

GENERAL REGISTER OFFICE FOR SCOTLAND

Drug-related deaths in Scotland, 2006

Table 2: Drug-related deaths, by NHS Board area, 1996 - 2006

| NHS Board area | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 |
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| Scotland | 244 | 224 | 249 | 291 | 292 | 332 | 382 | 317 | 356 | 336 | 421 |
| Ayrshire & Arran | 3 | 6 | 4 | 15 | 20 | 35 | 33 | 19 | 20 | 15 | 25 |
| Borders | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | - | 2 | 2 | 7 | 2 |
| Dumfries & Galloway | 4 | 7 | 4 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 9 | 7 | 7 | 5 |
| Fife | 3 | 8 | 13 | 9 | 12 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 17 | 21 | 19 |
| Forth Valley | - | 4 | 2 | 8 | 4 | 9 | 24 | 12 | 16 | 14 | 24 |
| Grampian | 29 | 22 | 26 | 38 | 31 | 46 | 47 | 37 | 39 | 23 | 47 |
| Greater Glasgow & Clyde ¹ | 107 | 83 | 115 | 129 | 132 | 117 | 152 | 131 | 151 | 111 | 162 |
| Highland ¹ | 3 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 13 | 10 | 12 | 13 | 12 |
| Lanarkshire | 11 | 12 | 21 | 23 | 29 | 24 | 37 | 25 | 33 | 40 | 40 |
| Lothian | 58 | 48 | 37 | 39 | 37 | 54 | 39 | 40 | 36 | 57 | 46 |
| Orkney | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| Shetland | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 2 |
| Tayside | 24 | 30 | 23 | 14 | 14 | 19 | 14 | 19 | 23 | 26 | 35 |
| Western Isles | - | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 1 |
| Argyll & Clyde ² | 18 | 16 | 23 | 30 | 31 | 22 | 31 | 27 | 35 | 29 | 36 |

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| Greater Glasgow & Clyde pt. | 17 | 16 | 22 | 29 | 28 | 21 | 26 | 24 | 31 | 26 | 35 |
| Highland pt. | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| Greater Glasgow ² | 90 | 67 | 93 | 100 | 104 | 96 | 126 | 107 | 120 | 85 | 127 |
| Highland ² | 2 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 8 | 7 | 8 | 10 | 11 |

1. New NHS Board areas including parts of former Argyll & Clyde

2. Former NHS Board areas (before dissolution of Argyll & Clyde on 1 April 2006).
