

TABLE 6-31. Fatal Overdoses and Poisonings by Manner, Type, Sex, Age Groups, Race/ethnicity, and Selected Counties of Residence, Oregon Residents, 2003

Manner and Type of Substance ¹	Total	Sex		Age Groups					
		M	F	0-4	5-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54
Total	703	465	238	1	1	34	69	161	230
Mental and behavioral disorders due to psychoactive substance use	300	221	79	–	–	5	19	50	84
Alcohol ²	191	141	50	–	–	1	2	25	63
Opioids	33	26	7	–	–	4	11	7	11
Cannabinoids	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sedatives and hypnotics	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cocaine	3	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
Other stimulants	2	1	1	–	–	–	1	1	–
Hallucinogens	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tobacco ³	36	21	15	–	–	–	–	1	2
Volatile solvents	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other (multiple) psychoactive substances	35	29	6	–	–	–	5	16	7
Unintentional overdoses/poisoning	232	146	86	1	1	20	35	58	87
Nonopioid analgesics, antipyretics, etc.	3	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	2
Psychotropic, sedative-hypnotic drugs	22	14	8	–	–	3	5	7	6
Narcotics and hallucinogens ⁴	139	96	43	–	–	12	23	35	56
Other and unspecified drugs ⁵	55	27	28	–	–	3	7	13	21
Alcohol	4	2	2	–	–	–	–	2	1
Organic solvents & halogenated HC ⁶	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Carbon monoxide & other gases	6	4	2	1	1	2	–	1	1
Pesticides	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other chemicals & substances	3	2	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Intentional self-poisoning	116	68	48	–	–	6	8	35	36
Nonopioid analgesics, antipyretics, etc.	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Psychotropic, sedative-hypnotic drugs	26	14	12	–	–	2	1	7	8
Narcotics and hallucinogens ⁴	14	10	4	–	–	–	1	4	5
Other and unspecified drugs ⁵	45	19	26	–	–	2	4	15	17
Alcohol	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Organic solvents & halogenated HC ⁶	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Carbon monoxide & other gases	29	23	6	–	–	2	2	8	6
Pesticides	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other chemicals & substances	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	1	–
Assault by poisoning	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Undetermined intent	55	30	25	–	–	3	7	18	23
Nonopioid analgesics, antipyretics, etc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Psychotropic, sedative-hypnotic drugs	3	3	–	–	–	1	1	1	–
Narcotics and hallucinogens ⁴	25	16	9	–	–	–	4	8	12
Other and unspecified drugs ⁵	26	11	15	–	–	2	2	9	10
Alcohol	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Organic solvents & halogenated HC ⁶	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
Carbon monoxide & other gases	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pesticides	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other chemicals & substances	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

¹ The distinction between deaths classified to mental and behavioral disorders due to psychoactive substance use versus injury deaths is somewhat factitious. For example, deaths attributed to drug toxicity are classified to the former category while deaths attributed to poisoning are classified as injury deaths. If the certifying physician notes that a death is due to chronic drug abuse, then the death is classified to mental/behavioral disorders, but this may not be done in all applicable cases.

² Most deaths involving abusive alcohol use are attributed to other organ systems (e.g., alcoholic cirrhosis of the liver). See "Alcohol-induced deaths" under "Mental Disorders (F01-F99)" in Table 6-6 for a more inclusive count. Note that this figure, too, is an undercount, as it does not include injury deaths in which alcohol played a critical role (e.g., motor vehicle crashes, homicides).

TABLE 6-31. Fatal Overdoses and Poisonings by Manner, Type, Sex, Age Groups, Race/ethnicity, and Selected Counties of Residence, Oregon Residents, 2003— Continued

Age Groups				Race/ethnicity					Residence County			
55-64	65-74	75-84	85+	White	Black	Indian	Other	Hispanic ⁷	Clack	Lane	Mult	Wash
114	47	31	15	671	11	17	4	15	56	64	214	53
66	40	25	11	285	4	9	2	8	25	24	100	22
52	28	18	2	181	1	8	1	3	14	21	55	17
-	-	-	-	31	-	1	1	2	4	-	21	1
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	11	6	8	36	-	-	-	1	5	1	8	2
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	1	1	1	34	1	-	-	2	2	2	13	2
25	2	1	2	220	6	5	1	4	18	20	77	19
1	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
1	-	-	-	21	1	-	-	-	-	4	6	2
13	-	-	-	132	3	3	1	3	10	12	51	13
8	2	-	1	52	2	1	-	1	5	4	16	2
1	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	-	1	1	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
19	5	5	2	113	1	1	1	1	11	9	25	5
1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	1	1	2	25	-	1	-	1	3	4	6	2
3	-	1	-	14	-	-	-	-	2	-	4	-
5	2	-	-	45	-	-	-	-	4	2	8	2
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	2	3	-	27	1	-	1	-	2	3	7	1
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	-	-	-	53	-	2	-	2	2	11	12	7
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-
1	-	-	-	25	-	-	-	1	1	5	5	3
3	-	-	-	25	-	1	-	1	1	5	5	4
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

³ Most deaths resulting from tobacco use were attributed to other organ systems (e.g., lung cancer, emphysema, heart disease). See Tables 6-17 through 6-19 for a more complete account of tobacco-linked deaths.

⁴ Including other drugs acting on the autonomic nervous system.

⁵ Includes deaths resulting from poisoning from multiple substances in more than one category.

⁶ HC = hydrocarbons.

⁷ Hispanic decedents may be of any race; most were white.

- Quantity is zero.