Opioid Epidemic In Arizona



4 out of **5**



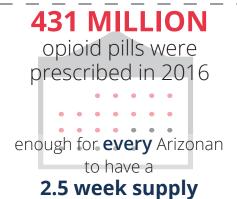
new heroin users start by misusing prescription painkillers

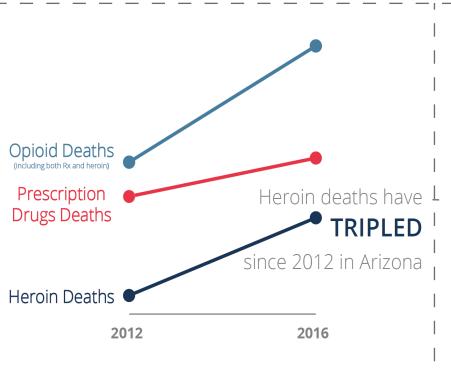
1 in 4 people taking prescription opioids long term in a primary care setting struggles with addiction



Arizona adults know someone addicted to

prescription painkillers









Drug overdoses* take
more lives

than car crashes in Arizona

^includes overdoses from opioids, cocaine, meth, and other illicit drugs.

In the last 5 years,

86%

of persons who died from an opioid related cause were using multiple substances

