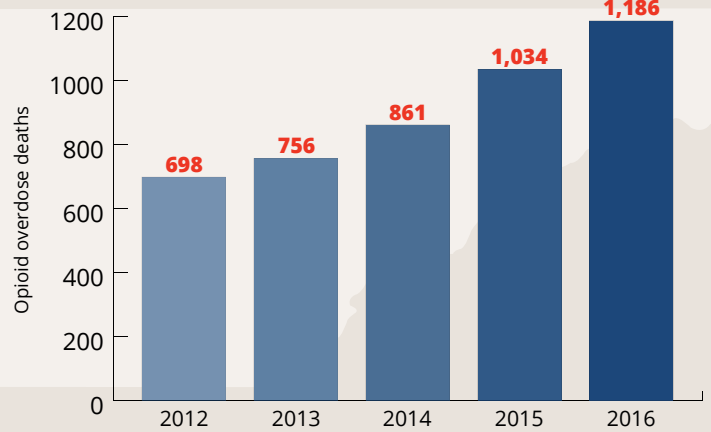


At least 3 people die each day in Tennessee from an opioid-related drug overdose.

Each year, more opioid prescriptions are written than there are people living in Tennessee, with more than 1 million prescriptions left over.

Opioid Overdose Deaths in Tennessee



Source: Tennessee Department of Health

TN Together is a multi-faceted plan, comprised of legislation, Governor Haslam's 2018-19 budget and other executive actions attacking the state's opioid epidemic.

TN Together provides more than \$30 million in state and federal funding to address opioid abuse. *(Successful legislation in green.)*

Prevention



- Places reasonable limits on supply and dosage of prescription opioids.
- Increases public awareness through outreach campaign and targeted education.
- Promotes best practices in the medical community for pain management.

Treatment



- Ensures that all Tennesseans who need treatment have better access to recovery services and resources.
- Effectively targets areas for resources through data, improved access and sharing.
- Expands treatment options and recovery programs, including those within the criminal justice system.
- Creates incentives for offenders to complete intensive substance use treatment programs while incarcerated.

Law Enforcement



- Increases funding to address unlawful sale and trafficking of opioids.
- Provides every Tennessee state trooper with Narcan for emergency treatment of overdoses.
- Updates the schedule of controlled substances to better track, monitor and penalize the use and unlawful distribution of opioids.