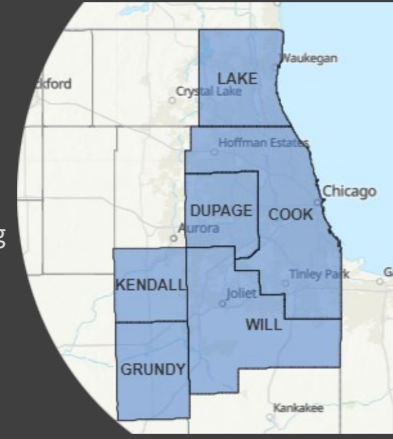


Chicago High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area



Mission Statement

The primary mission of the Chicago HIDTA Program is to enhance and coordinate drug control efforts among federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies. These coordinated efforts, in conjunction with prevention and treatment programs, are focused on reducing drug trafficking and its harmful consequences in our geographic area of responsibility and other affected areas of the United States. Chicago HIDTA's goals are to reduce the production, manufacturing, distribution, transportation, and chronic use of illegal drugs.



Drug Education: The Science Behind The Drugs



Chicago HIDTA sponsors and supports the "Science Behind Drugs" program in partnership with Candor Health to educate and inform the youth population of the region regarding the dangers and deadly effects of opioids. Focusing on middle school children, the mission is to prevent opioid abuse before it ruins lives.

Investigative Support Center (ISC)



The operational mission of the ISC is to provide actionable, accurate, detailed, and timely tactical, investigative, and strategic criminal intelligence to HIDTA initiatives, HIDTA participating agencies and other law enforcement agencies as appropriate, enabling effective and efficient utilization of valuable investigative resources.

Overdose Response Strategy (ORS)



Chicago HIDTA's ORS is a collaborative partnership between public health and public safety professionals that gathers, analyzes, and disseminates vital information to reduce fatal and non-fatal overdoses. Data sharing, collaboration, education, and prevention are the four pillars of the ORS strategy to aid communities in saving lives in response to the opioid epidemic.

Initiatives



Chicago HIDTA facilitates 13 enforcement initiatives comprised of federal, state and local law enforcement agencies. Their mission is to investigate, disrupt, and dismantle local, regional, and international Drug Trafficking Organizations (DTOs) operating in the Chicago-HIDTA region. Other initiatives include diversion, prevention, education and training.

Chicago HIDTA is federally funded and locally administered, supporting 75 agencies and 7.5 million people.

Drugs and Assets Seized 2020

Cocaine:	591 Kilograms	Value of Drugs Seized:	
Heroin:	159 Kilograms	\$82.2 million	
Fentanyl:	72 Kilograms	Value of Assets Seized:	
Meth:	1,112 Kilograms	\$42.2 million	
Cannabis:	5,169 Kilograms	ROI:	\$18.68

Education and Training

HIDTA-Candor Health Program	
Students Taught 2018-2020:	31,449
HIDTA Training Initiative	
Officers trained 2018-2020:	3,906

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