

RESPONDING TO THE OPIOID CRISIS

SUPPORT FOR PEOPLE WITH OPIOID USE DISORDER



The opioid crisis has highlighted the widespread over-use of opioids across the nation. Older adults are especially vulnerable to the adverse effects of opioids due to the metabolic changes that come with age combined with risks inherent in polypharmacy. We want to support you in your efforts to help those who need it most.

Share Your Interventions!

Opioid Dispensing Rates

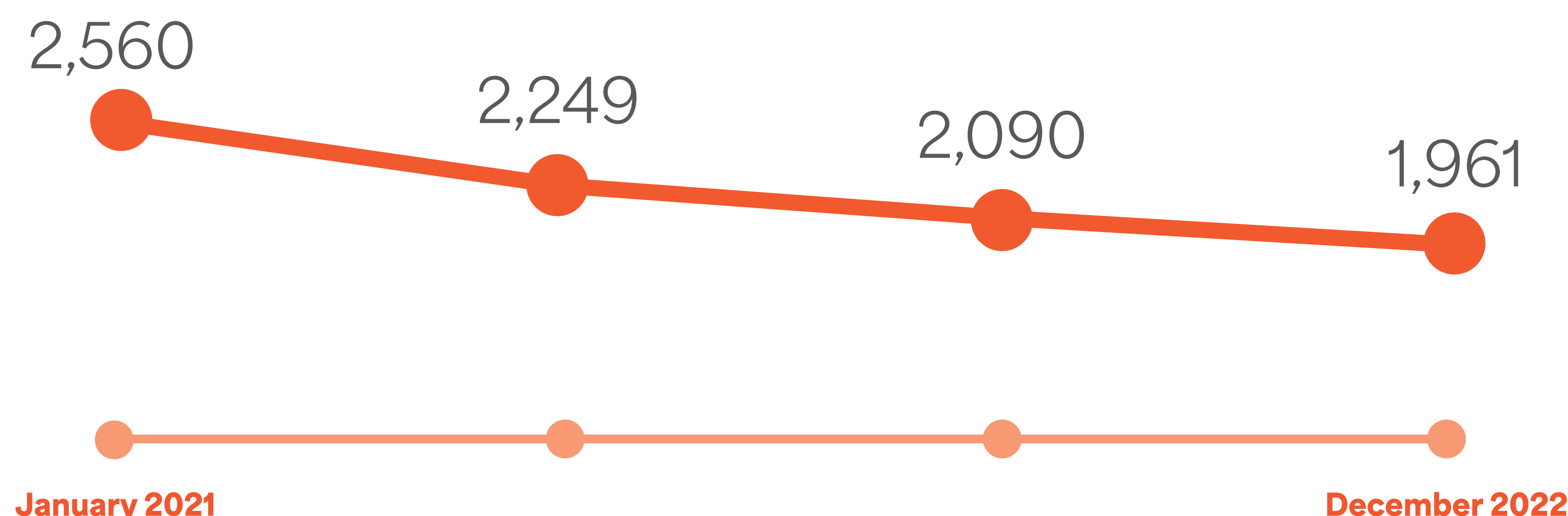
Top 10 Counties in 2020¹

Opioid Dispensing Rates Per 100 Persons

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| 1 Hardin - 159.5 | 6 Adams - 91.4 |
| 2 Saline - 129.7 | 7 Williamson - 90.0 |
| 3 Peoria - 98.8 | 8 Massac - 86.3 |
| 4 Jackson - 98.3 | 9 Sangamon - 84.9 |
| 5 Jefferson - 96.1 | 10 Macon - 70.9 |

Increase in Opioid-related Adverse Drug Events, Including Deaths

The chart below shows the increase in opioid-related Adverse Drug Events, including deaths, for Medicare Fee-for-Service beneficiaries with at least 3 prescriptions of any drug with a 60-day supply and 1 opioid prescription with a 30-day supply AND Medicare beneficiaries with 1 opioid prescription and behavioral health diagnosis.²



Interventions in Illinois

1,540 PROVIDERS | There are 1,540 providers who utilize buprenorphine in the treatment of opioid dependence in Illinois, with 845 located in Cook County.³

Interventions by County

INTERVENTIONS	Carroll	Cook	DuPage	Edgar	Lee	Ogle	Perry	Saline	Sangamon	Stephenson	Whiteside
Naloxone outreach, distribution, and/or education	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Prescription monitoring programs	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Treatment for opioid use disorder	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
Other pain and opioid use best practices	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓

How the Telligen Team Can Support You

- Host Medications for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD), stigma and naloxone training and educational events
- Facilitate collaboration with coalitions across Oklahoma incorporating *LEAD! Leadership & Organizing in Action (LOA)* principles
- Provide quality improvement consulting and enhanced technical assistance to deploy interventions
- Support implementation of new CDC guidelines

¹ <https://www.cdc.gov/drugoverdose/rxrate-maps/county2020.html>
² Medicare claims data
³ <https://www.samhsa.gov/medication-assisted-treatment/find-treatment/treatment-practitioner-locator>