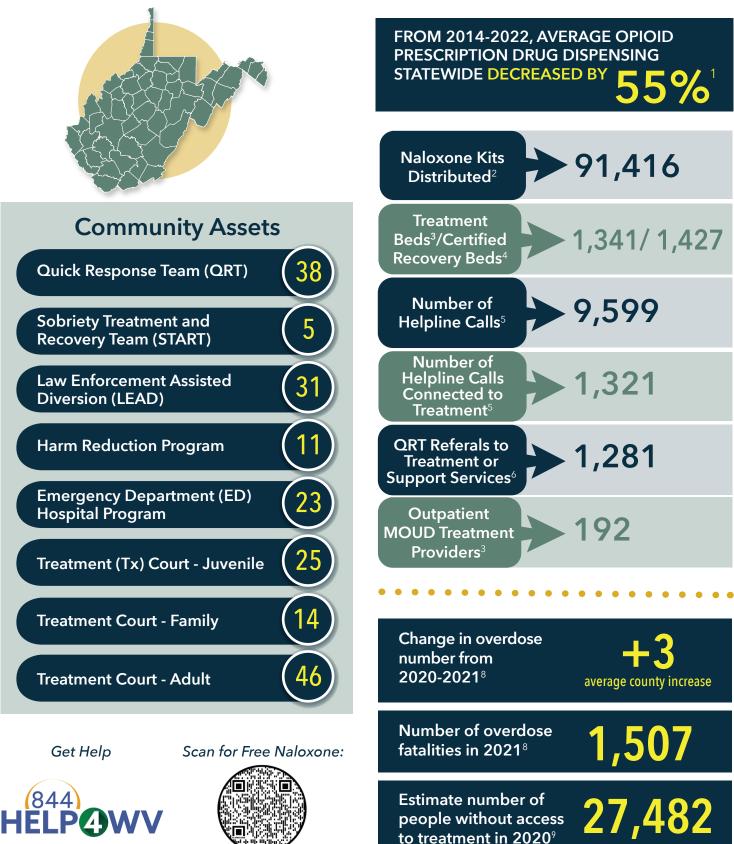
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Acronyms/Definitions

ED - **Emergency Department Hospital Program** - a comprehensive approach to SUD for individuals who present to the ED can include screening, referral to treatment, providing naloxone, and Peer Recovery Support Specialist consult.

HRP - **Harm Reduction Program** - refers to the use of practical strategies and ideas aimed at reducing the negative consequences associated with drug use.

LEAD - Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion - a pre-booking diversion program aimed at diverting low level criminal offenders away from incarceration and into treatment so that they can receive definitive care for their underlying addiction.

MAT/MOUD - Medication-Assisted Treatment/Medications for Opioid Use Disorders - refers to the three U.S. Food and Drug Administration approved medications used to treat opioid use disorder: Methadone, Buprenorphine, and Naltrexone.

QRT - Quick Response Team - teams who contact people within 24-72 hours of an overdose to connect them to treatment and other services.

START - Sobriety Treatment and Recovery Teams - an early intervention program for families affected by substance use disorder

SUD - Substance Use Disorder - the recurrent use of alcohol or drugs causing clinically significant impairment, including health problems, disability, and failure to meet major responsibilities at work, school, or home.

Resources:

DHHR Office of Drug Control Policy: https://dhhr.wv.gov/office-of-drug-control-policy

DHHR Office of Drug Control Policy Data Dashboard: https://bit.ly/ODCPData

Rapid Access to Treatment: 1-844-HELP4WV or https://www.help4wv.com/

Naloxone Access: https://bit.ly/ODPrevention

Urban Institute: https://urbn.is/3nmhl7J

Data Sources:

- (1) West Virginia Board of Pharmacy
- (2) West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources, Bureau for Behavioral Health
- (3) West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources, Bureau for Medical Services
- (4) West Virginia Alliance of Recovery Residences
- (5) First Choice Services, Inc.
- (6) West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources, Bureau for Public Health
- (7) U.S. Census Bureau
- (8) West Virginia Office of the Chief Medical Examiner
- (9) Urban Institute
- (--) Data unavailable at time of report.

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