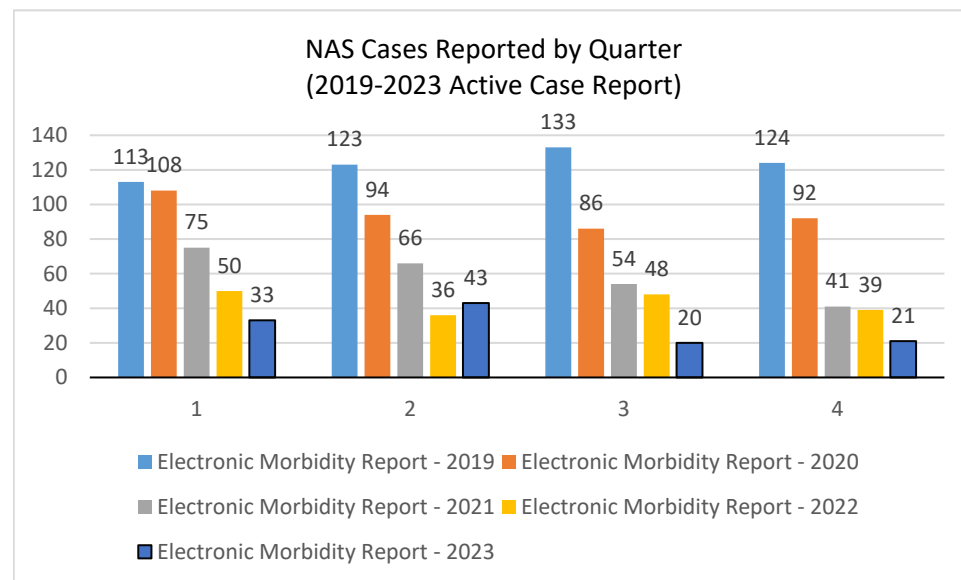


Virginia Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Active Case Reporting

Year to Date Reporting Summary
January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023

Total NAS Cases Reported†	117
Missing	0
In State	110
Out of State	7
Sex of Infant†	
Missing	0
Females	46
Males	71
Unknown	0
Severity of NAS Signs	
Mild signs requiring non-pharmacologic treatment	50
Severe clinical signs requiring pharmacotherapy	67
Other Supportive Elements for Diagnosis‡	
Maternal history of substances known to cause NAS	113
Positive maternal screening test for substances known to cause NAS	85
Positive neonatal screening test for substances known to cause NAS	95
No other supportive elements for diagnosis	40

Source of Exposure‡	
Medication-assisted treatment (MAT)	80
Legal prescription of opioid pain reliever	1
Legal prescription of a non-opioid	8
Prescription opioid obtained without prescription	30
Non-opioid prescription obtained without prescription	9
Heroin	11
Other non-prescription substance (e.g. illicit drugs other than heroin)	48
No known exposure but clinical signs consistent with NAS	42
Other (e.g. SSRIs, another drug used in the polysubstance instances)	9



†Data is reported as missing here if the clinician filing the case report omitted a response to this field in the data collection form.

‡More than one option may have been selected, so totals may sum to >100% of overall case total.

Note: Cases in system where reporter indicated that there were no signs or symptoms of withdrawal were omitted from this case report, as they do not meet the standard case definition in use.

*This report includes data recorded as of March 27, 2024.