

"Fentanyl and the Opioid Crisis, The Impact on Society."



Fentanyl is a synthetic opioid

Used as medicine and a drug

Fentanyl addiction

Fentanyl can enter the country in two ways, legally and illegally

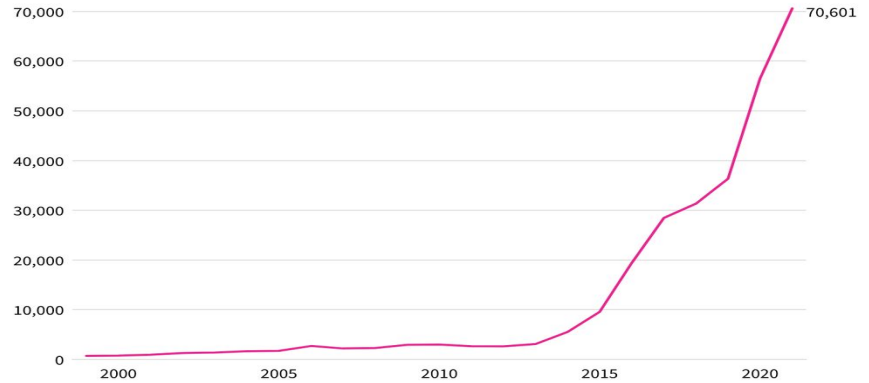
fentanyl is many times stronger than heroin and morphine

Why is this topic important?



Fentanyl deaths have increased every year since 2012

Synthetic opioid overdose deaths (mostly fentanyl), 1999 – 2021



2021 data is provisional and subject to change.

Source: [Centers for Disease Control](#)

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Fentanyl affects the mind causing destruction in people's lives

Overdoses deaths caused by fentanyl have increased

Did you know that fentanyl addicts are referred to as "zombies" in other parts of the world?



What did you already know about Fentanyl before today, and what did you learn today?