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BACKGROUND

Title 21, Chapter 28.3 of the General Laws of the State of Rhode Island, entitled, "Drug Abuse Reporting System" was enacted into law as Chapter 263 of the Public Laws in 1972, to allow the Director of Health to compile relevant statistics regarding incidents of drug abuse. The legislative intent was to aid and assist law enforcement, rehabilitation, and social service agencies with the treatment of drug dependence.

The act provided that data should include age, sex, occupation, background, and apparent dependency. The data should contain the nature and type of drug involved, and the legislation required that all hospitals, physicians, and state and local law enforcement agencies report to the Director of Health monthly.

A copy of the form used is Figure I.

FIGURE I

REPORT OF AN INCIDENT OF DRUG ABUSE

INITIALS ONLY	DATE OF INCIDENT	AGE/DATE OF BIRTH	SEX M F	RACE B W OTHER
OCCUPATION		CITY/TOWN		ZIPCODE
<i>REPORT BASED UPON</i>		AGE OF FIRST DRUG USE	<i>DRUG(S) USED:</i>	
Self Admission	Referral from:		<input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> AMPHETAMINE (upper) <input type="checkbox"/> ANALGESIC <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATE (downer) <input type="checkbox"/> COCAINE <input type="checkbox"/> HALLUCINOGEN <input type="checkbox"/> HEROIN <input type="checkbox"/> LSD <input type="checkbox"/> MARIJUANA <input type="checkbox"/> TRANQUILIZER <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (specify) >	
Laboratory or Other Evidence	Other (specify):		<i>OTHER MEDICAL PROBLEMS</i>	
Observation of Behavior or Physical Signs	TREATED AS:	DURATION OF DRUG USE	<i>COMMENTS</i>	
Arrest for Violation of Any Drug Law	Inpatient Outpatient Other Disposition			
REPORTING AGENCY/PERSON		REPORTER'S ADDRESS		

Section 21-28.3-3 requires the maintenance of confidentiality. Compilations of data and details of statistics, are permitted to be released. This paper presents the second annualized statistical analysis of emergency room visits for incidents involving drugs of all types - controlled, legend, and non-prescription proprietary preparations.

CHAPTER 28.3

DRUG ABUSE REPORTING SYSTEM

¹21-28.3-1. *Drug abuse reporting system established.* - The director of health, or his designee, shall establish and maintain a drug abuse reporting system to compile relevant statistics of incidents of drug abuse, for the purpose of aiding and assisting drug control and social service agencies, public and private, in the treatment and rehabilitation of victims of drug abuse.

²21-28.3-2. *Contents of statistics.* - Said statistics shall include, but not be limited to, the age, sex, occupation, background and degree of apparent dependency of the individual involved, and the nature and type of drug involved, according to forms and regulations established by the director, which forms and regulations are hereby exempted from the administrative procedures act. All hospitals, physicians, and state and local

¹ History of Section: As assigned, P.L. 1972, Ch. 263, Section 1. Cross References: Drug Abuse Control, Sections 21-28.2-1 to 21-28.2-22, Narcotic Guidance Council, Sections 21-28.1-1 to 21-28.1-4, Re-Use of Syringes, Section 21-29.1-1, Uniform Controlled Substances Act, Sections 21-28-1.01 to 21-28-6.02. Comparative Legislation: Dependency-producing drugs: Conn. Gen. Stat., Sections 19-461, 19-471, 19-496C (1981), Drug Rehabilitation Problem: Mass. Ann. Laws Ch. 123, Sections 38-55.

² History of Section: As assigned, P.L. 1972, Ch. 263, Section 1. Cross References: Administrative Procedure, Sections 42-35-1 to 42-35-18.

law enforcement agencies shall be required to report, on a monthly basis, the facts and circumstances of incidents of drug abuse to the department of health in accordance with the reporting system established by the director of the department of health.

³21-28.3-3. *Confidentiality.* - In the maintenance, compilation and providing of said statistics, the director of health, the hospitals, and the physicians shall maintain a confidentiality with respect to the identity of the individuals involved except where so ordered to the contrary by any court of competent jurisdiction in the State of Rhode Island; such confidentiality shall not extend to the records and files of the law enforcement agencies, except insofar as such confidentiality is protected under other provisions of the general laws, or otherwise. The director is authorized to provide any public or private drug control agency or social service agency with the compilation and detail of said statistics described in sections 21-28.3-1 and 21-28.3-2.

⁴21-28.3-4. *Breach of confidentiality.* - Any person who directly or indirectly violates or conspires to violate the confidentiality provisions of section 21-28.3-3 shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by a sentence of up to six (6) months in jail and/or a fine of up to one thousand dollars (\$1000).

³History of Section: As assigned, P.L. 1972, Ch. 263, Section 1. Compiler's Notes. The 1982 reenactment substituted the word "compilation" for "compiation" at the beginning of the section.

⁴History of Section: As assigned, P.L. 1972, Ch. 263, Section 1.

METHODOLOGY

The "Report of an Incident of Drug Abuse" cards representing the period January 1 through December 31, 1988, were computerized and analyzed. The information on these cards was broken down into three parts, which consisted of information on the reporting agency, information on the patient, and the name of the drug or drugs that had caused the person to seek medical attention.

REPORTING AGENCY

Part I contained the name of the reporting agency, the address, and date of treatment. The reporting agency was assigned a code using the hospital pharmacy license number, and the agency's zipcode.

In the case of law enforcement agencies, reporting was non-existent. Law enforcement agencies are also required to report to the Uniform Crime Reporting System of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and much of the information is exactly the same as required by this legislation.

Hospital administrators were provided with the previous study as an educational effort to heighten their awareness of the requirements, and the significance of their reporting. In addition, articles were published in THE NARC OFFICER, March 1988, and the RHODE ISLAND MEDICAL JOURNAL, July 1988. These combined efforts have had an impact. There were 1,341 reports in 1988, which was an increase of 463 reports over 1987.

THE PATIENT

The information on the reporting card consists of the patient's initials, occupation, age, date of birth, sex, race, and the city or town of residence. The patient's initials is the only information that is not entered into the computer. Although the occupations are not reflected in the generated reports, the data will be incorporated into future studies since it would be beneficial to know which occupations experience the highest rate of incidences of drug abuse, and whether those individuals who are unemployed fall into the highest ranking category.

DRUGS

There were many incidences where the patient had more than one drug indicated on the card. For the first year, there were several spaces to list these additional drugs. Diazepam may have been entered into space "one" by one person, and entered into space "two" by another person. The format was changed the second year, where a record would be entered for each drug.

A file system was developed for filing the cards by the name of the drug. Questions arose pertaining to what, if any, combination caused the problem. In those incidents where more than one drug was involved, a duplicate card was created so that a card could be placed under each drug name.

The raw data resulting from this reporting, is also used as a resource to the Drug Product Selection Committee in determining the equivalency of generic and brand name drugs.

RESULTS

Two major categorical areas are noteworthy, and offered herein without drawing conclusions. These are left to the reader whose interpretations will be affected by his or her own experiences, practice locus, specialty, etc.

The first area of concern is the question of which agents are most frequently causing persons to be ill enough, in their judgment or in the opinion of colleagues, to seek medical treatment at a hospital emergency room.

Alcohol ranks #1 on the frequency of reporting list (TABLE I) for 1988, with 831 incidents among 1,341 reports. This represents 61.97% of the cases, with an increase of 542 incidents over 1987.

Cocaine ranks #2 with 75 incidents, or 5.59% of the total. The eleven most frequently mentioned drugs (rankings 1-10), accounted for 81.88% of the drug-related incidents for the year (1098/1341).

Only four of the 97 items mentioned at least once in the report are contraband - Heroin ranking #7 on the overall list with 20 mentions; Marijuana ranking #9 with 17 mentions; LSD ranking #10 with 15 mentions, and Hallucinogens as a group ranking #20 with 1 mention. In total, these amount to 3.95% overall (53/1341).

Ibuprofen, which ranked #12 with 8 mentions in 1987, and ranked #13 this year with 10 mentions, should be monitored since this drug is now over-the-counter, as well as legend, depending upon strength.

Patient demographics also are noteworthy. For example, alcohol patients ranged in age from 12-85, with males accounting for 570 cases, and 227 females involved. The patient gender was not reported on 34 cases. Race data was not reported in 815 of the 831 cases.

Cocaine patients ranged in age from 15-43, with males accounting for 48 cases, 26 females, and one unreported gender. Race was reported as 19 whites and 13 blacks, with 43 unreported.

The Heroin age range was 21-38, with 15 males, and 3 females. The patient gender was not reported on 2 cases. Race was reported as 5 whites and 1 black, with 14 unreported.

The LSD patients ranged in age from 14-31, with 12 males, and 2 females. The patient gender was not reported on 1 case. Race was reported as 3 whites, with 12 unreported.

The second area of concern are the questions raised as to why any of the reported agents caused these persons to seek medical treatment. How many are a result of drug reactions, or interactions with alcohol or other drugs? How many are a result of inadvertent overdosing, or were attempts to commit suicide? How many incidents involving children are a result of non-use of child-resistant containers? How many were first-timers, and how many have an impairment? How many resulted in motor vehicle accidents, or other types of accidents (i.e. falling down stairs)? How many were a result of just not following proper directions? There are many questions that are generated from such a report, and ones which concern all levels of health professionals.

PHARMACIST'S ROLE

The results of this information indicate that the pharmacist is accounting for drugs that are contributing to a major portion of the emergency room visits.

Pharmacists must not make any presumptions that, because a 12-year old is receiving a certain medication, there will be no alcohol consumed. There is no age group that is immune, and no matter what their socio-economic environment of practice is, pharmacists will see these problems.

The argument for demanding patient profiles is strengthened by the results of this report, and their value is reinforced as a defense for appropriate pharmaceutical care.

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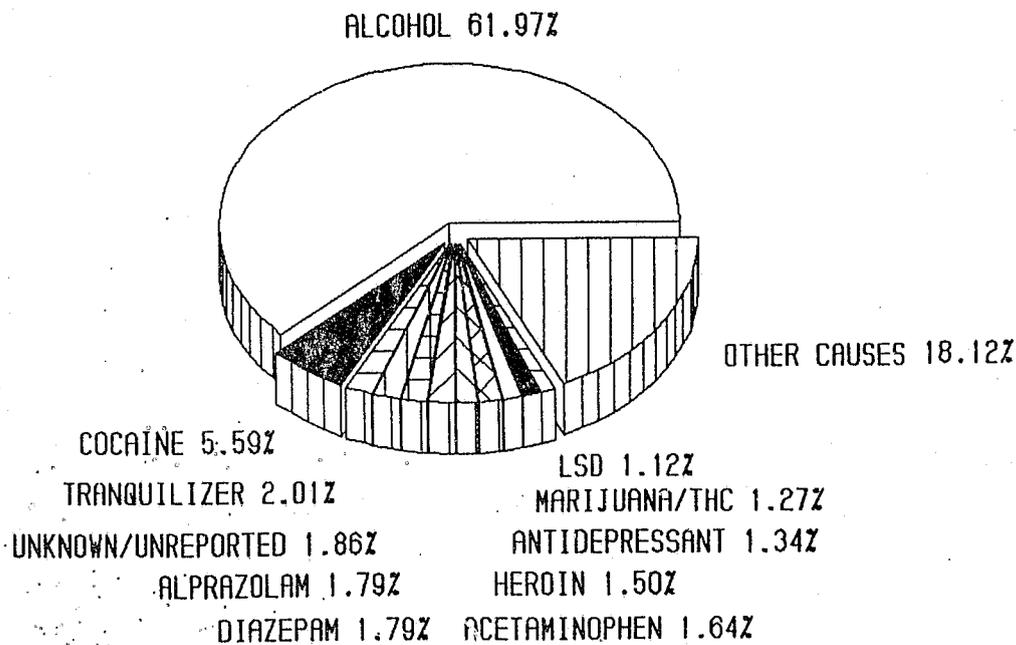
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TOP-TEN EMERGENCY ROOM VISITS

JANUARY 1, 1988 - DECEMBER 31, 1988

<u>RANK</u>	<u>REPORTED INCIDENT</u>	<u>NUMBER OF INCIDENTS</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
1	ALCOHOL	831	61.97
2	COCAINE	75	5.59
3	TRANQUILIZER	27	2.01
4	UNKNOWN/UNREPORTED	25	1.86
5	ALPRAZOLAM	24	1.79
5	DIAZEPAM	24	1.79
6	ACETAMINOPHEN	22	1.64
7	HEROIN	20	1.50
8	ANTIDEPRESSANT	18	1.34
9	MARIJUANA/THC	17	1.27
10	LSD	15	1.12
	OTHER CAUSES FOR TREATMENT	243	18.12
	TOTAL INCIDENTS REPORTED	1,341	100.00



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TABLE II
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EMERGENCY ROOM VISITS
1988
1341 Reported Incidents

RANK	REPORTED INCIDENT	REPORTED INCIDENTS
1	ALCOHOL	831
2	COCAINE	75
3	TRANQUILIZER	27
4	UNKNOWN/UNREPORTED	25
5	ALPRAZOLAM	24
5	DIAZEPAM	24
6	ACETAMINOPHEN	22
7	HEROIN	20
8	ANTIDEPRESSANT	18
9	MARIJUANA/TRC	17
10	LSD	15
11	ASPIRIN	12
12	ANALGESIC	11
13	ANTIBIOTIC	10
13	BUTALBITAL	10
13	IBUPROFEN	10
14	ANTICONVULSANT	7
14	CARBAMAZEPINE	7
14	SLEEPING PILL	7
14	TEMAZEPAM	7
15	ACETAMINOPHEN W/CODEINE	6
15	ANTI HISTAMINE	6
15	CLONAZEPAM	6
16	CARISPRODOL	5
16	CHLORDIAZEPOXIDE	5
16	LITHIUM CARBONATE	5
16	PHENOBARBITAL	5
17	CARDIAC DRUG	4
17	CYCLOBENZAPRINE	4
17	HYDROCODONE	4
17	MUSCLE RELAXANT	4
17	TRIAZOLAM	4
18	AMITRIPTYLINE	3
18	APPETITE SUPPRESSANT	3
18	BARBITURATE	3
18	BENZTROPINE	3
18	CHLORPROMAZINE	3
18	HALOPERIDOL	3
18	PERCOCET	3
18	SEDATIVE	3
18	STIMULANT	3
18	THEOPHYLLINE	3
18	THIOTHIXENE	3
18	TRANXENE	3
18	TRAZODONE	3
19	BUSPIRONE	2
19	CODEINE	2
19	COLD MEDICINE	2
19	DESIPRAMINE	2
19	FLUPHENAZINE	2
19	HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE	2

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EMERGENCY ROOM VISITS
 1988
 1341 Reported Incidents

RANK	REPORTED INCIDENT	REPORTED INCIDENTS
19	IMIPRAMINE	2
19	INSULIN	2
19	LORAZEPAM	2
19	METHADONE	2
19	NORTRIPTYLINE	2
19	PARASYMPATHOLYTIC AGENT	2
19	PSYCHOTHERAPEUTIC AGENT	2
20	AMPHETAMINE	1
20	BACTRIM	1
20	CAPTOPRIL/HCTZ	1
20	DEXAMETHASONE	1
20	DIPHENHYDRAMINE	1
20	DISULFIRAM	1
20	DOXEPIN	1
20	GLYBURIDE	1
20	HALLUCINOGEN	1
20	LEVOTHYROXINE	1
20	LOXAPINE	1
20	MEPENZOLATE BROMIDE	1
20	MERPERIDINE	1
20	METHYLCARBAMATE	1
20	NAPROXEN	1
20	NASAL PREPARATION	1
20	OXYCODONE	1
20	PENTAZOCINE	1
20	PERPHENAZINE	1
20	PHENTERMINE	1
20	PHENYTOIN	1
20	PLACIDYL	1
20	POLYDRUG	1
20	PRAZEPAM	1
20	PREDNISONE	1
20	PRIOXCAM	1
20	PROMETHAZINE	1
20	PROPOXYPHENE HCL	1
20	PROPOXYPHENE NAPSYLATE	1
20	RANITIDINE	1
20	SEPTRA	1
20	STEROID	1
20	TERFENADINE	1
20	THIORIDAZINE	1
20	TOXIC SUBSTANCE	1
20	TRICYCLIC	1
20	VALPROIC ACID	1
20	VASOTEC	1
20	VITAMIN	1

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EMERGENCY ROOM VISITS
RANKINGS

REPORTED INCIDENT	1987	1988
ACETAMINOPHEN	7	6
ACETAMINOPHEN W/CODEINE	10	15
ALCOHOL	1	1
ALLERGY PILLS	18	--
ALPRAZOLAM	6	5
AMITRIPTYLINE	11	18
AMPHETAMINE	16	20
ANALGESIC	11	12
ANESTHETIC	19	--
ANTIBIOTIC	12	13
ANTICONVULSANT	16	14
ANTIDEPRESSANT	9	8
ANTI HISTAMINE	12	15
APPETITE SUPPRESSANT	17	18
ASPIRIN	12	11
BACTRIM	--	20
BARBITURATE	17	18
BENZTROPINE	15	18
BUSPIRONE	--	19
BUTALBITAL	9	13
CAPTOPRIL/HCTZ	--	20
CARBAMAZEPINE	18	14
CARBINOXAMINE	19	--
CARDIAC DRUG	--	17
CARDIOVASCULAR DRUG	19	--

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EMERGENCY ROOM VISITS
RANKINGS

REPORTED INCIDENT	1987	1988
CARISPRODOL	19	16
CEPHALEXIN	19	--
CHLORAL HYDRATE	19	--
CHLORDIAZEPOXIDE	19	16
CHLORPROMAZINE	18	18
CIMETIDINE	19	--
CLEANING MATERIAL	19	--
CLONAZEPAM	17	15
COCAINE	2	2
CODEINE	19	19
COLD MEDICINE	14	19
CYCLOBENZAPRINE	16	17
CYPROHEPTADINE	19	--
DARVOCET	18	--
DESIPRAMINE	10	19
DEXAMETHASONE	--	20
DIAZEPAM	4	5
DICYCLOMINE	19	--
DIPHENHYDRAMINE	19	20
DISULFIRAM	--	20
DIURETIC	18	--
DOXEPIN	15	20
FENOPROFEN	19	--
FLUPHENAZINE	17	19
FLURAZEPAM	17	--

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EMERGENCY ROOM VISITS
RANKINGS

REPORTED INCIDENT	1987	1988
FOLIC ACID	19	--
GLUTETHAMIDE	19	--
GLYBURIDE	19	20
HALLUCINOGEN	18	20
HALOPERIDOL	17	18
HEROIN	5	7
HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE	18	19
HYDROCODONE	18	17
HYDROMORPHONE	19	--
IBUPROFEN	12	13
IMIPRAMINE	14	19
INDOMETHACIN	18	--
INSULIN	17	19
LEVOTHYROXINE	19	20
LITHIUM CARBONATE	13	16
LOMOTIL	19	--
LORAZEPAM	14	19
LOXAPINE	--	20
LSD	10	10
MARIJUANA/THC	13	9
MECLIZINE	19	--
MEPENZOLATE BROMIDE	--	20
MERPERIDINE	--	20
MESCALINE	19	--
METHADONE	--	19

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EMERGENCY ROOM VISITS
RANKINGS

REPORTED INCIDENT	1987	1988
METHYLCARBAMATE	--	20
MUSCLE RELAXANT	19	17
NALOXONE	19	--
NAPROXEN	17	20
NASAL PREPARATION	--	20
NORTRIPTYLINE	--	19
OXYBUTYNIN	19	--
OXYCODONE	18	20
PARASYMPATHOLYTIC AGENT	--	19
PCP	19	--
PENTAZOCINE	--	20
PERCOCET	19	18
PERCODAN	18	--
PERPHENAZINE	16	20
PHENELZINE	16	--
PHENOBARBITAL	18	16
PHENTERMINE	--	20
PHENYL BUTAZONE	19	--
PHENYTOIN	12	20
PLACIDYL	--	20
PLASMODICIDES	19	--
POLYDRUG	13	20
PRAZEPAM	--	20
PRAZOCIN	19	--
PREDNISONE	19	20

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EMERGENCY ROOM VISITS
RANKINGS

REPORTED INCIDENT	1987	1988
PRIOXCAM	--	20
PROMETHAZINE	--	20
PROPOXYPHENE HCL	19	20
PROPOXYPHENE NAPSYLATE	19	20
PROPRANOLOL	16	--
PSYCHOTHERAPEUTIC AGENT	19	19
QUAALUDE	19	--
RANITIDINE	--	20
SALICYLATE	19	--
SEDATIVE	18	18
SEPTRA	--	20
SLEEPING PILL	13	14
STEROID	19	20
STIMULANT	18	18
TB PREPARATION	19	--
TEMAZEPAM	16	14
TERFENADINE	19	20
THEOPHYLLINE	14	18
THIORIDAZINE	15	20
THIOTHIXENE	18	18
TOLMETIN	19	--
TOXIC SUBSTANCE	--	20
TRANQUILIZER	8	3
TRANXENE	14	18
TRAZODONE	19	18

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EMERGENCY ROOM VISITS
 RANKINGS

REPORTED INCIDENT	1987	1988
TRIAZOLAM	14	17
TRICYCLIC	16	20
TRIHEXAPHENIDYL	18	--
UNKNOWN/UNREPORTED DRUG	3	4
VALPROIC ACID	--	20
VASOTEC	--	20
VERAPAMIL	19	--
VITAMIN	18	20

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 1341 Reported Incidents

REPORTED INCIDENT	REPORTED INCIDENTS
ACETAMINOPHEN	22
ACETAMINOPHEN W/CODEINE	6
ALCOHOL	831
ALPRAZOLAM	24
AMITRIPTYLINE	3
AMPHETAMINE	1
ANALGESIC	11
ANTIBIOTIC	10
ANTICONVULSANT	7
ANTIDEPRESSANT	18
ANTI HISTAMINE	6
APPETITE SUPPRESSANT	3
ASPIRIN	12
BACTRIM	1
BARBITURATE	3
BENZTROPINE	3
BUSPIRONE	2
BUTALBITAL	10
CAPTOPRIL/HCTZ	1
CARBAMAZEPINE	7
CARDIAC DRUG	4
CARISPRODOL	5
CHLORDIAZEPOXIDE	5
CHLORPROMAZINE	3
CLONAZEPAM	6
COCAINE	75
CODEINE	2
COLD MEDICINE	2
CYCLOBENZAPRINE	4
DESIPRAMINE	2
DEXAMETHASONE	1
DIAZEPAM	24
DIPHENHYDRAMINE	1
DISULFIRAM	1
DOXEPIN	1
FLUPHENAZINE	2
GLYBURIDE	1
HALLUCINOGEN	1
HALOPERIDOL	3
HEROIN	20
HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE	2
HYDROCODONE	4
IBUPROFEN	10
IMIPRAMINE	2
INSULIN	2
LEVOTHYROXINE	1
LITHIUM CARBONATE	5
LORAZEPAM	2
LOXAPINE	1
LSD	15

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EMERGENCY ROOM VISITS
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REPORTED INCIDENT	REPORTED INCIDENTS
MARIJUANA/THC	17
MEPENZOLATE BROMIDE	1
MERPERIDINE	1
METHADONE	2
METHYLCARBAMATE	1
MUSCLE RELAXANT	4
NAPROXEN	1
NASAL PREPARATION	1
NORTRIPTYLINE	2
OXYCODONE	1
PARASYMPATHOLYTIC AGENT	2
PENTAZOCINE	1
PERCOCET	3
PERPHENAZINE	1
PHENOBARBITAL	5
PHENTERMINE	1
PHENYTOIN	1
PLACIDYL	1
POLYDRUG	1
PRAZEPAM	1
PREDNISONE	1
PRIOXCAM	1
PROMETHAZINE	1
PROPOXYPHENE HCL	1
PROPOXYPHENE NAPSYLATE	1
PSYCHOTHERAPEUTIC AGENT	2
RANITIDINE	1
SEDATIVE	3
SEPTRA	1
SLEEPING PILL	7
STEROID	1
STIMULANT	3
TEMAZEPAM	7
TERFENADINE	1
THEOPHYLLINE	3
THIORIDAZINE	1
THIOTHIXENE	3
TOXIC SUBSTANCE	1
TRANQUILIZER	27
TRANXENE	3
TRAZODONE	3
TRIAZOLAM	4
TRICYCLIC	1
UNKNOWN/UNREPORTED	25
VALPROIC ACID	1
VASOTEC	1
VITAMIN	1

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EMERGENCY ROOM VISITS
REPORTED INCIDENTS

REPORTED INCIDENT	1987	1988
ACETAMINOPHEN	19	22
ACETAMINOPHEN W/CODEINE	10	6
ALCOHOL	289	831
ALLERGY PILLS	2	--
ALPRAZOLAM	25	24
AMITRIPTYLINE	9	3
AMPHETAMINE	4	1
ANALGESIC	9	11
ANESTHETIC	1	--
ANTIBIOTIC	8	10
ANTICONVULSANT	4	7
ANTIDEPRESSANT	11	18
ANTI HISTAMINE	8	6
APPETITE SUPPRESSANT	3	3
ASPIRIN	8	12
BACTRIM	--	1
BARBITURATE	3	3
BENZTROPINE	5	3
BUSPIRONE	--	2
BUTALBITAL	11	10
CAPTOPRIL/HCTZ	--	1
CARBAMAZEPINE	2	7
CARBINOXAMINE	1	--
CARDIAC DRUG	--	4
CARDIOVASCULAR DRUG	1	--

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REPORTED INCIDENTS

REPORTED INCIDENT	1987	1988
CARISPRODOL	1	5
CEPHALEXIN	1	--
CHLORAL HYDRATE	1	--
CHLORDIAZEPOXIDE	1	5
CHLORPROMAZINE	2	3
CIMETIDINE	1	--
CLEANING MATERIAL	1	--
CLONAZEPAM	3	6
COCAINE	95	75
CODEINE	1	2
COLD MEDICINE	6	3
CYCLOBENZAPRINE	4	4
CYPROHEPTADINE	1	--
DARVOCET	2	--
DESIPRAMINE	10	2
DEXAMETHASONE	--	1
DIAZEPAM	36	24
DICYCLOMINE	1	--
DIPHENHYDRAMINE	1	1
DISULFIRAM	--	1
DIURETIC	2	--
DOXEPIN	5	1
FENOPROFEN	1	--
FLUPHENAZINE	3	2
FLURAZEPAM	3	--

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REPORTED INCIDENTS

REPORTED INCIDENT	1987	1988
FOLIC ACID	1	--
GLUTETHAMIDE	1	--
GLYBURIDE	1	1
HALLUCINOGEN	2	1
HALOPERIDOL	3	3
HEROIN	33	20
HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE	2	2
HYDROCODONE	2	4
HYDROMORPHONE	1	--
IBUPROFEN	8	10
IMIPRAMINE	6	2
INDOMETHACIN	2	--
INSULIN	3	2
LEVOTHYROXINE	1	1
LITHIUM CARBONATE	7	5
LOMOTIL	1	--
LORAZEPAM	6	2
LOXAPINE	--	1
LSD	10	15
MARIJUANA/THC	7	17
MECLIZINE	1	--
MEPENZOLATE BROMIDE	--	1
MERPERIDINE	--	1
MESCALINE	1	--
METHADONE	--	2

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REPORTED INCIDENTS

REPORTED INCIDENT	1987	1988
METHYLCARBAMATE	--	1
MUSCLE RELAXANT	1	4
NALOXONE	1	--
NAPROXEN	3	1
NASAL PREPARATION	--	1
NORTRIPTYLINE	--	2
OXYBUTYNIN	1	--
OXYCODONE	2	1
PARASYMPATHOLYTIC AGENT	--	2
PCP	1	--
PENTAZOCINE	--	1
PERCOCET	1	3
PERCODAN	2	--
PERPHENAZINE	4	1
PHENELZINE	4	--
PHENOBARBITAL	2	5
PHENTERMINE	--	1
PHENYLBUTAZONE	1	--
PHENYTOIN	8	1
PLACIDYL	--	1
PLASMODICIDES	1	--
POLYDRUG	7	1
PRAZEPAM	--	1
PRAZOCIN	1	--
PREDNISONE	1	1

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REPORTED INCIDENTS

REPORTED INCIDENT	1987	1988
PRIOXCAM	--	1
PROMETHAZINE	--	1
PROPOXYPHENE HCL	1	1
PROPOXYPHENE NAPSYLATE	1	1
PROPRANOLOL	4	--
PSYCHOTHERAPEUTIC AGENT	1	2
QUAALUDE	1	--
RANITIDINE	--	1
SALICYLATE	1	--
SEDATIVE	2	3
SEPTRA	--	1
SLEEPING PILL	7	7
STEROID	1	1
STIMULANT	2	3
TB PREPARATION	1	--
TEMAZEPAM	4	7
TERFENADINE	1	1
THEOPHYLLINE	6	3
THIORIDAZINE	5	1
THIOTHIXENE	2	3
TOLMETIN	1	--
TOXIC SUBSTANCE	--	1
TRANQUILIZER	17	27
TRANXENE	6	3
TRAZODONE	1	3

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REPORTED INCIDENTS

REPORTED INCIDENT	1987	1988
TRIAZOLAM	6	4
TRICYCLIC	4	1
TRIHEXAPHENIDYL	2	--
UNKNOWN/UNREPORTED DRUG	43	25
VALPROIC ACID	--	1
VASOTEC	--	1
VERAPAMIL	1	--
VITAMIN	2	1

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ALCOHOL			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	831	
AGE: Range . . .	12-85	GENDER: Male	570	RACE: White	15
		Female	227	Black	1
Average . . .	33	Unreported . . .	34	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	815
COCAINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	75	
AGE: Range . . .	15-43	GENDER: Male	48	RACE: White	19
		Female	26	Black	13
Average . . .	25	Unreported . . .	1	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	43
TRANQUILIZER			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	27	
AGE: Range . . .	16-84	GENDER: Male	12	RACE: White	20
		Female	15	Black	2
Average . . .	37	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	5
UNKNOWN/UNREPORTED			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	25	
AGE: Range . . .	12-67	GENDER: Male	11	RACE: White	9
		Female	10	Black	4
Average . . .	26	Unreported . . .	4	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	12
ALPRAZOLAM			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	24	
AGE: Range . . .	26-80	GENDER: Male	7	RACE: White	13
		Female	16	Black	11
Average . . .	40	Unreported . . .	1	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
DIAZEPAM			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	24	
AGE: Range . . .	13-49	GENDER: Male	10	RACE: White	10
		Female	12	Black	0
Average . . .	29	Unreported . . .	2	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	14
ACETAMINOPHEN			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	22	
AGE: Range . . .	07-41	GENDER: Male	8	RACE: White	8
		Female	13	Black	3
Average . . .	21	Unreported . . .	1	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	11

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HEROIN			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	20	
AGE: Range . . .	21-38	GENDER: Male	15	RACE: White	5
		Female	3	Black	1
Average . . .	29	Unreported . . .	2	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	14
ANTIDEPRESSANT			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	18	
AGE: Range . . .	20-51	GENDER: Male	3	RACE: White	17
		Female	15	Black	1
Average . . .	30	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
MARIJUANA/THC			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	17	
AGE: Range . . .	14-33	GENDER: Male	12	RACE: White	0
		Female	3	Black	0
Average . . .	22	Unreported . . .	2	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	17
LSD			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	15	
AGE: Range . . .	14-31	GENDER: Male	12	RACE: White	3
		Female	2	Black	0
Average . . .	20	Unreported . . .	1	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	12
ASPIRIN			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	12	
AGE: Range . . .	13-45	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	10
		Female	11	Black	0
Average . . .	22	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	2
ANALGESIC			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	11	
AGE: Range . . .	00-44	GENDER: Male	4	RACE: White	6
		Female	7	Black	0
Average . . .	22	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	5
ANTIBIOTIC			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	10	
AGE: Range . . .	14-42	GENDER: Male	4	RACE: White	5
		Female	6	Black	1
Average . . .	23	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	4

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BUTALBITAL			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	10
AGE: Range . . . 14-42	GENDER: Male	5	RACE: White	2
	Female	5	Black	0
Average . . . 29	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	8
IBUPROFEN			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	10
AGE: Range . . . 14-57	GENDER: Male	6	RACE: White	2
	Female	4	Black	1
Average . . . 26	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	7
ANTICONVULSANT			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	7
AGE: Range . . . 23-44	GENDER: Male	2	RACE: White	7
	Female	5	Black	0
Average . . . 30	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	0
CARBAMAZEPINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	7
AGE: Range . . . 16-56	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	7
	Female	7	Black	0
Average . . . 33	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	0
SLEEPING PILL			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	7
AGE: Range . . . 18-36	GENDER: Male	4	RACE: White	2
	Female	3	Black	0
Average . . . 26	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	5
TEMAZEPAM			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	7
AGE: Range . . . 28-80	GENDER: Male	5	RACE: White	5
	Female	2	Black	0
Average . . . 54	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	2
ACETAMINOPHEN W/CODEINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	6
AGE: Range . . . 14-36	GENDER: Male	2	RACE: White	1
	Female	4	Black	0
Average . . . 24	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	5

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ANTIHIISTAMINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 6	
AGE: Range . . . 17-56	GENDER: Male 2	RACE: White 3		
	Female 3	Black 1		
Average . . . 33	Unreported . . . 1	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 2		
CLONAZEPAM			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 6	
AGE: Range . . . 20-42	GENDER: Male 2	RACE: White 4		
	Female 4	Black 0		
Average . . . 30	Unreported . . . 0	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 2		
CARISPRODOL			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 5	
AGE: Range . . . 28-79	GENDER: Male 3	RACE: White 2		
	Female 2	Black 1		
Average . . . 43	Unreported . . . 0	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 2		
CHLORDIAZEPOXIDE			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 5	
AGE: Range . . . 24-42	GENDER: Male 1	RACE: White 1		
	Female 3	Black 0		
Average . . . 34	Unreported . . . 1	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 4		
LITHIUM CARBONATE			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 5	
AGE: Range . . . 19-47	GENDER: Male 1	RACE: White 5		
	Female 4	Black 0		
Average . . . 31	Unreported . . . 0	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 0		
PHENOBARBITAL			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 5	
AGE: Range . . . 28-38	GENDER: Male 3	RACE: White 4		
	Female 2	Black 0		
Average . . . 33	Unreported . . . 0	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 1		
CARDIAC DRUG			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 4	
AGE: Range . . . 19-56	GENDER: Male 1	RACE: White 4		
	Female 3	Black 0		
Average . . . 35	Unreported . . . 0	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 0		

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CYCLOBENZAPRINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	4
AGE: Range . . . 14-28	GENDER: Male	2	RACE: White	3
	Female	2	Black	0
Average . . . 22	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	1
HYDROCODONE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	4
AGE: Range . . . 17-38	GENDER: Male	2	RACE: White	2
	Female	2	Black	0
Average . . . 26	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	2
MUSCLE RELAXANT			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	4
AGE: Range . . . 14-26	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	2
	Female	3	Black	0
Average . . . 20	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	2
TRIAZOLAM			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	4
AGE: Range . . . 30-80	GENDER: Male	3	RACE: White	2
	Female	1	Black	0
Average . . . 49	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	2
AMITRIPTYLINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3
AGE: Range . . . 20-41	GENDER: Male	3	RACE: White	2
	Female	0	Black	0
Average . . . 31	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	1
APPETITE SUPPRESSANT			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3
AGE: Range . . . 14-39	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	0
	Female	2	Black	0
Average . . . 23	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	3
BARBITURATE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3
AGE: Range . . . 31-48	GENDER: Male	2	RACE: White	3
	Female	1	Black	0
Average . . . 39	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
			Unreported . . .	0

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BENZTROPINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3	
AGE: Range . . .	19-25	GENDER: Male	2	RACE: White	1
		Female	0	Black	0
Average . . .	22	Unreported . . .	1	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	2
CHLORPROMAZINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3	
AGE: Range . . .	28-46	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	3
		Female	2	Black	0
Average . . .	35	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
HALOPERIDOL			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3	
AGE: Range . . .	21-31	GENDER: Male	2	RACE: White	2
		Female	0	Black	0
Average . . .	26	Unreported . . .	1	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
PERCOCET			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3	
AGE: Range . . .	36-49	GENDER: Male	2	RACE: White	1
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	41	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	2
SEDATIVE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3	
AGE: Range . . .	24-57	GENDER: Male	2	RACE: White	2
		Female	1	Black	1
Average . . .	40	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
STIMULANT			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3	
AGE: Range . . .	13-18	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	0
		Female	2	Black	0
Average . . .	15	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	3
THEOPHYLLINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3	
AGE: Range . . .	19-37	GENDER: Male	2	RACE: White	2
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	25	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1

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THIOTHIXENE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3
AGE: Range . . . 17-31	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	2
	Female	3	Black	0
Average . . . 26	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	1
TRANXENE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3
AGE: Range . . . 24-51	GENDER: Male	3	RACE: White	2
	Female	0	Black	0
Average . . . 42	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	1
TRAZODONE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	3
AGE: Range . . . 24-39	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	2
	Female	2	Black	0
Average . . . 31	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	1
BUSPIRONE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2
AGE: Range . . . 18-49	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
	Female	2	Black	0
Average . . . 33	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	2
CODEINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2
AGE: Range . . . 15-41	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	0
	Female	1	Black	1
Average . . . 28	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	1
COLD MEDICINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2
AGE: Range . . . 00-16	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
	Female	2	Black	1
Average . . . 16	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	1
DESIPRAMINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2
AGE: Range . . . 24-31	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	2
	Female	1	Black	0
Average . . . 27	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	0

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FLUPHENAZINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2	
AGE: Range . . .	29-32	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
		Female	2	Black	1
Average . . .	30	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2	
AGE: Range . . .	15-17	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	1
		Female	2	Black	1
Average . . .	16	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
IMIPRAMINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2	
AGE: Range . . .	20-31	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	2
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	25	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
INSULIN			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2	
AGE: Range . . .	17-56	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	2
		Female	2	Black	0
Average . . .	36	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
LORAZEPAM			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2	
AGE: Range . . .	00-28	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	1
		Female	2	Black	0
Average . . .	28	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
METHADONE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2	
AGE: Range . . .	20-33	GENDER: Male	2	RACE: White	1
		Female	0	Black	0
Average . . .	26	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
NORTRIPTYLINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2	
AGE: Range . . .	20-28	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	1
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	24	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1

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PARASYMPATHOLYTIC AGENT			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2
AGE: Range . . . 19-28	GENDER: Male	2	RACE: White	2
	Female	0	Black	0
Average . . . 23	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	0
PSYCHOTHERAPEUTIC AGENT			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	2
AGE: Range . . . 23-28	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	2
	Female	2	Black	0
Average . . . 25	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	0
AMPHETAMINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1
AGE: Range . . . 00-21	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	0
	Female	0	Black	0
Average . . . 21	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	1
BACTRIM			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1
AGE: Range . . . 00-16	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
	Female	1	Black	0
Average . . . 16	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	1
CAPTOPRIL/HCTZ			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1
AGE: Range . . . 00-15	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	1
	Female	1	Black	0
Average . . . 15	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	0
DEXAMETHASONE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1
AGE: Range . . . 00-50	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	1
	Female	0	Black	0
Average . . . 50	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	0
DIPHENHYDRAMINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1
AGE: Range . . . 00-17	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	1
	Female	1	Black	0
Average . . . 17	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	0

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DISULFIRAM			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-28	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	28	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
DOXEPIN			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-56	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
		Female	1	Black	1
Average . . .	56	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
GLYBURIDE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-18	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	18	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
HALLUCINOGEN			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-18	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	0
		Female	0	Black	0
Average . . .	18	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
LEVOTHYROXINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-15	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	1
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	15	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
LOXAPINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-23	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	1
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	23	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
MEPENZOLATE BROMIDE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-54	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	54	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1

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MERPERIDINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-36	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	0
		Female	0	Black	0
Average . . .	36	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
METHYLCARBAMATE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-17	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	1
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	17	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
NAPROXEN			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-15	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	1
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	15	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
NASAL PREPARATION			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-15	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	15	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
OXYCODONE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-25	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	0
		Female	0	Black	0
Average . . .	25	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
PENTAZOCINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-40	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	0
		Female	0	Black	0
Average . . .	40	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
PERPHENAZINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1	
AGE: Range . . .	00-41	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
		Female	0	Black	0
Average . . .	41	Unreported . . .	1	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1

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PHENTERMINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1		
AGE: Range . . .	00-26	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	26	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
PHENYTOIN			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1		
AGE: Range . . .	00-33	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	1
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	33	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
PLACIDYL			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1		
AGE: Range . . .	00-27	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	1
		Female	0	Black	0
Average . . .	27	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
POLYDRUG			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1		
AGE: Range . . .	00-44	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	1
		Female	0	Black	0
Average . . .	44	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
PRAZEPAM			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1		
AGE: Range . . .	00-26	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	1
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	26	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0
PREDNISONE			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1		
AGE: Range . . .	00-32	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
		Female	1	Black	0
Average . . .	32	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	1
PRIOXCAM			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1		
AGE: Range . . .	00-49	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	1
		Female	0	Black	0
Average . . .	49	Unreported . . .	0	Other	0
				Unreported . . .	0

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PROMETHAZINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1
AGE: Range . . . ?	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
	Female	1	Black	1
Average	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	0
PROPOXYPHENE HCL			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1
AGE: Range . . . 00-42	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
	Female	0	Black	0
Average . . . 42	Unreported	1	Other	0
			Unreported	1
PROPOXYPHENE NAPSYLATE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1
AGE: Range . . . 00-31	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	0
	Female	0	Black	0
Average . . . 31	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	1
RANITIDINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1
AGE: Range . . . 00-24	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	1
	Female	0	Black	0
Average . . . 24	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	0
SEPTRA			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1
AGE: Range . . . 00-40	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	1
	Female	1	Black	0
Average . . . 40	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	0
STEROID			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1
AGE: Range . . . 00-19	GENDER: Male	1	RACE: White	1
	Female	0	Black	0
Average . . . 19	Unreported	0	Other	0
			Unreported	0
TERFENADINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS:	1
AGE: Range . . . 00-02	GENDER: Male	0	RACE: White	0
	Female	0	Black	0
Average . . . 02	Unreported	1	Other	0
			Unreported	1

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THIORIDAZINE			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1	
AGE: Range . . . 00-30	GENDER: Male 0	RACE: White 0		
	Female 1	Black 0		
Average . . . 30	Unreported . . . 0	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 1		
TOXIC SUBSTANCE			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1	
AGE: Range . . . 00-34	GENDER: Male 1	RACE: White 0		
	Female 0	Black 0		
Average . . . 34	Unreported . . . 0	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 1		
TRICYCLIC			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1	
AGE: Range . . . 00-28	GENDER: Male 1	RACE: White 1		
	Female 0	Black 0		
Average . . . 28	Unreported . . . 0	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 0		
VALPROIC ACID			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1	
AGE: Range . . . 00-32	GENDER: Male 0	RACE: White 1		
	Female 1	Black 0		
Average . . . 32	Unreported . . . 0	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 0		
VASOTEC			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1	
AGE: Range . . . 00-18	GENDER: Male 0	RACE: White 0		
	Female 1	Black 0		
Average . . . 18	Unreported . . . 0	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 1		
VITAMIN			REPORTED INCIDENTS: 1	
AGE: Range . . . 00-03	GENDER: Male 0	RACE: White 0		
	Female 1	Black 0		
Average . . . 03	Unreported . . . 0	Other 0		
		Unreported . . . 1		