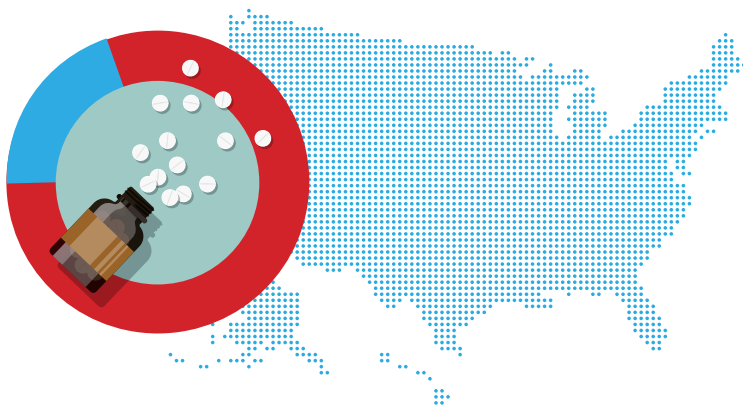


ARKANSAS'S OPIOID CRISIS



The **U.S.**, with **4.6%** of the **WORLD'S POPULATION**, **USES 80%**

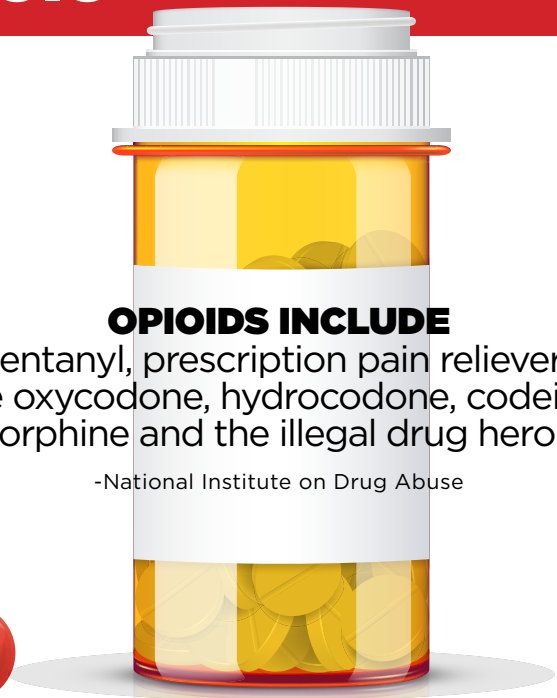
of the world's production of prescription opioids.

-Manchikanti, et al. 2010

OPIOIDS INCLUDE

Fentanyl, prescription pain relievers like oxycodone, hydrocodone, codeine, morphine and the illegal drug heroin.

-National Institute on Drug Abuse



MOST NONMEDICAL USERS OF PRESCRIPTION PAINKILLERS REPORT OBTAINING DRUGS:

- From a friend or relative for free
- Bought from a friend or relative
- Taken without asking is more common among the youngest users, emphasizing the need for locked storage and disposal of unused or expired drugs.

-National Survey on Drug Use and Health

PREVENTION STRATEGIES

IMPROVE PRESCRIBING PRACTICES

Increased use of Prescription Monitoring Programs (PMP) has been shown to reduce some dangerous drug or medicine combinations and prescriptions from multiple prescribers. Prescribing guidelines have reduced excessive prescribing in several states that have implemented them.

INCREASE ACCESS TO NALOXONE

Naloxone can reverse opioid overdose and prevent deaths if administered in time and followed up appropriately.

TALK TO YOUR DOCTOR

Talk to your doctor about the benefits, risks and side effects of using prescription opioids for managing pain. Also, ask your doctor about non-opioid treatment options, including other medications and/or nonpharmacologic options like exercise.

ENCOURAGE SAFE STORAGE AND DISPOSAL OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

Safe, secure storage and drop-off at a Drug-Take-Back collection site reduces the amount of prescription drugs available for use. Go to artakeback.org to find your nearest collection site.

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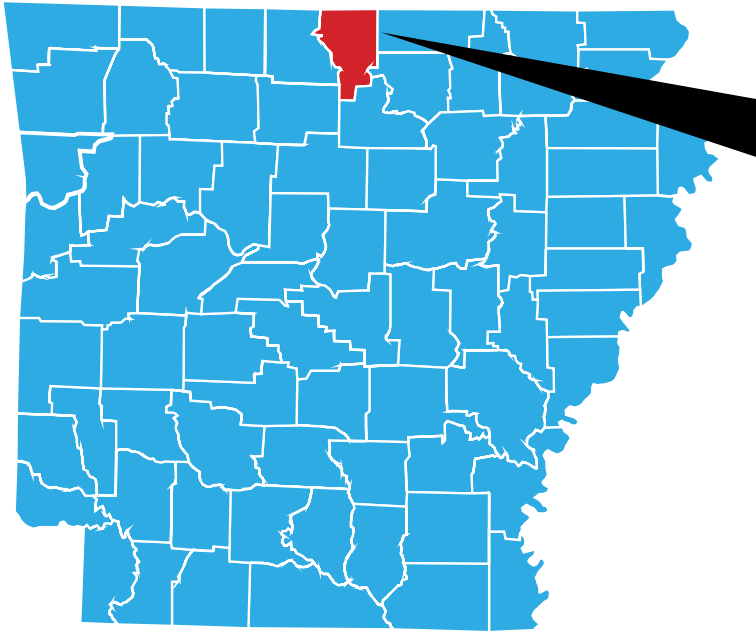
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OPIOIDS IN BAXTER COUNTY



BAXTER COUNTY:

The prescribing rate for Baxter County is 133.4 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 55,168 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12 month period, exceeding the county population of 41,355 residents.

BAXTER COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- Adverse Childhood Experiences
- Depressive Disorder
- Youth Perception of Harm
- Drug Violations
- Drug Poisoning Mortality



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ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN BAXTER COUNTY:

- Walgreens, 350 Hwy 62 E., Mountain Home, AR 72653
- Baxter County Sheriff's Office, 904 Hwy 62 W., Mountain Home, AR 72653
- Mountain Home Police Department, 424 W. 7th St., Mountain Home, AR 72653
- Lakeview Police Department, 14 Skyles Ln., Lakeview, AR 72642

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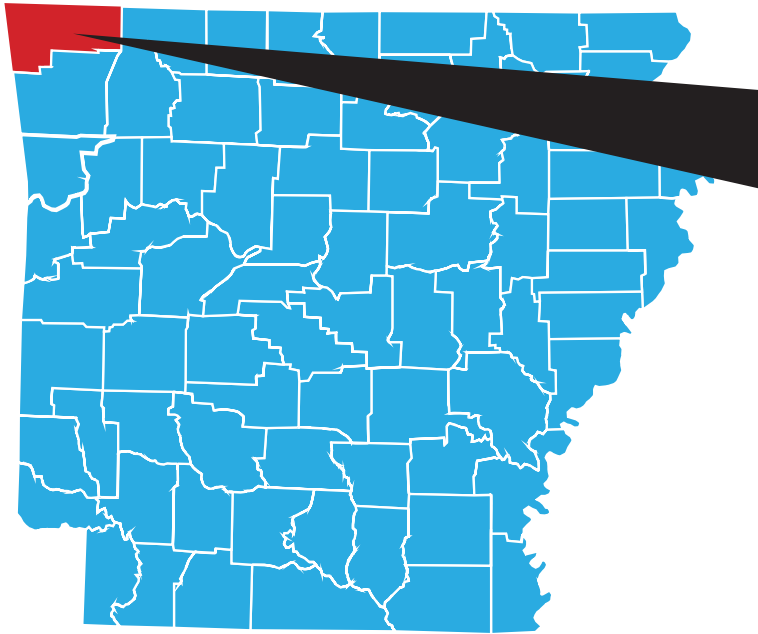
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OPIOIDS IN BENTON COUNTY



BENTON COUNTY:

The filled prescribing rate for Benton County is 71.4 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 197,165 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12-month period for a county population of 276,141 residents.

BENTON COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- High rate of substance abuse arrests
- High rate of depression
- High level of transitions and mobility

ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN BENTON COUNTY:

Pea Ridge Police Department
Bella Vista Police Department
Gravette Police Department
Gentry Police Department
Siloam Springs Police Department
Centerton Police Department
Rogers Police Department
Sam's Club
Little Flock Police Department

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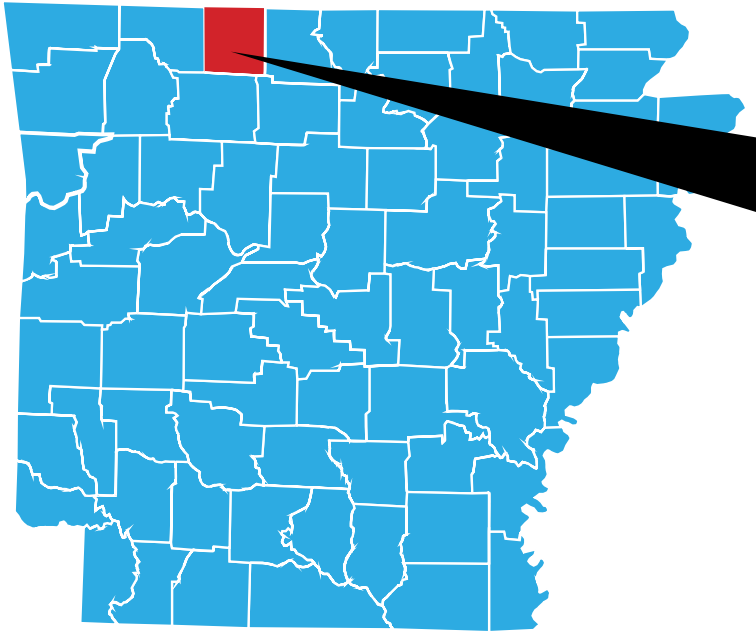
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BOONE COUNTY:

The prescribing rate for Boone County is 141.2 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 52,782 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12 month period, exceeding the county population of 37,381 residents.

BOONE COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- Adverse Childhood Experiences
- Depressive Disorder
- Youth Perception of Harm
- Drug Violations
- Prescribed Opioid



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ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN BOONE COUNTY:

- Harrison Police Department
116 N. Spring Street, Harrison, AR 72601
- Boone County Sheriff's Office
5800 Law Drive, Harrison, AR 72601

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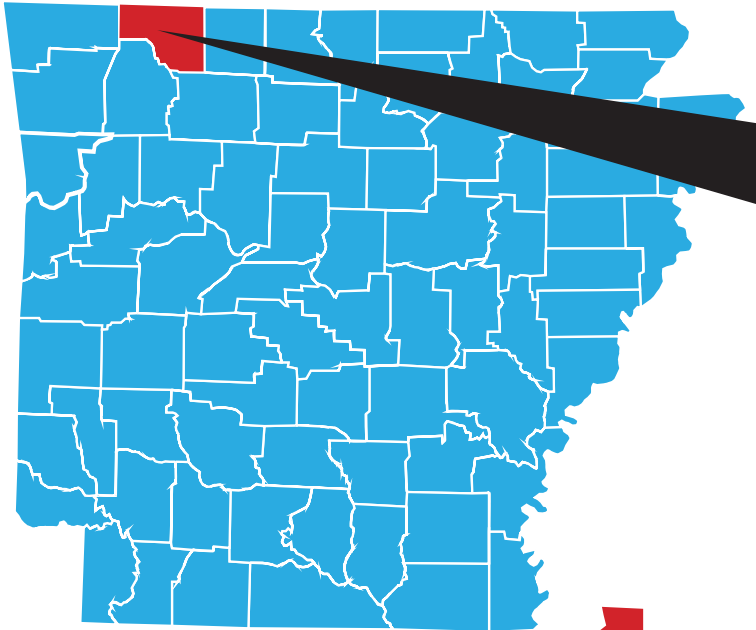
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OPIOIDS IN CARROLL COUNTY



CARROLL COUNTY:

The filled prescribing rate for Carroll County is 95.9 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 27,216 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12-month period for a county population of 28,380 residents.

CARROLL COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- High rate of academic failure
- High rate of substance arrests
- High level of community disorganization
- Family history of anti-social behavior
- High rate of suicide



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ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN CARROLL COUNTY:

Carroll County Sheriff's Office
Eureka Springs Police Department

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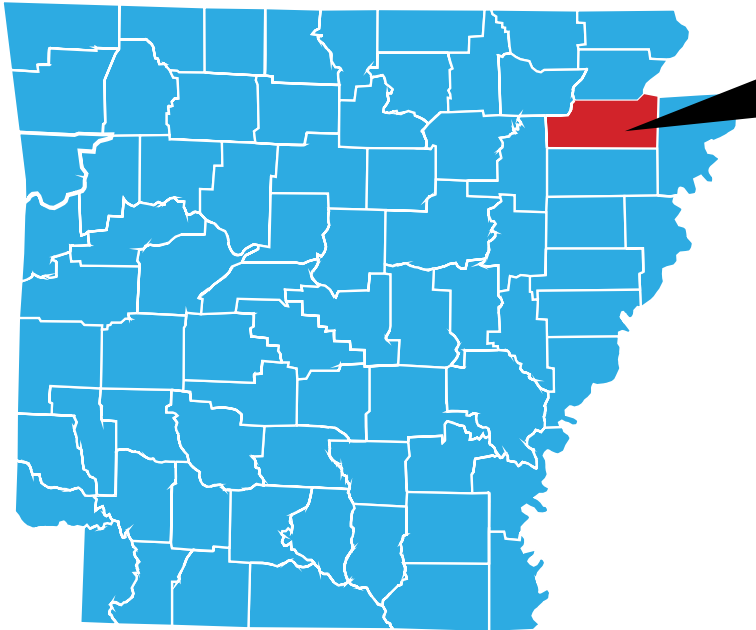
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CRAIGHEAD COUNTY:

The prescribing rate for Craighead County is 141.5 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 151,567 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12-month period, exceeding the county population of 107,115 residents.

CRAIGHEAD COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- Prescribed Opioid
- Drug Overdose Deaths
- Drug Violations
- Drug Poisoning Mortality

ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN CRAIGHEAD COUNTY:

- Jonesboro Police Department, 1001 S. Caraway Rd., Jonesboro, AR 72401
- Bay Police Department, 220 Elder St., Bay, AR 72411
- ASU Police, 2105 Aggie Rd., Jonesboro, AR 72401
- Walgreens, 108 E. Highland Drive, Jonesboro, AR 72401

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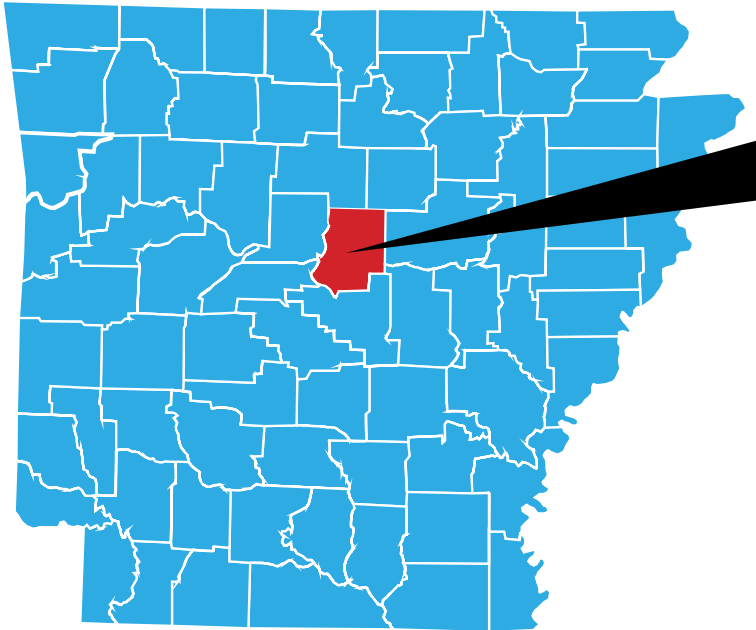
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FAULKNER COUNTY:

The filled prescribing rate for Faulkner County is 78.2 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 98,537 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12-month period for a county population of 126,007 residents.

FAULKNER COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- High rate of substance abuse arrests
- High level of transitions and mobility



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ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN FAULKNER COUNTY:

Conway Behavioral Health
Conway Police Department
Faulkner Circuit Courthouse
UCA Police Department

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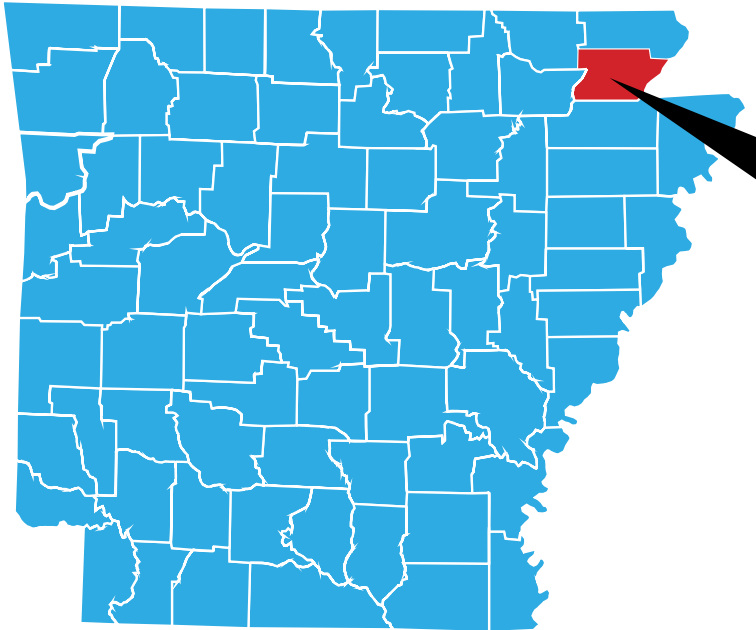
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GREENE COUNTY:

The filled prescribing rate for Greene County is 137.8 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 62,458 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12 month period, exceeding the county population of 45,325 residents.

GREENE COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- High Percentage of Depressive Disorder
- High Number of Naloxone Administered
- High Number of Opioids Prescribed

ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN GREENE COUNTY:

Greene County Sheriff's Office
1809 Rockingchair Road
Paragould, AR 72450

Paragould Police Department
101 N. 3½ Street
Paragould, AR 72450

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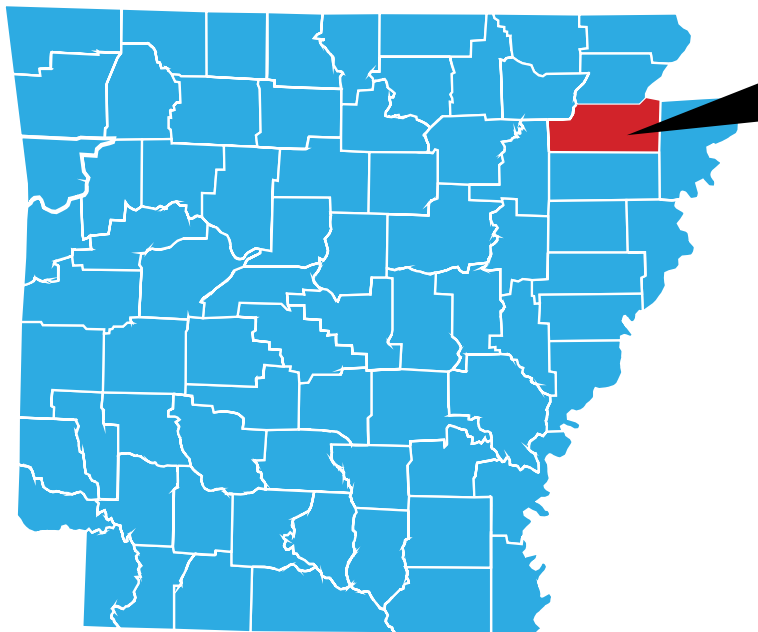
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IZARD COUNTY:

The prescribing rate for IZARD County is 104 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 14,233 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12-month period, exceeding the county population of 13,686 residents.

IZARD COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- Prescribed Opioid
- Adults with four or more Adverse Childhood Experiences
- Drug Violations
- Drug Poisoning Mortality

ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN IZARD COUNTY:

- IZARD County Sheriff's Office
300 Circle Drive, Melbourne 72556
- Horseshoe Bend Station - IZARD County,
204 Commerce St., Horseshoe Bend 72512

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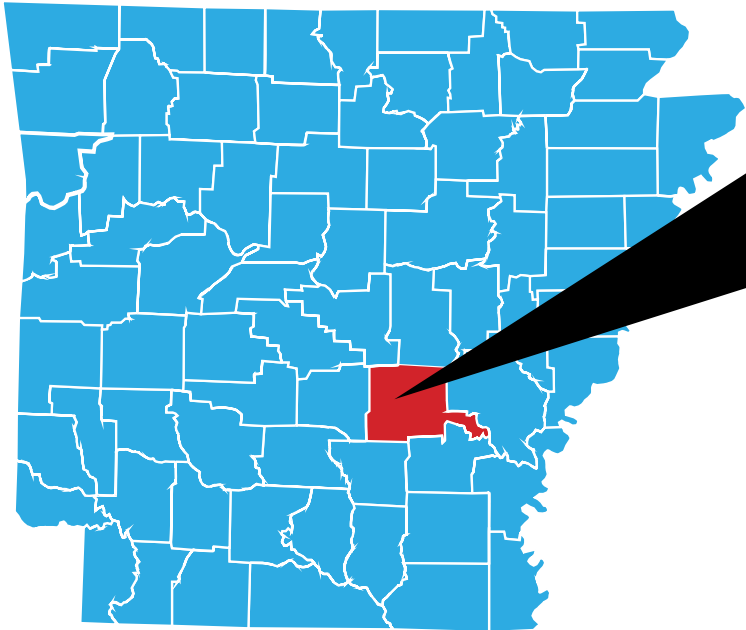
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OPIOIDS IN JEFFERSON COUNTY



JEFFERSON COUNTY:

The filled prescribing rate for Jefferson County is 93.6 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 63,755 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12 month period for a county population of 68,114 residents.

JEFFERSON COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- High Number of Drug Overdose Deaths
- High Percentage of Depressive Disorder

ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN JEFFERSON COUNTY:

White Hall Police Department
8204 Dollarway Road • White Hall, AR 71602

Jefferson County Sheriff's Office
300 E. 2nd Avenue • Pine Bluff, AR 71601

Doctor's Orders Pharmacy
7240 Sheridan Road • White Hall, AR 71602
2302 W. 28th Avenue • Pine Bluff, AR 71603

Walgreens
2503 W. 28th Avenue • Pine Bluff, AR 71603

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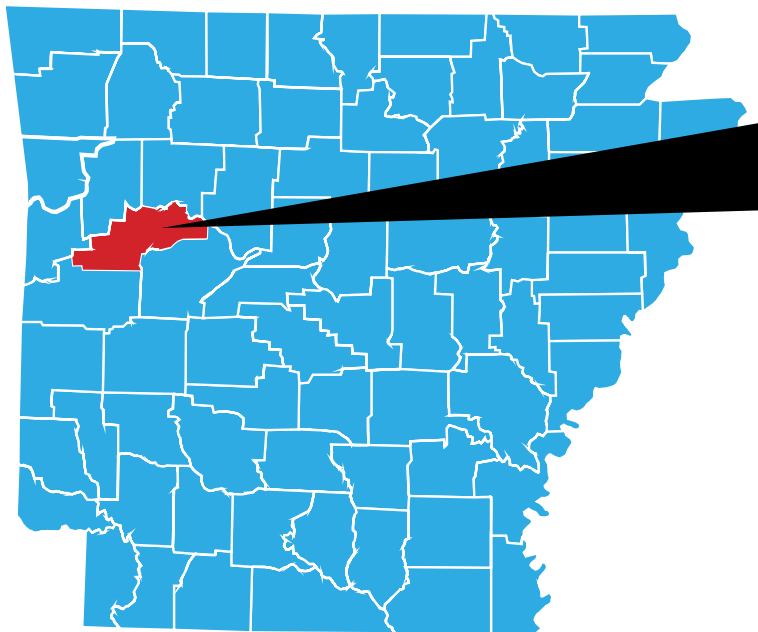
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OPIOIDS IN LOGAN COUNTY



LOGAN COUNTY:

The filled prescribing rate for Logan County is 123.7 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 26,889 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12 month period, exceeding the county population of 21,737 residents.

LOGAN COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- High Number of Drug Overdose Deaths
- High Percentage of Depressive Disorder
- High Number of Naloxone Administrations

ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN LOGAN COUNTY:

Booneville Police Department
497 E. Main Street B
Booneville, AR 72927

Logan County Sheriff's Office
508 W. Grober Street
Paris, AR 72855

Paris Police Department
1810 E. Walnut Street
Paris, AR 72855



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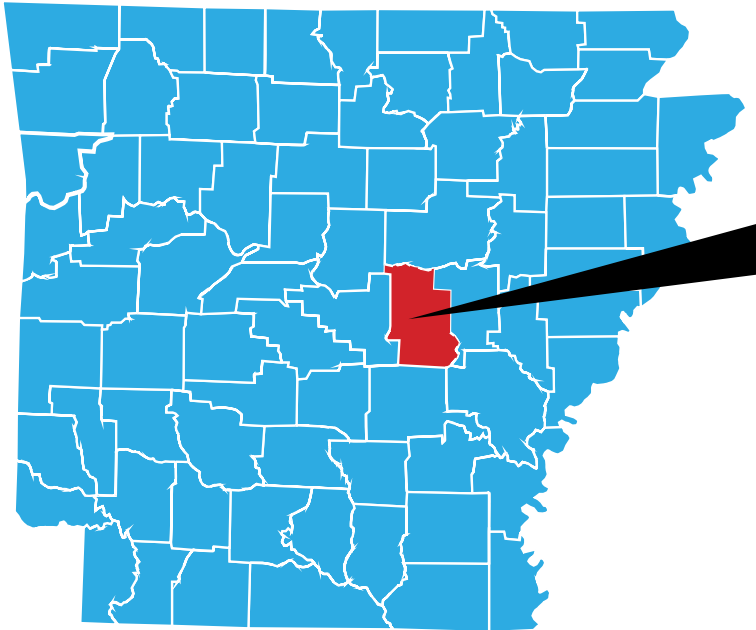
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OPIOIDS IN LONOKE COUNTY



LONOKE COUNTY:

The filled prescribing rate for Lonoke County is 98.9 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 72,503 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12-month period for a county population of 73,309 residents.

LONOKE COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- High rate of suicide
- Youth population has low perception of harm from drug use
- High level of community disorganization
- Family history of anti-social behavior

ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN LONOKE COUNTY:

Cabot Emergency Hospital
Cabot Police Department
Lonoke County Sheriff's Office
Ward Police Department



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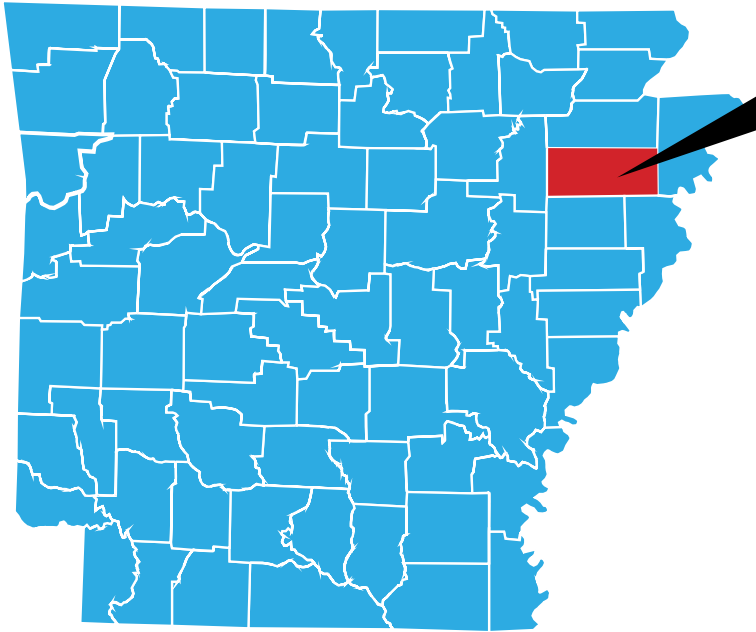
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OPIOIDS IN POINSETT COUNTY



POINSETT COUNTY:

The prescribing rate for Poinsett County is 112.5 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 27,173 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12 month period, almost exceeding the county population of 24,154 residents.

POINSETT COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- Depressive Disorder
- Drug Violations
- Drug Poisoning Mortality

ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN POINSETT COUNTY:

- Harrisburg Police Department, 202 N. East St., Harrisburg, AR 72432
- Poinsett County Sheriff's Office, 1500 Justice Drive, Harrisburg, AR 72432
- Trumann Police Department, 221 Melton Ave., Trumann, AR 72472
- Marked Tree Police Department, 1 Elm St., Marked Tree, AR 72365

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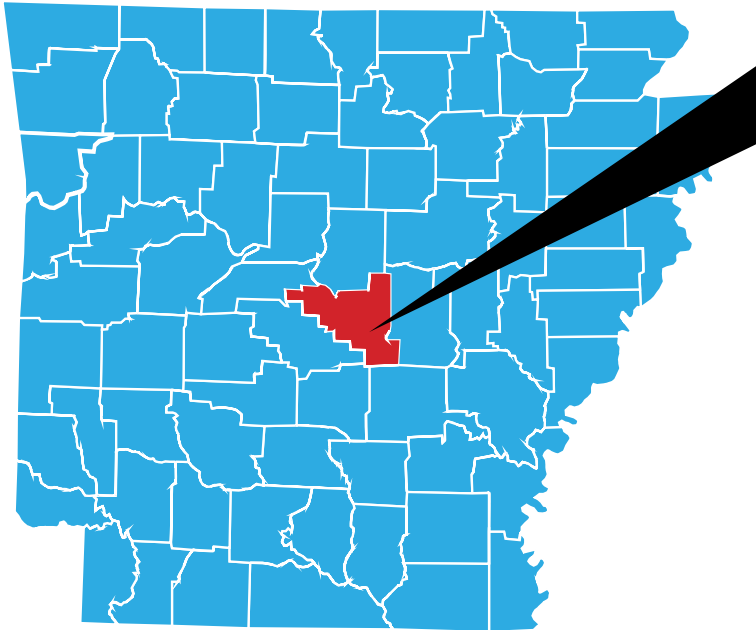
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The prescribing rate for Pulaski County is 98.3 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 387,259 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12 month period, almost exceeding the county population of 393,956 residents.

PULASKI COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- Drug Violations
- Drug Overdose Deaths
- Drug Poisoning Mortality

ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN PULASKI COUNTY:

Pulaski County Sheriff's Office • Little Rock Police Department
North Little Rock Police Department
Jacksonville Police Department • Sherwood Police Department
Cammack Village Police Department
Camp Robinson Department of Public Safety

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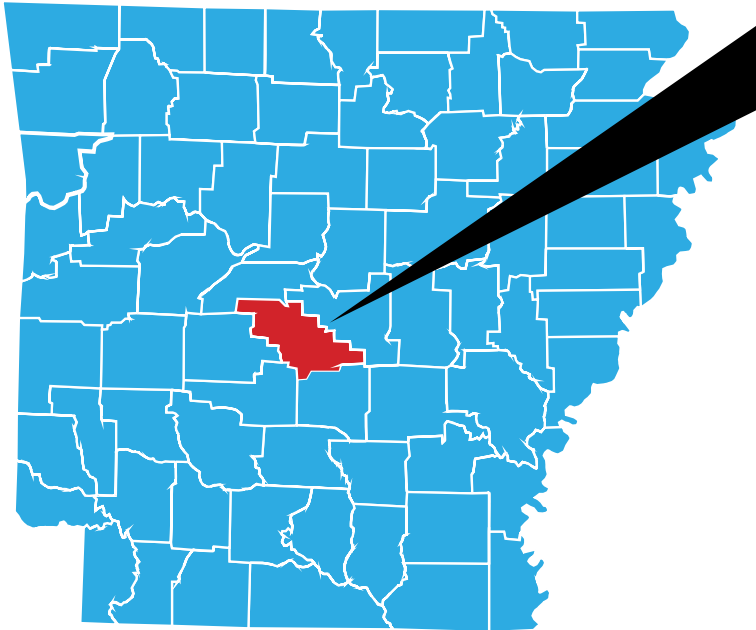
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OPIOIDS IN SALINE COUNTY



SALINE COUNTY:

The prescribing rate for Saline County is 92.7 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 110,612 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12-month period, almost exceeding the county population of 119,323 residents.

SALINE COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- Youth
- Drug Overdose
- Drug Poisoning

ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN SALINE COUNTY:

- Bryant Police Department, 312 Roya Lane, Bryant, AR 72022
- Benton Police Department, 114 S. East St., Benton, AR 72015
- Saline County Sheriff's Office, 735 S. Neeley St., Benton, AR 72015
- Haskell Police Department, 2520 AR-229, Benton, AR 72015
- Alexander Police Department, 15605 Alexander Rd., Alexander, AR 72002

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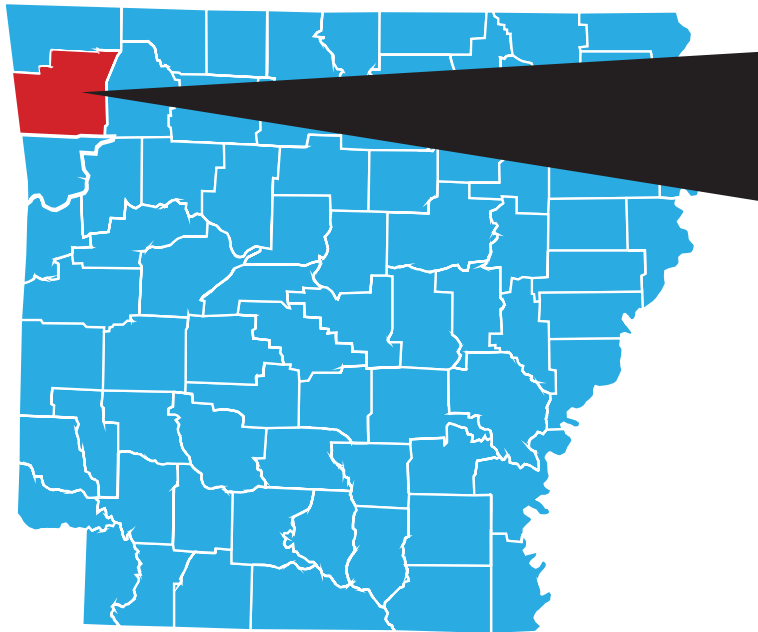
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OPIOIDS IN WASHINGTON COUNTY



WASHINGTON COUNTY:

The filled prescribing rate for Washington County is 77.4 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 183,408 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12 month period for a county population of 236,961 residents.

WASHINGTON COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- High Percentage of Depressive Disorder
- High Number of Naloxone Administrations

ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN WASHINGTON COUNTY:

Elkins Police Department
Farmington Police Department
Goshen Police Department
Lincoln Police Department
Prairie Grove Police Department
Tontitown Police Department
University of Arkansas Police Department
VA Medical Center - Washington County Sheriff's Office
Washington County Courthouse
Washington County Sheriff's Office
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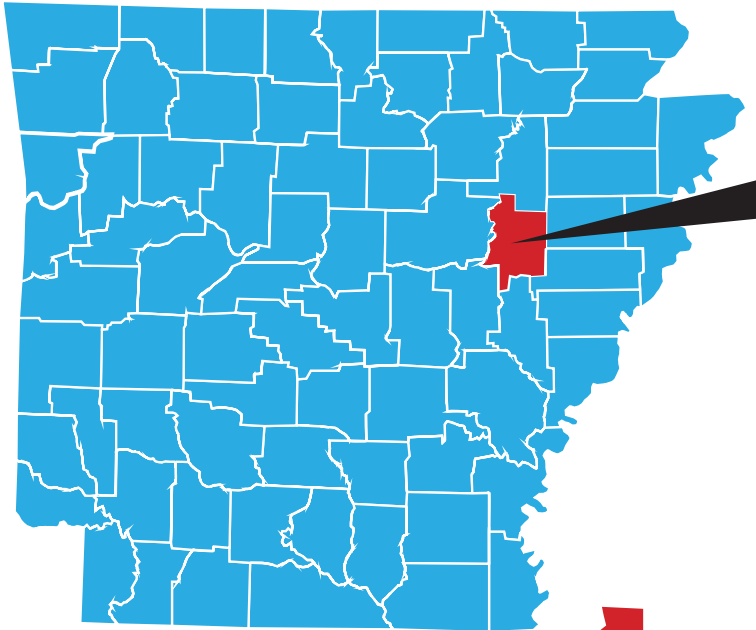
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OPIOIDS IN WOODRUFF COUNTY



WOODRUFF COUNTY:

The filled prescribing rate for Woodruff County is 125.5 opioid prescriptions per 100 residents each year. 7,932 opioid prescriptions were written during a 12-month period for a county population of 6,320 residents.

WOODRUFF COUNTY RANKS AS A TOP-RISK COUNTY FOR:

- High rate of academic failure
- High perception of drug availability
- High level of community disorganization
- Family history of anti-social behavior
- Large number of children in foster care



PEOPLE DIE EVERY DAY

from opioid-related drug overdoses.

- National Institute of Health, 2017



ARKANSAS TAKE BACK COLLECTION SITES IN WOODRUFF COUNTY:

Woodruff County Sheriff's Office
McCrary Police Department

Additional locations can be found online:

WWW.ARTAKEBACK.ORG

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IN THE NATION FOR PER CAPITA PAINKILLER PRESCRIPTIONS,
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