



Data Brief

**Trends in Methamphetamine Use
1997-2011**

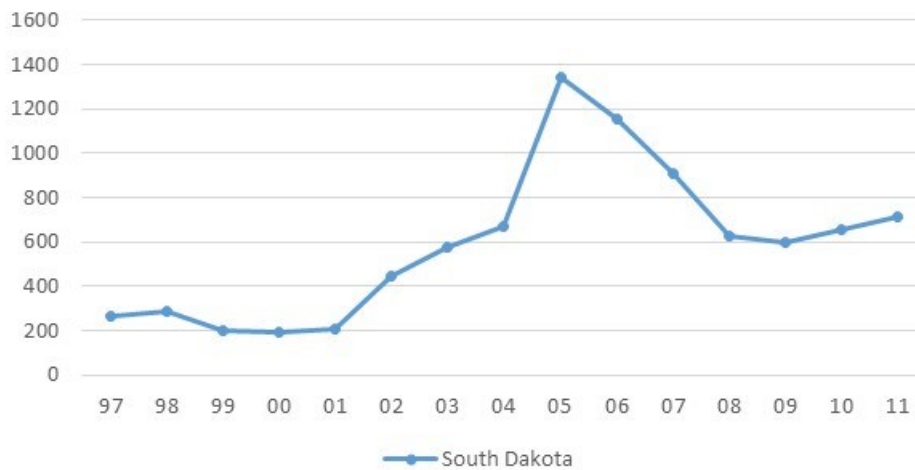
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Methamphetamine/amphetamine treatment admissions changed little before 2001, but increased dramatically to its peak in 2005 with 1,234 admissions. At that level, there were approximately 206 admissions per 100,000 South Dakota residents 12 years old and older, nearly triple the nationwide rate at 69 admissions per 100,000.

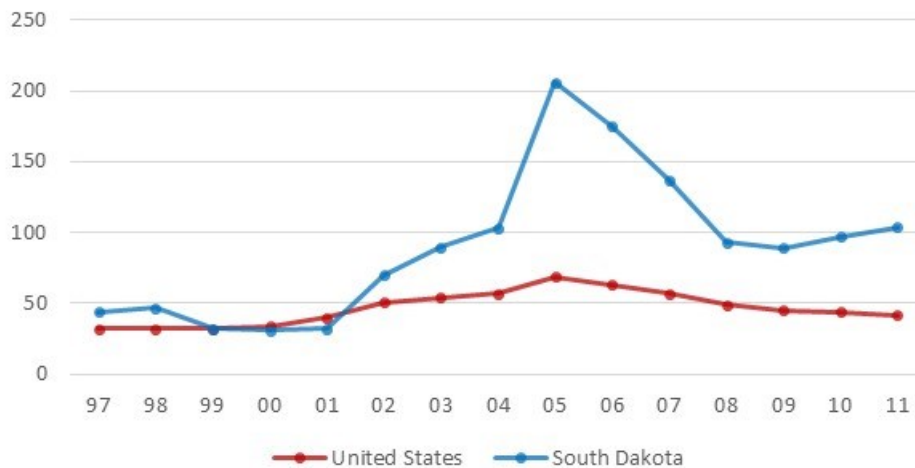
After peaking in 2005, the number of admissions then dropped down to 601, or 89 per 100,000, in 2009. That was the lowest number of admissions since 2003.

Admissions for individuals 12 years old and older have increased from 601 admissions in 2009 to 716 admissions in 2011, which is the most current data available.

South Dakota Meth Admissions



Meth Admissions per 100,000



Source: Treatment Episode Data Set <http://media.samhsa.gov/data/DASIS.aspx>

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