



American Association of Poison Control Centers

Synthetic Cannabinoid Data
May 31, 2018

These numbers reflect the closed human exposures to synthetic cannabinoid (THC homologs) reported to poison centers as of May 31, 2018. The numbers may change as cases are closed and additional information is received.

Year	Number of Cases
2011	6,968
2012	5,230
2013	2,668
2014	3,682
2015	7,797
2016	2,706
2017	1,958
2018	953

2018 by Month	Number of Cases
January 2018	145
February 2018	191
March 2018	171
April 2018	289
May 2018	157
June 2018	
July 2018	
August 2018	
September 2018	
October 2018	
November 2018	
December 2018	
Total	953

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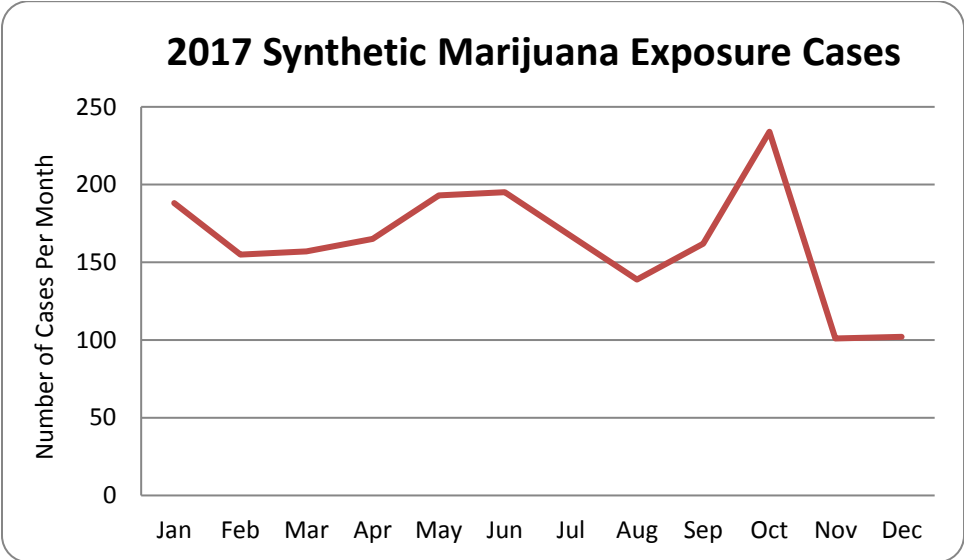
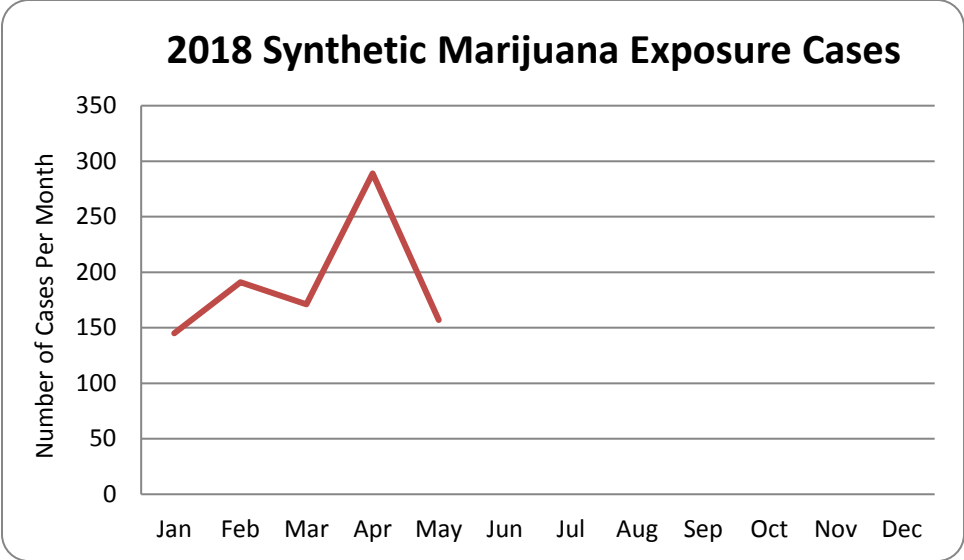
Month	Number of Cases		
	2018	2017	2016
January	145	188	292
February	191	155	282
March	144	157	302
April	271	165	207
May		193	228
June		195	171
July		167	224
August		139	211
September		162	176
October		234	155
November		101	279
December		102	179
Total	751	1,958	2,706

Month	Number of Cases			
	2015	2014	2013	2012
January	358	181	177	657
February	273	167	252	634
March	270	205	253	644
April	1,511	251	267	498
May	1,205	312	277	507
June	656	337	230	497
July	741	280	186	459
August	721	442	204	346
September	629	395	213	315
October	614	439	200	252
November	454	357	209	202
December	365	316	200	219
Total	7,797	3,682	2,668	5,230

Please note: American Association of Poison Control Center data for this year and last is considered preliminary because it is possible that a poison center may update a case anytime during the year if new information is obtained. In the fall of each year, the data for the previous year is locked, and no additional changes are made.

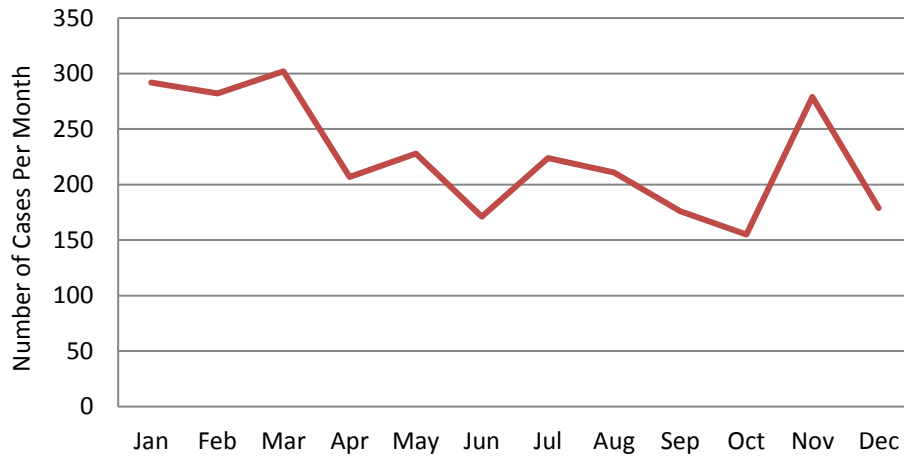
The term “exposure” means someone has had contact with the substance in some way; for example, ingested, inhaled, absorbed by the skin or eyes, etc. Not all exposures are poisonings or overdoses.

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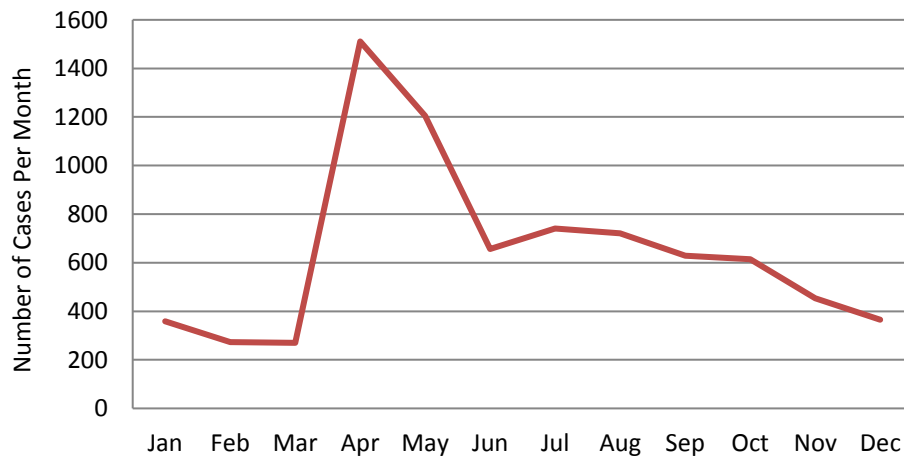


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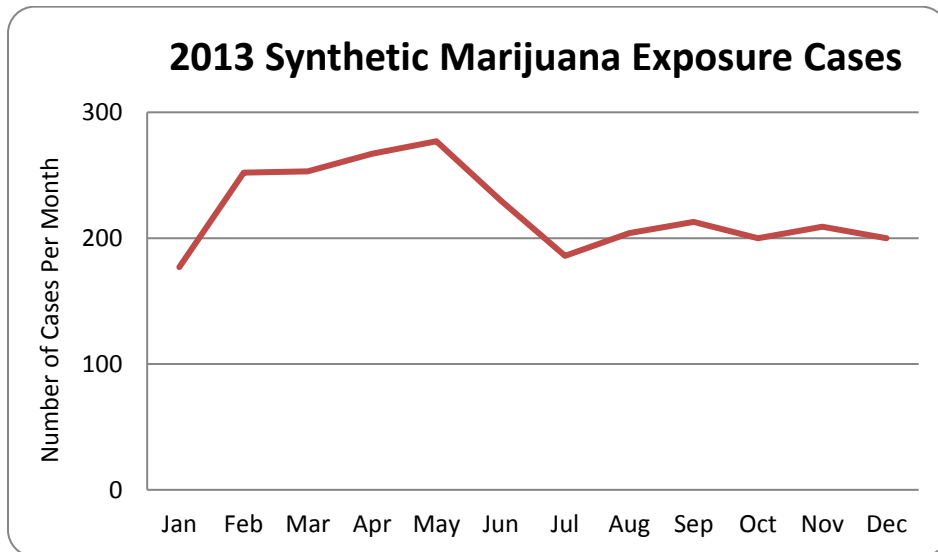
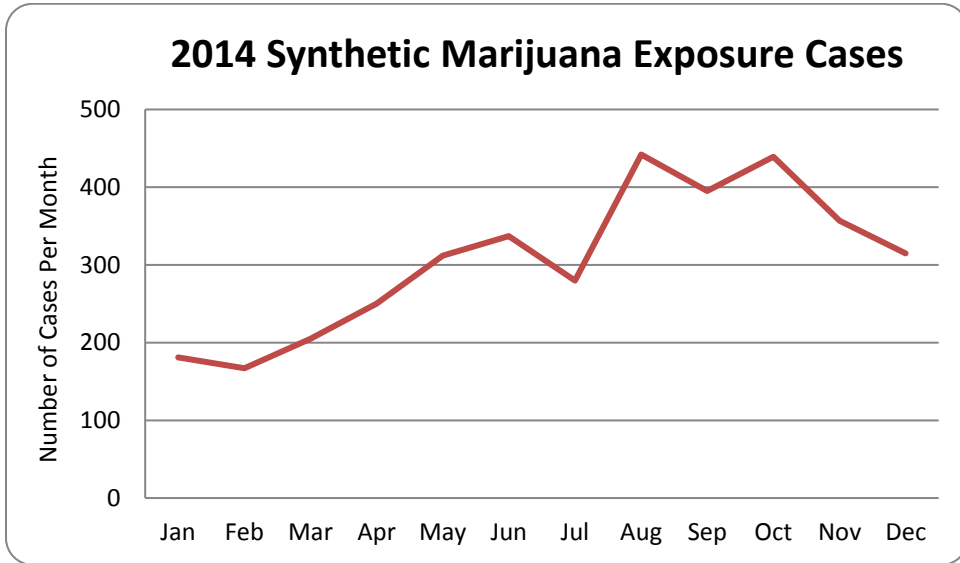
2016 Synthetic Marijuana Exposure Cases



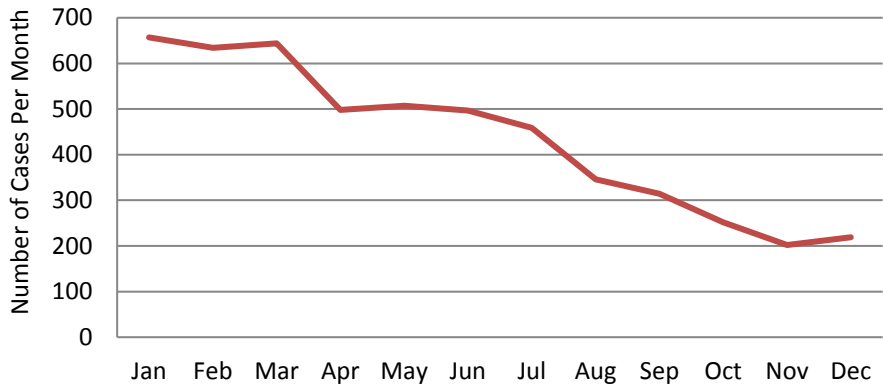
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2012 Synthetic Marijuana Exposure Cases



2011 Synthetic Marijuana Exposure Cases

