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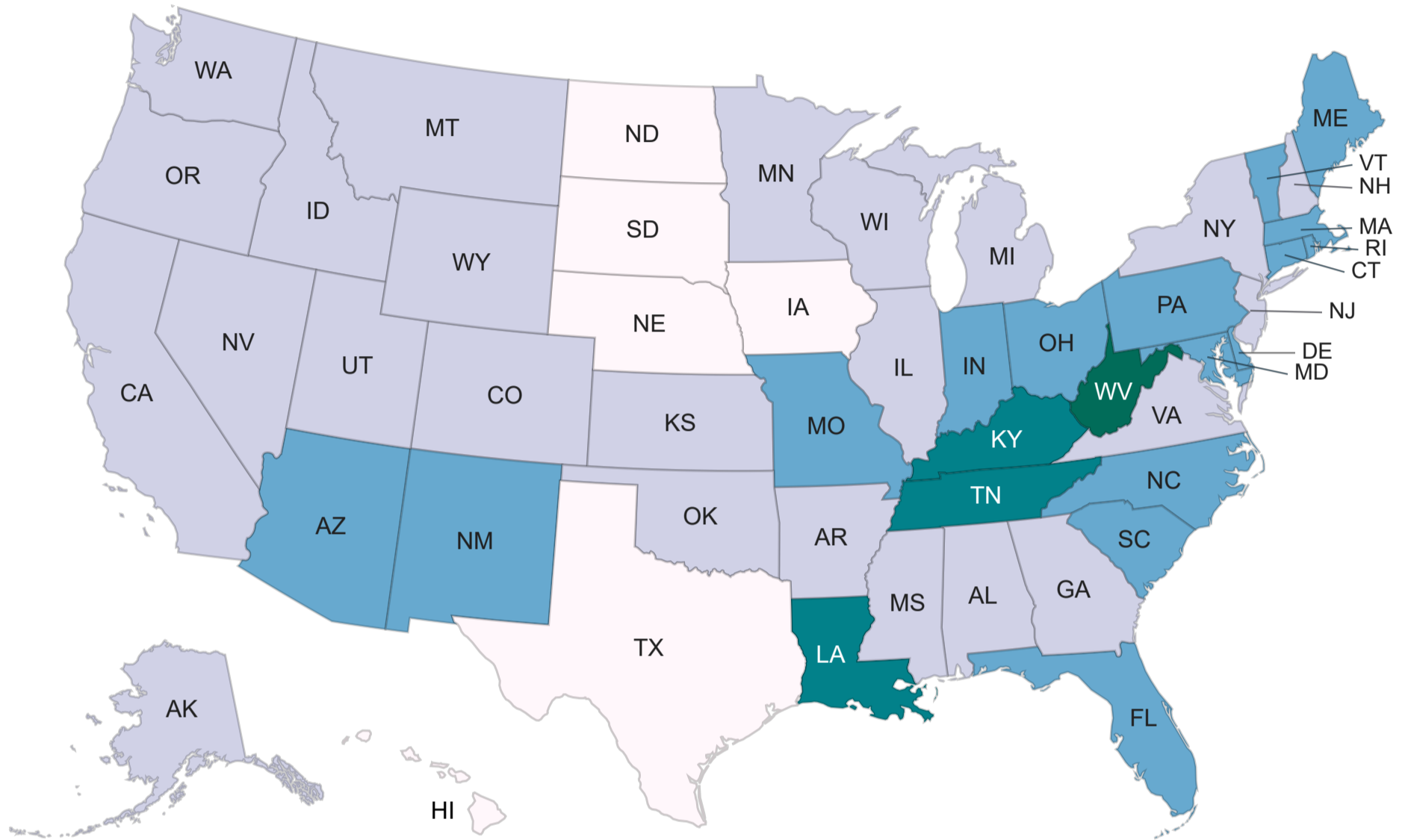
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Drug Overdose Mortality by State

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Year

2021 ▾



Age-Adjusted Death Rates¹

- 0 - < 18.18
- 18.18 - < 36.36
- 36.36 - < 54.54
- 54.54 - < 72.72
- 72.72 - 90.9

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Location	Death Rate (Click for Rankings)	Deaths
Alaska	35.6	260
Alabama	30.1	1,408
Arkansas	22.3	637
Arizona	38.7	2,730
California	26.6	10,901
Colorado	31.4	1,887
Connecticut	42.3	1,552
Delaware	54	513
Florida	37.5	7,827
Georgia	23.5	2,500
Hawaii	17.3	269
Iowa	15.3	475
Idaho	19	354
Illinois	29	3,762
Indiana	43	2,811
Kansas	24.3	680
Kentucky	55.6	2,381

Location	Death Rate (Click for Rankings)	Deaths
Louisiana	55.9	2,463
Massachusetts	36.8	2,585
Maryland	42.8	2,737
Maine	47.1	611
Michigan	31.5	3,089
Minnesota	24.5	1,356
Missouri	36.5	2,155
Mississippi	28.4	787
Montana	19.5	199
North Carolina	39.2	3,981
North Dakota	17.2	124
Nebraska	11.4	214
New Hampshire	32.3	441
New Jersey	32.4	3,056
New Mexico	51.6	1,052
Nevada	29.2	949
New York	28.7	5,842
Ohio	48.1	5,397
Oklahoma	24.4	960
Oregon	26.8	1,171
Pennsylvania	43.2	5,449
Rhode Island	41.7	455
South Carolina	42.8	2,138
South Dakota	12.6	105
Tennessee	56.6	3,813
Texas	16.8	4,984
Utah	21.1	662
Virginia	30.5	2,626
Vermont	42.3	252
Washington	28.1	2,264
Wisconsin	31.6	1,775
West Virginia	90.9	1,501
Wyoming	18.9	109

¹ The number of deaths per 100,000 total population.

Source: <http://wonder.cdc.gov>

States are categorized from highest rate to lowest rate. Although adjusted for differences in age-distribution and population size, rankings by state do not take into account other state specific population characteristics that may affect the level of mortality. When the number of deaths is small, rankings by state may be unreliable due to instability in death rates.

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