SYNTHETIC OPIOIDS, INCLUDING FENTANYL, ARE THE

MOST COMMON DRUGS INVOLVED IN OVERDOSE

DEATHS IN THE U.S.

CARFENTANIL, A FENTANYL ANALOG, IS ESTIMATED TO BE

10,000 TIMES

MORE POTENT THAN MORPHINE

IN 2020, MORE THAN

56,000 DEATHS

INVOLVING SYNTHETIC OPIOIDS (OTHER THAN METHADONE) OCCURRED IN THE UNITED STATES

THE RATE OF OVERDOSE DEATHS INVOLVING SYNTHETIC OPIOIDS WAS MORE THAN

18x HIGHER

IN 2020 THAN IN 2013

OVER 150 PEOPLE DIE EVERY DAY

FROM OVERDOSES RELATED TO SYNTHETIC OPIOIDS LIKE FENTANYL

82%

OF ALL OPIOID-INVOLVED DEATHS IN 2020 CONTAINED SYNTHETICS INCLUDING

FENTANYL

107,375 PEOPLE DIED

OF DRUG OVERDOSES AND DRUG POISONINGS FROM JANUARY 2021-22.

67 PERCENT

INVOLVED SYNTHETIC OPIOIDS LIKE FENTANYL

SYNTHETIC OPIOID-INVOLVED DEATH RATES INCREASED BY

OVER 56%

FROM 2019 TO 2020