

OVERDOSES - 2022

24 total overdoses

21 non-fatal

3 fatal in Newton.

All 3 of the fatal overdoses have been Newton residents.

Newton Police Department Drug Policy Initiatives:

1. Newton Police Department joined the Police Assisted Addiction and Recovery Initiative (PARRI).
2. Newton Police Department assisted in creation of first Newton Alcohol & Drug Prevention Coalition. (Drug Free Community Grant).
3. Newton Police Department partnered with Mayor Fuller and HHS in discussion of Opioid Settlement.
4. Chief Carmichael is Chair of Mass. Police Chief's Substance Abuse Committee.
5. Chief Carmichael working with City Officials and State Legislators representing Newton in Fentanyl Test Strip legislation.

POP Unit:

31 co-responses and 107 follow ups.