

2022 NATIONAL HIDTA PROGRAM EFFECTIVENESS

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HIDTA's Mission

The mission of the HIDTA Program is to coordinate Federal, state, local and tribal law enforcement resources to reduce the availability of illicit drugs and related violence by investing in law enforcement partnerships to dismantle and disrupt drug trafficking and money laundering organizations in the United States.

The 33 HIDTAs coordinate Federal, state, local, and tribal drug enforcement efforts across the nation. Each year, HIDTAs assess the drug threat and develop strategies to address the threats. This approach allows HIDTAs to adjust to new and emerging drug threats and apply resources in a timely manner. HIDTAs conduct an annual evaluation to efficiency determine their and effectiveness in dealing with the drug threat in their regions.

HIDTA's Overdose Response Strategy is a partnership between the HIDTA Program and the Centers for Disease Control



and Prevention. This public safety and public health partnership focuses on the opioid epidemic and is designed to reduce drug overdoses.

HIDTAs investigated 9,135 drug trafficking organizations (DTOs) and money laundering organizations (MLOs) and were successful in disrupting or dismantling 3,105 of these organizations. 55 percent of the DTOs/MLOs were part of an international or multi-state operation.

DTOs/MLOs Disrupted or Dismantled by All HIDTAs					
By Year	2020	2021	2022		
International	746	798	758		
Multi-State	938	1,035	955		
Local	1,296	1,295	1,392		
Total	2,980	3,128	3,105		

More than 23,040 federal, state, local, and tribal law enforcement agents, officers, analysts, and support personnel took part in 945 HIDTA initiatives. Over 69 percent of the participants were from state, local, or tribal agencies.

Information Sharing

HIDTA deconfliction systems performed 281,821 event deconflictions, actions that alert agencies when their tactical operations are occurring in the same general location and time frame as operations by other agencies. Additionally, HIDTAs compared 1,094,150 pieces of case information looking for connections among cases. 3,592 law enforcement agencies participated in HIDTA case coordination and 3,312 law enforcement agencies participated in officer safety efforts.



ODMAP is a syndromic surveillance tool the W/B HIDTA created and is used to track suspected drug overdoses in real time nationwide. 31,243
Firearms
Seized

COMBATING VIOLENCE

32,686

Fugitives

Apprehended

Law Enforcement Support

HIDTA supported training for 83,295 officers, agents, analysts, and support staff on drugrelated subjects. Follow-up surveys of those attending HIDTA training have routinely been 96 percent positive.

HIDTA analysts provided analytical support to 36,729 investigations, and 97 percent of agents and officers surveyed reported the assistance was useful.

HIDTA's 63 Investigative Support Centers provided intelligence and deconfliction services to HIDTA's law enforcement partners and, when permissible, shared information with treatment agencies and prevention coalitions.

Approximately 500 public health agencies coordinated and collaborated with HIDTA initiatives.

HIDTA PROGRAM DRUG SEIZURES 2020-2022

	UNITS	2020	2021	2022
Cocaine/Crack	KG	147,325	193,995	182,810
Methamphetamine/Ice	KG	99,771	195,268	119,629
Heroin	KG	5,965	4,359	2,538
Fentanyl	KG	4,316	9,877	13,657
Fentanyl	DU	4,149,037	11,455,188	44,408,465
Prescription Narcotics	KG	664	899	1,363
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Marijuana	KG	1,098,171	1,181,125	1,100,371

The wholesale value of these and other illicit drugs seized by HIDTAs in 2022 was \$22.3 billion.

