




Intentional Poisoning Calls Reported to The Texas Poison Center Network, 2000-2006

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Intentional Poisoning Calls Reported to The Texas Poison Center Network (TPCN), 2000-2006 – Objectives:

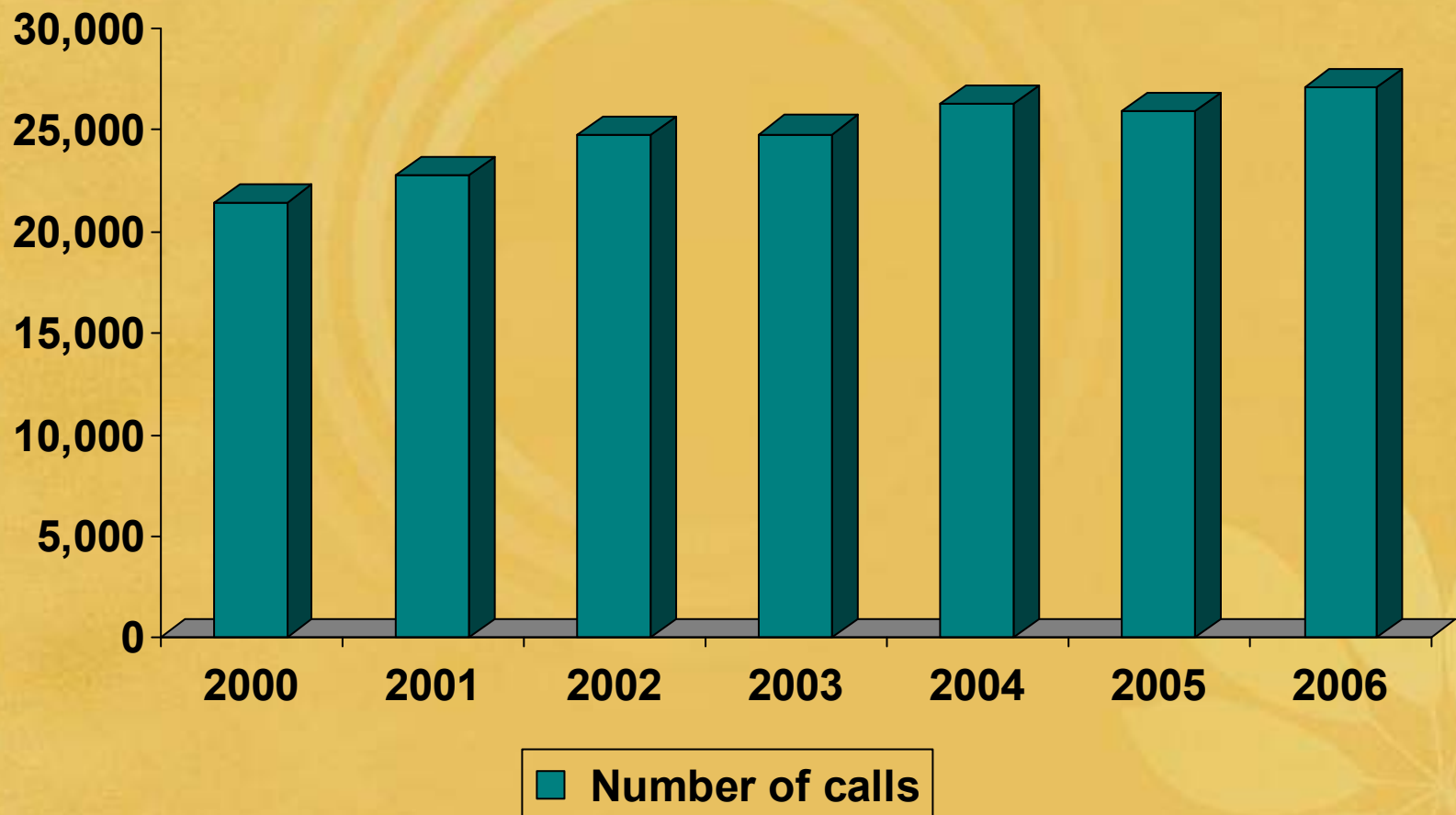
- To determine who is at highest risk of intentional poisoning exposures in Texas
 - To determine what particular substances are involved in the intentional poisonings in Texas
 - To gain an understanding of the treatment and health outcomes of intentional poisonings in Texas
 - To increase awareness of this issue.
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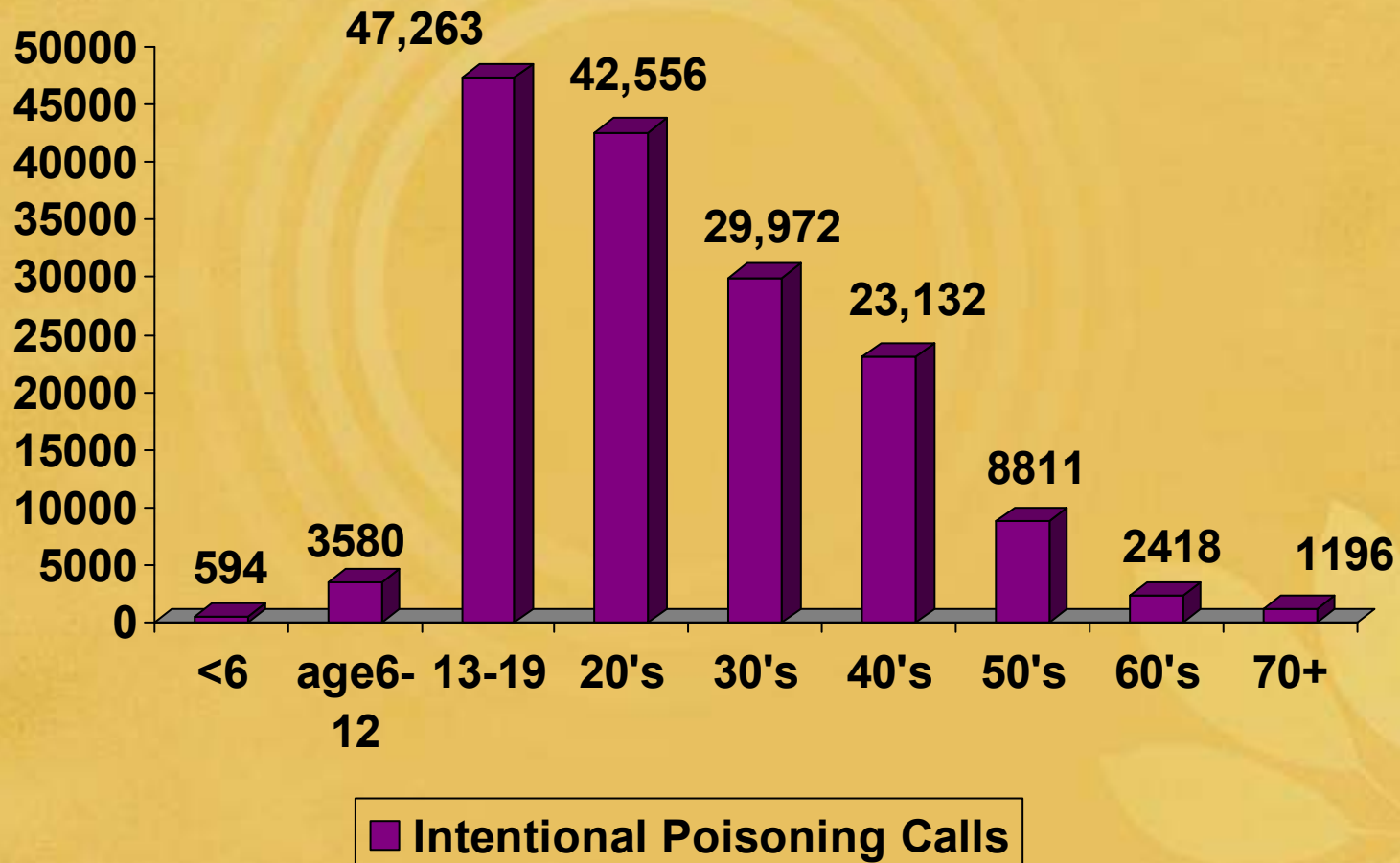
Types of Intentional Poisoning Calls Reported to The Texas Poison Center Network, 2000-2006

- **Intentional, suspected suicide 115, 214 (66.6%)**
 - **Intentional, misuse 18,140 (10.5%)**
 - **Intentional, abuse 31,536 (18.3%)**
 - **Intentional, unknown 8,093 (4.7%)**
 - **Total Known 172,983**
 - **58% Female**
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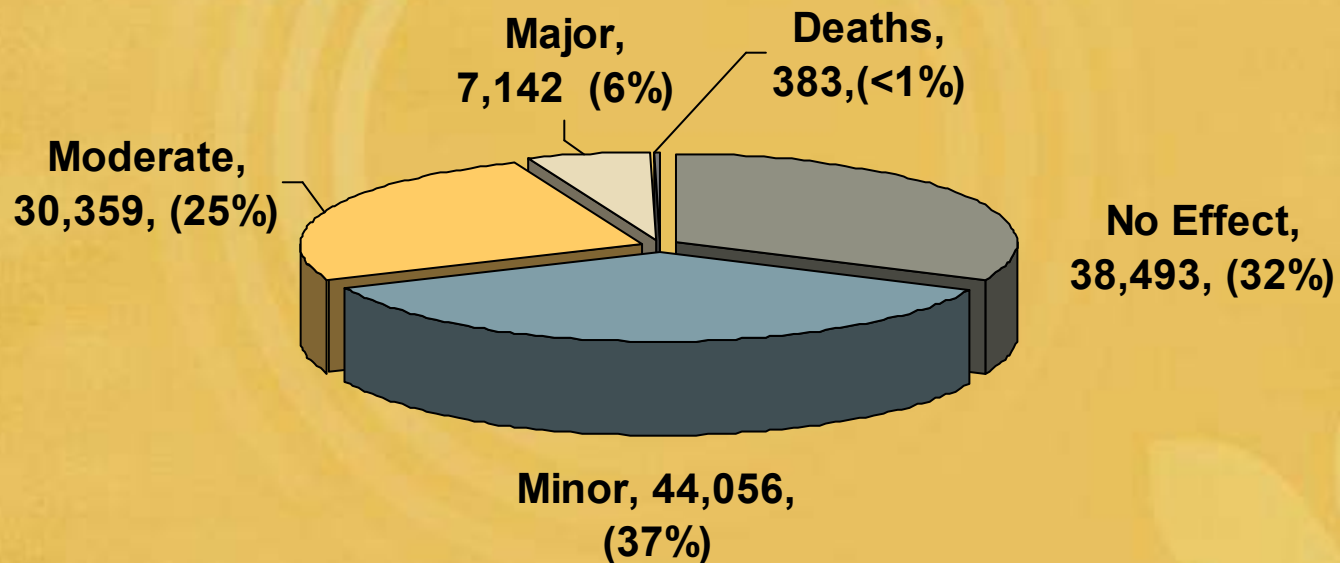
Intentional Poisoning Calls Reported to the Texas Poison Center Network, 2000 – 2006, by year (n=172,983)



Intentional Poisoning Calls Reported to TPCN, by age group, 2000-2006 (n=159,535 known)

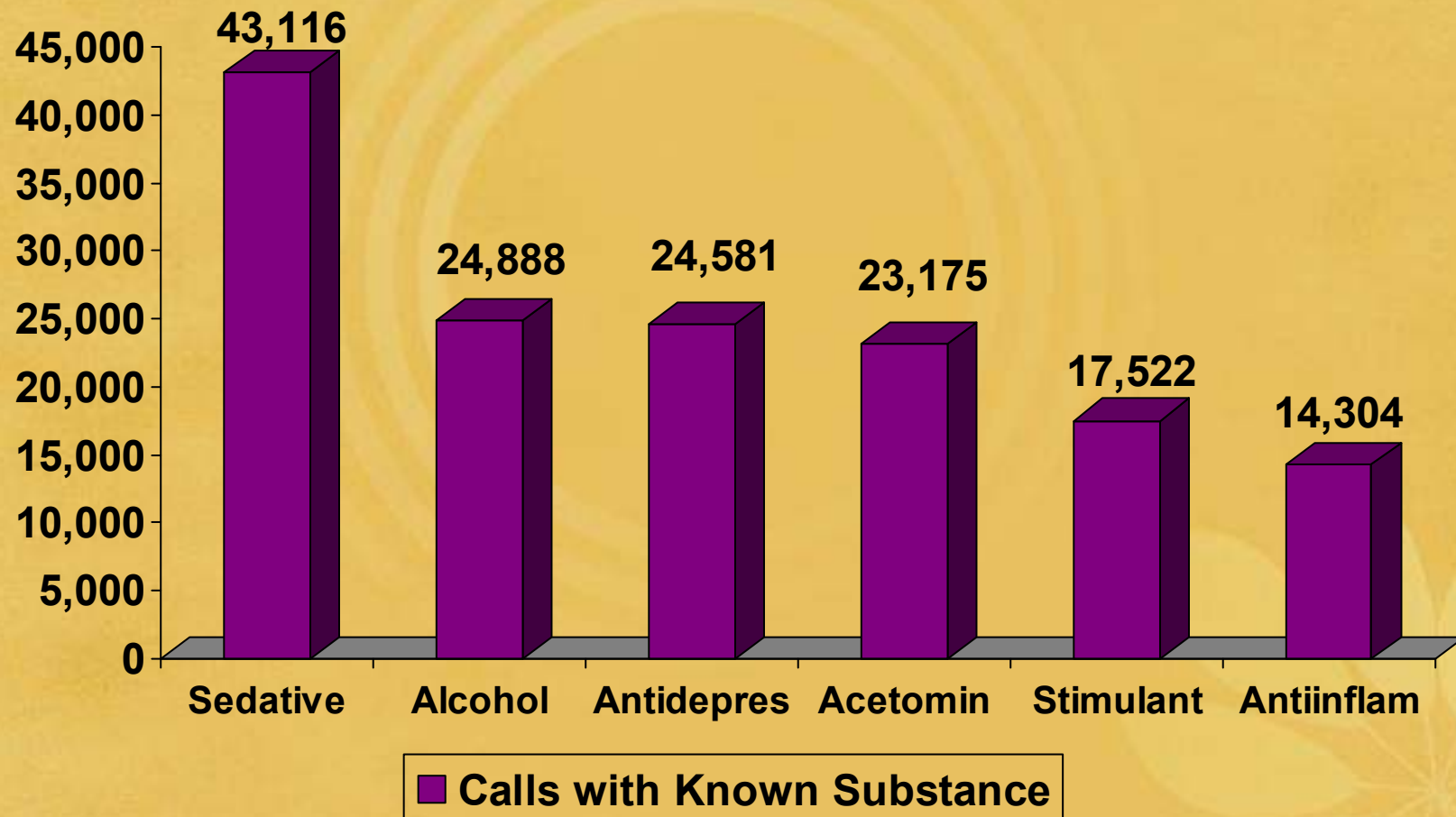


Intentional Poisoning Calls Reported to TPCN, by outcome, 2000-2006 (n=120,433 known)

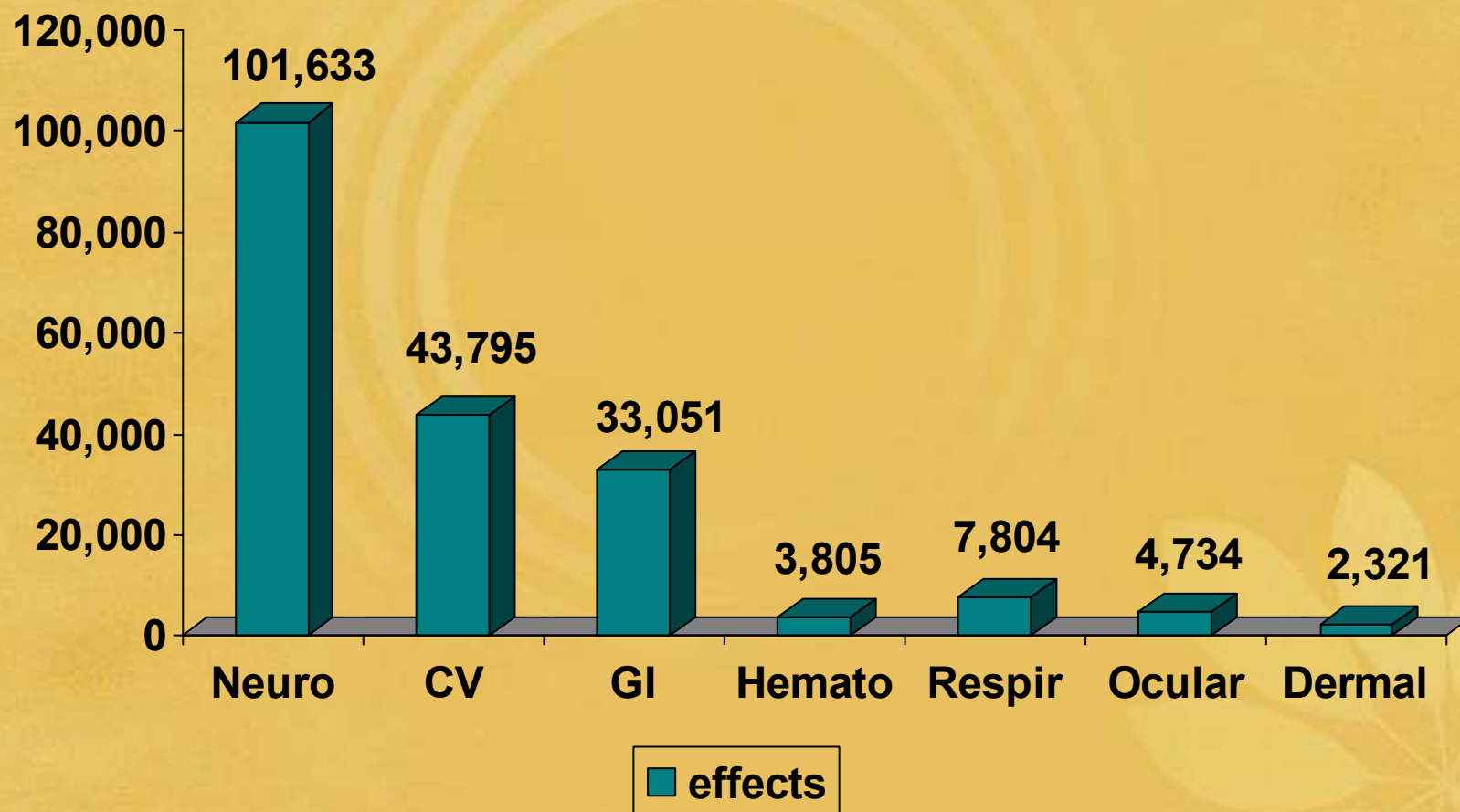


■ No Effect ■ Minor ■ Moderate ■ Major ■ Deaths

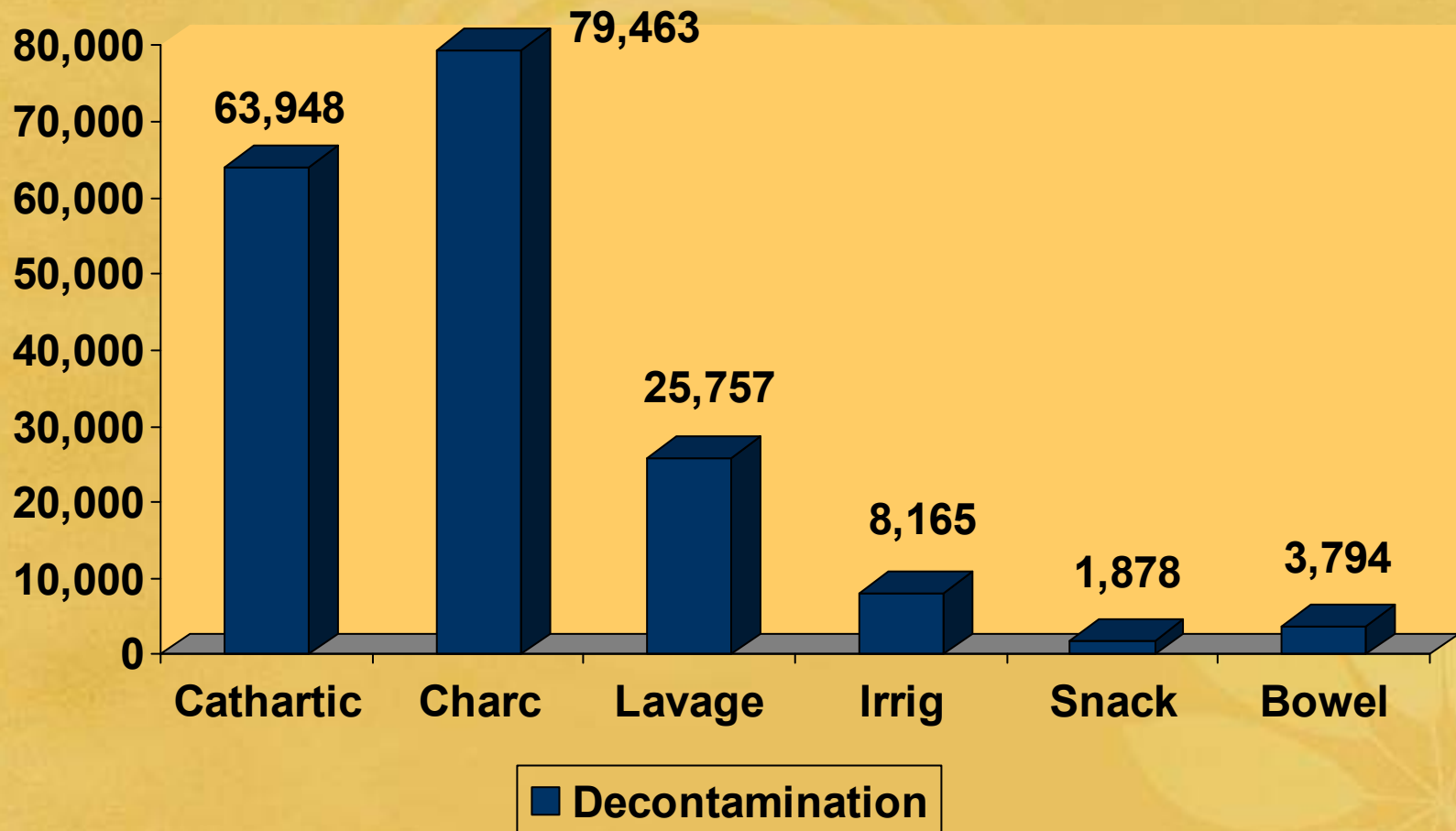
Major Substances Used in Intentional Poisonings for calls reported to TPCN, 2000-2006



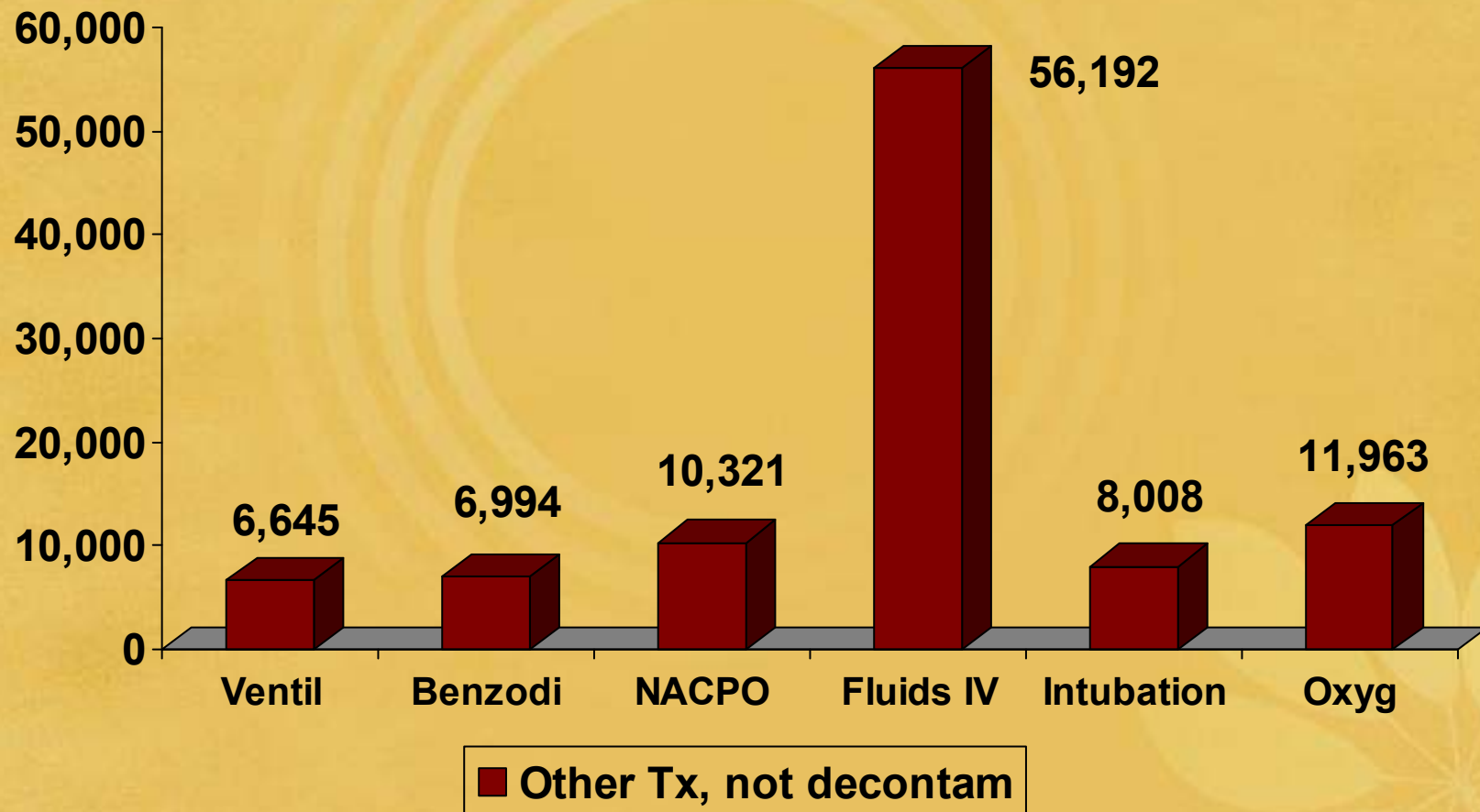
Major Clinical Effects for substances used in Intentional Poisoning calls to TPCN, 2000-2006



Major Treatments Used for Intentional Poisoning calls reported to TPCN, 2000 -2006

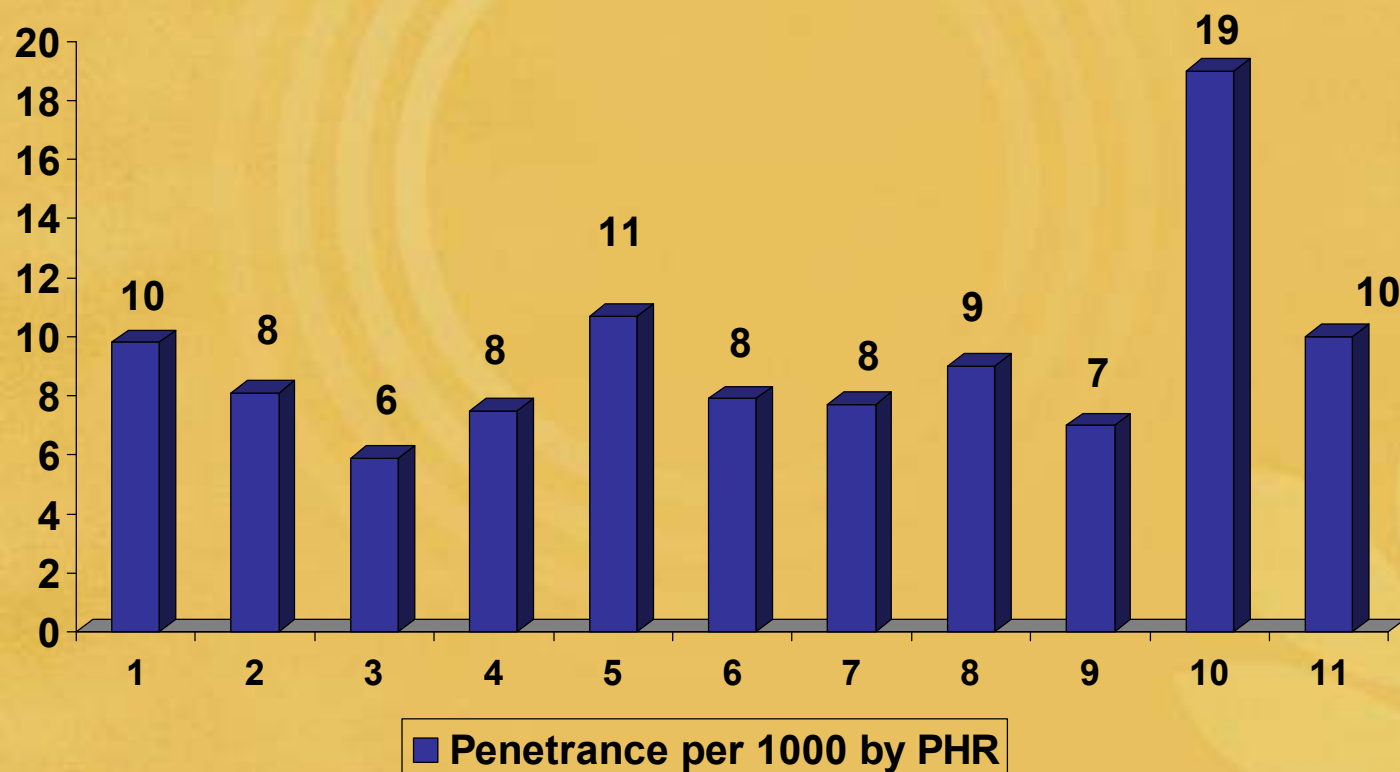


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Intentional Poisoning Calls - Penetrance per 1,000 population per year, by Public Health Region, 2000 – 2006

n=170,482



Poison Center Website and Info

- The redesigned website for the Texas Poison Center Network is available at:
- **www.poisoncontrol.org**
- Call the Texas Poison Center Network at **1-800-222-1222** if you think someone has been poisoned

