

From Crisis to Hope.

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TO END THE OPIOID
EPIDEMIC.**



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Fentanyl overdoses were responsible for 73,654 deaths nationally in 2022. New York accounted for the third most deaths in the country.⁶



Ari Has Taken Action To Help Fight This Crisis:

- Eliminate loopholes and allow prosecutors to seek bail for additional criminal sale of a controlled substance crimes.¹
- Enact “Chelsey’s Law,” which targets those involved in the illicit drug trade whose actions cause death.²
- Designate xylazine as a Schedule I depressant, outlawing its unprescribed possession and use.³
- Expand eligibility for compensation from the New York State Office of Victims Services’ Crime Victim Assistance Program for fatal drug overdoses resulting from a sale that is categorized as criminally negligent.⁴
- Establish “Overdose Awareness Day” on August 31.⁵

1. A.8383 | 2. A.8384 | 3. A.8395 | 4. A.8397 | 5. A.4426 | 6. <https://usafacts.org/articles/are-fentanyl-overdose-deaths-rising-in-the-us/>

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