

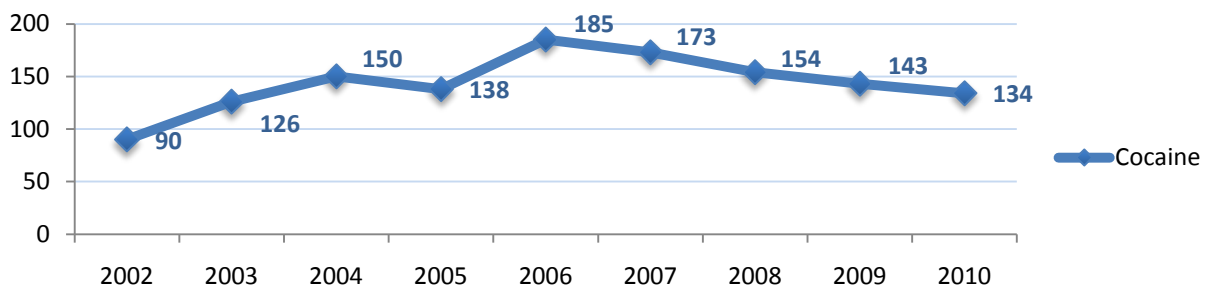
Crack/Cocaine Fact Sheet



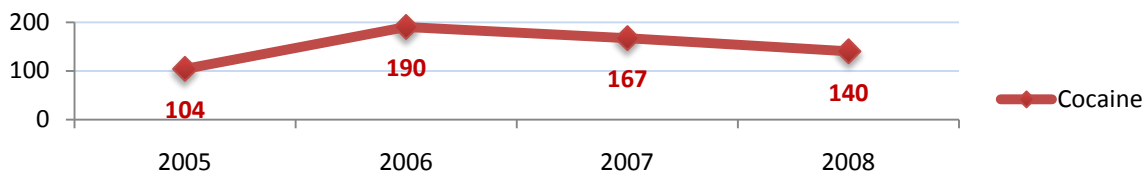
- In 2010 in Pinellas County, 1.4% of middle school students and 4.7% of high school students had tried Crack or Crack Cocaine at least once in their life.¹
- In 2009 in Pinellas County, out of the 733 Alcohol and other drug charges by youth (under 18 years of age), 13.8% were for Crack/Cocaine possession and 3.1% were for Crack/Cocaine Sales.²
- In 2010 in Pinellas County, 2.1% of youth admitted to the Juvenile Addiction Receiving Facility (detox) reported cocaine was their primary drug of use.³
- In 2008, 8.9% of Central Florida college students (including the Tampa-Bay area) reported using cocaine in their lifetime.⁴
- In 2009 in Pinellas County, out of the 4,750 young adult (ages 18 to 25) drug-related possession charges, **more than one out of five** (22.8%) were crack/cocaine related.²
- In 2009 in Pinellas County, out of the 984 young adult (ages 18 to 25) drug-related sales charges, **half** (49.5%) were crack/cocaine related.²
- In 2010 in Pinellas County, Cocaine was identified as present or the cause of death in 19 young adults (ages 18-29) in toxicology reports performed by the Medical Examiner.⁵
- In 2010 in Pinellas County, Cocaine was identified as present or the cause of death in 77 adults (ages 30-59) in toxicology reports.⁵
- From 2009 to 2010 in District 6 (Pinellas and Pasco Counties), the cases of with Cocaine found in toxicology reports decreased from 143 to 134, a decrease of 6.3%.⁵
- In 2008 in Pinellas County, there were **over 11 individuals a month** (140 in the year) admitted to the emergency department with cocaine as their primary diagnoses.⁶

District 6 (Pinellas and Pasco Counties) Medical Examiner's Data for Substances Found in Decedents at Time of Death

Substance	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Cocaine	90	126	150	138	185	173	154	143	134



Pinellas County Cocaine Related Emergency Department Primary Diagnoses⁶



¹ 2010, Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey

² 2009, Criminal Justice Information System

³ 2010, Personal Enrichment through Mental Health Services

⁴ 2008, Core Alcohol and Drug Survey from the Florida Institutions of Higher Education

⁵ District 6 Medical Examiner's Office

⁶ Florida Agency for Healthcare Administration (AHCA)

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