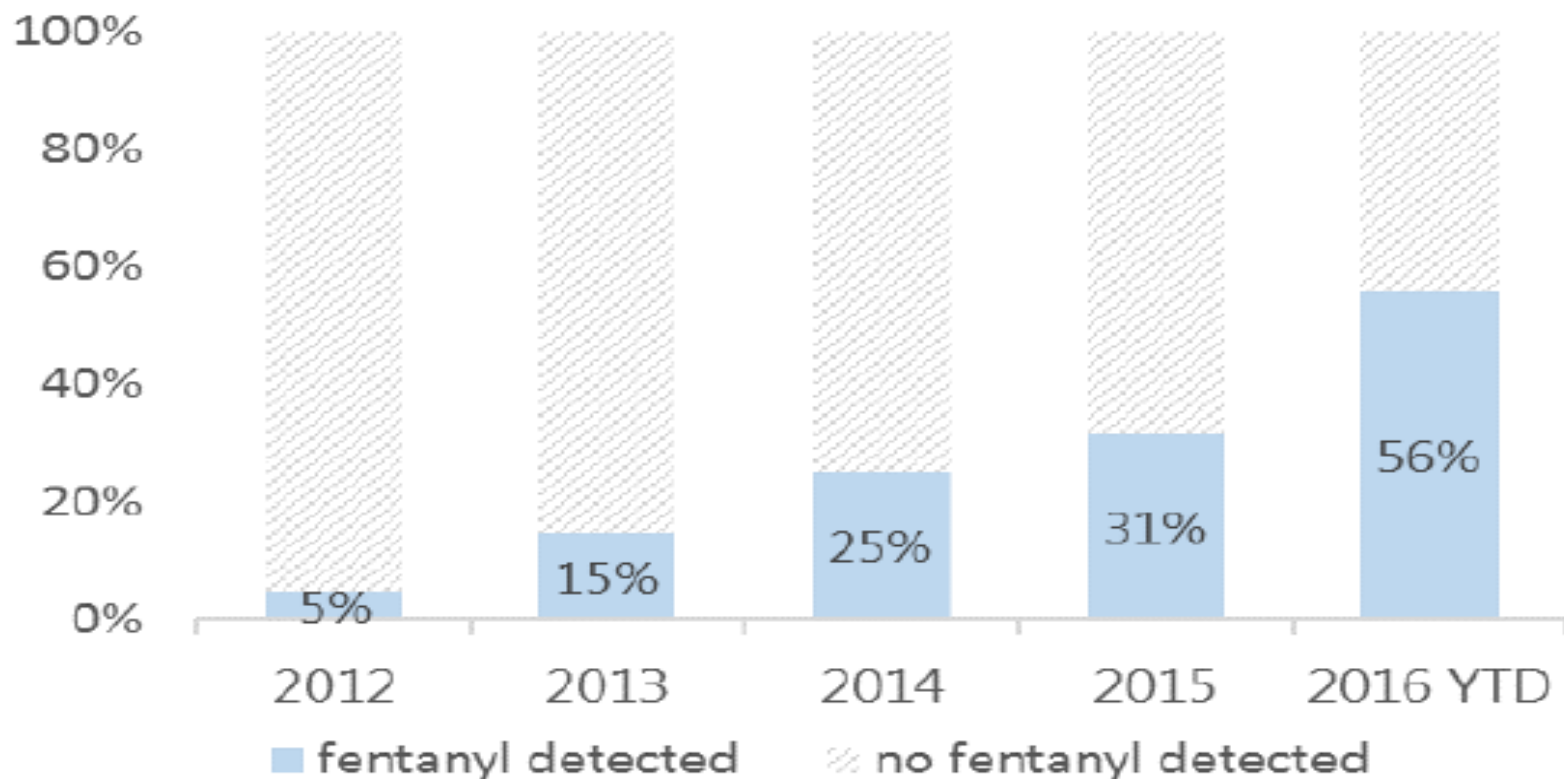
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Percentage of illicit drug deaths in which fentanyl detected



Data to April 30, 2016

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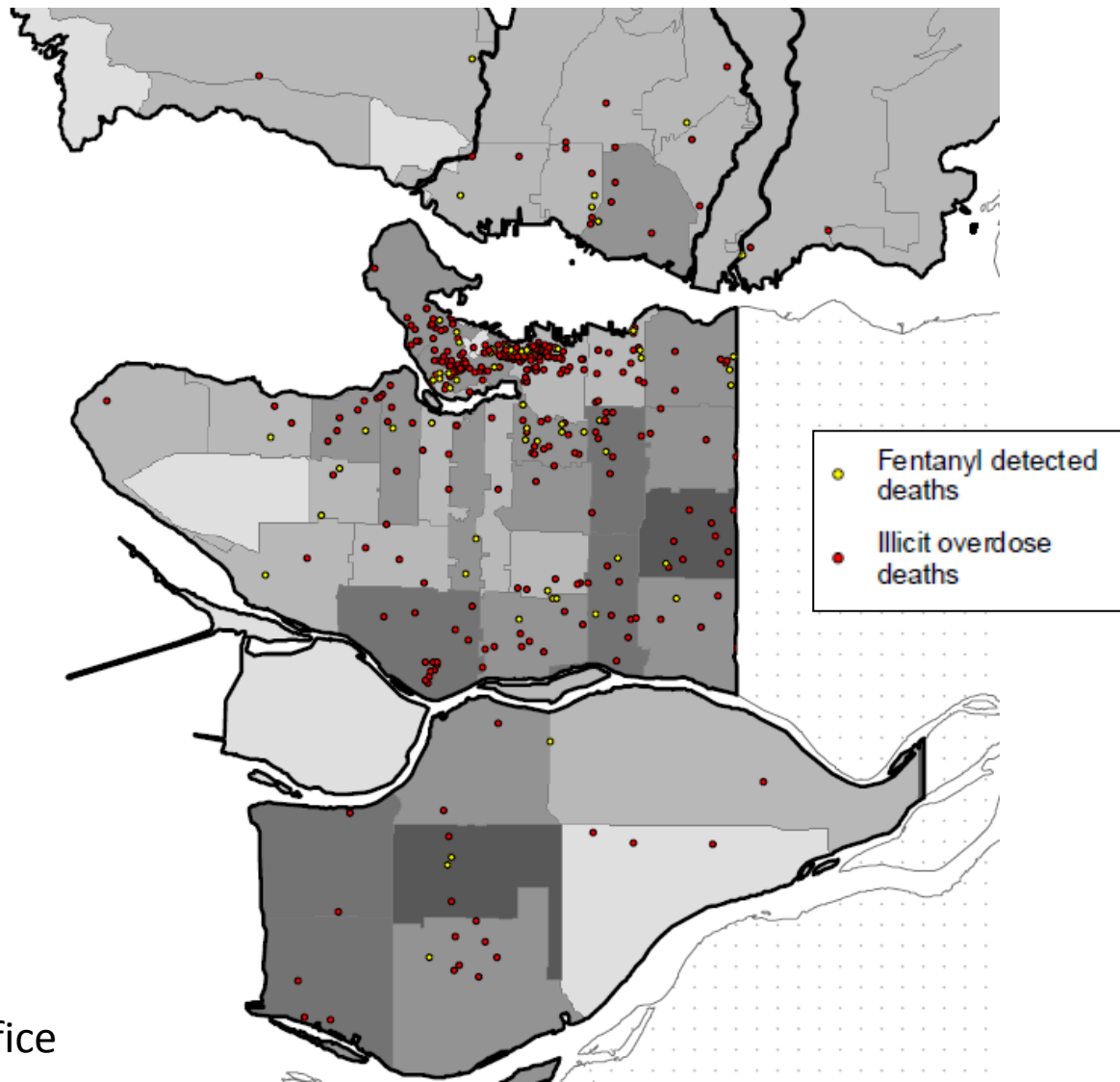
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Location of Illicit Drug Overdose Deaths in Vancouver Coastal Health (2010-2016)

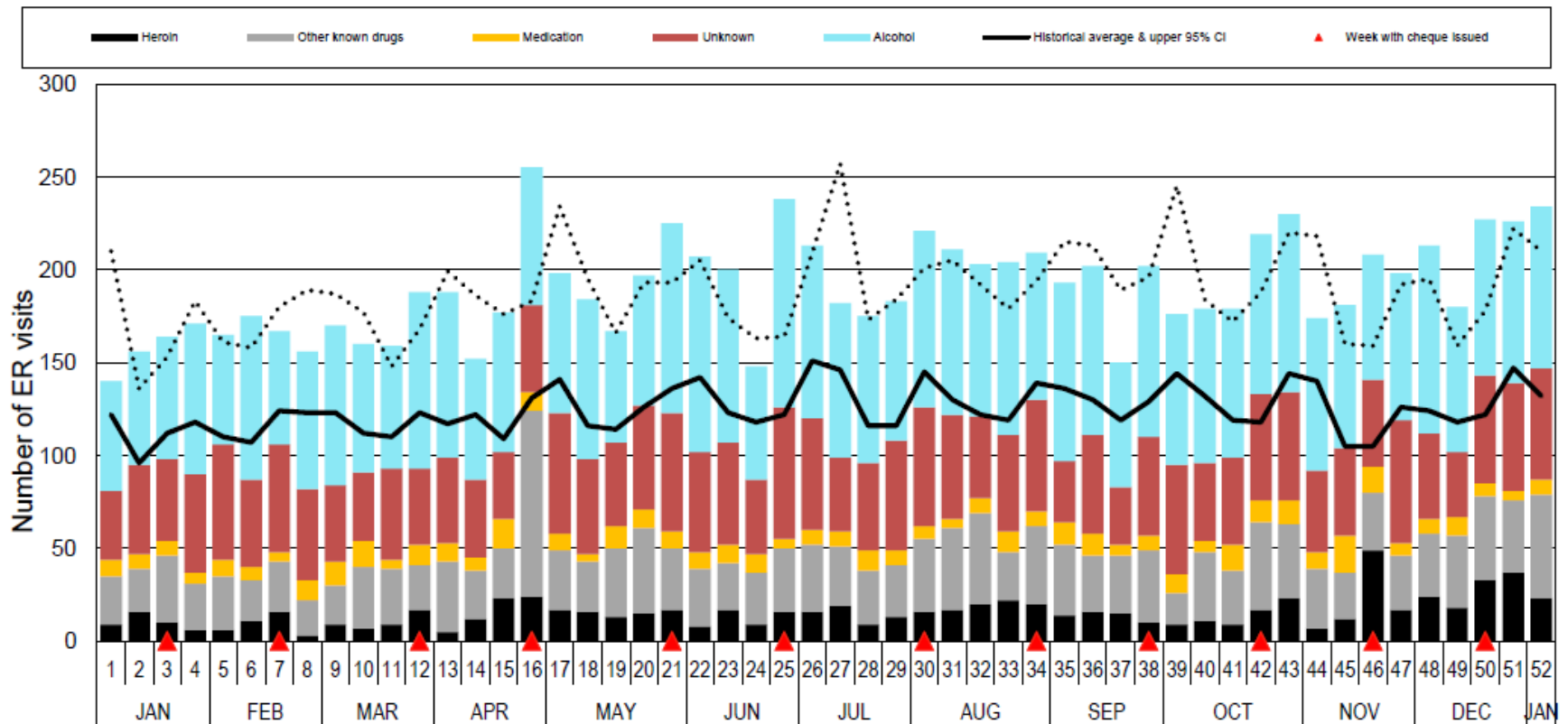


Source: BC Office
of the Chief Coroner

Emergency Room Overdose Visits

Vancouver Coastal Health

Figure 1. Number of ER visits related to overdose* by substance type and epidemiological week. Vancouver Coastal Health, 2015 compared to historical average and 95% confidence limits†



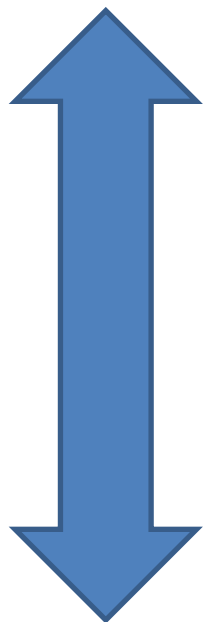
Vancouver Coastal Health Priority Strategy Areas

Prevention

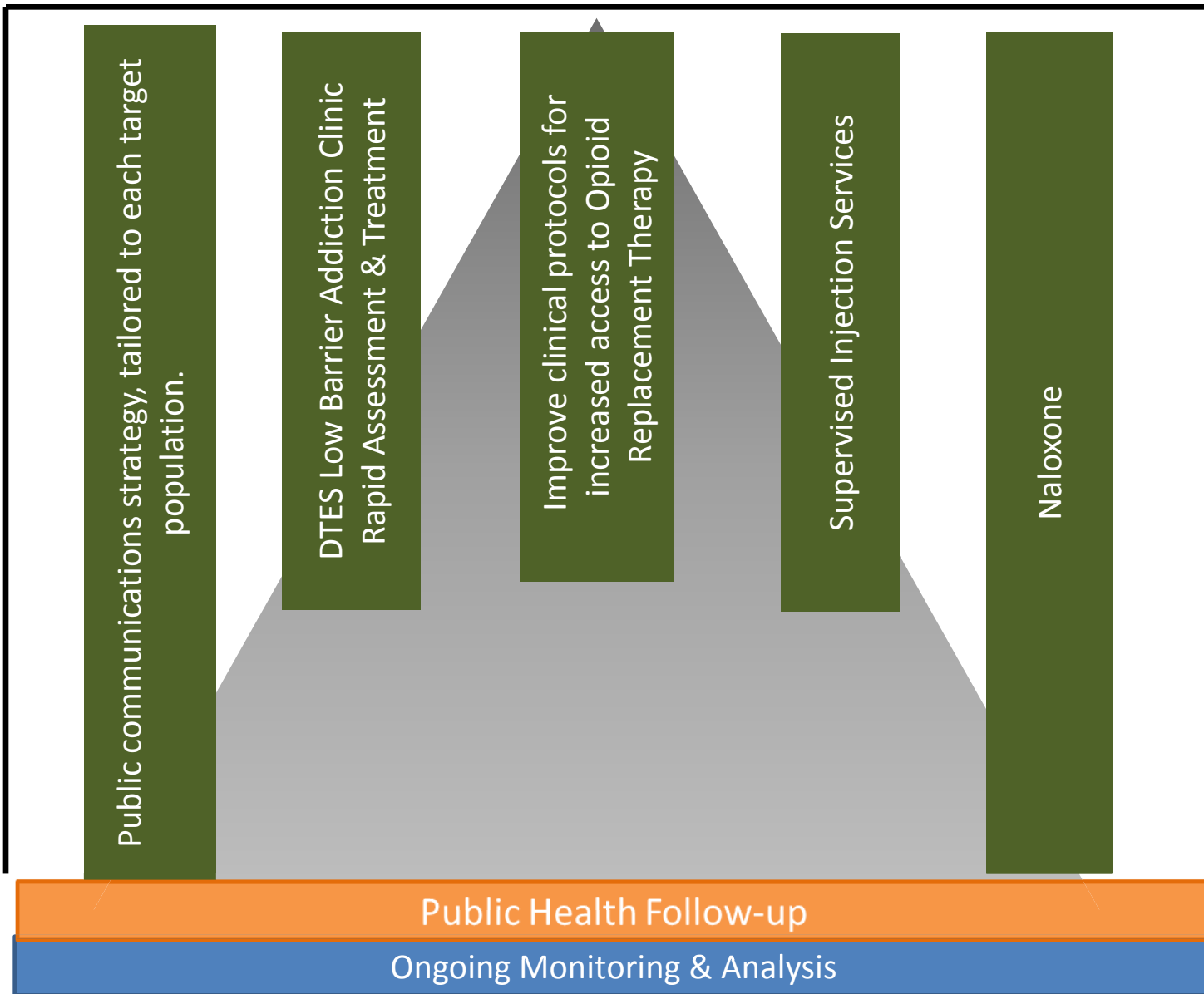
**Addiction
Treatment**

Harm Reduction

**Vulnerable,
complex
chronic use**



**Occasional
use**



Questions

