

OD in Chicago: Fentanyl laced heroin epidemic 2015



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Officials remove the body of a man from an East Garfield Park apartment Friday. Police are investigating whether he OD'd on heroin from one of the dangerous batches.

Chicago sees 3-day spate of ODs

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 **Chicago Sun-Times**

Chicago No. 1 in heroin use but lags in treatment



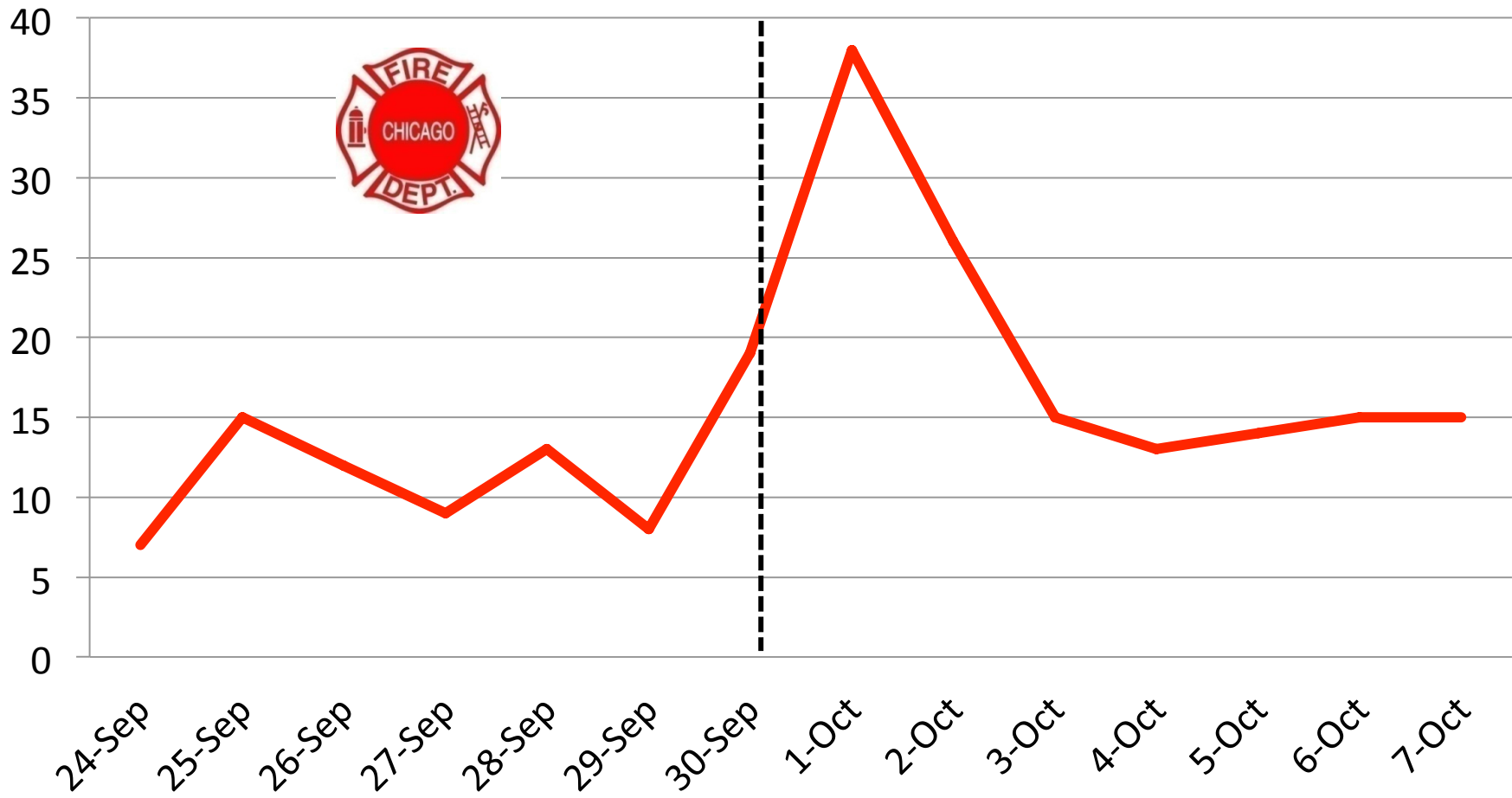
Customers line up for heroin in the 3700 block of West Grenshaw in Chicago on June 16, 2015. | Photo in federal complaint

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Increases in Fentanyl Drug Confiscations and Fentanyl-related Overdose Fatalities



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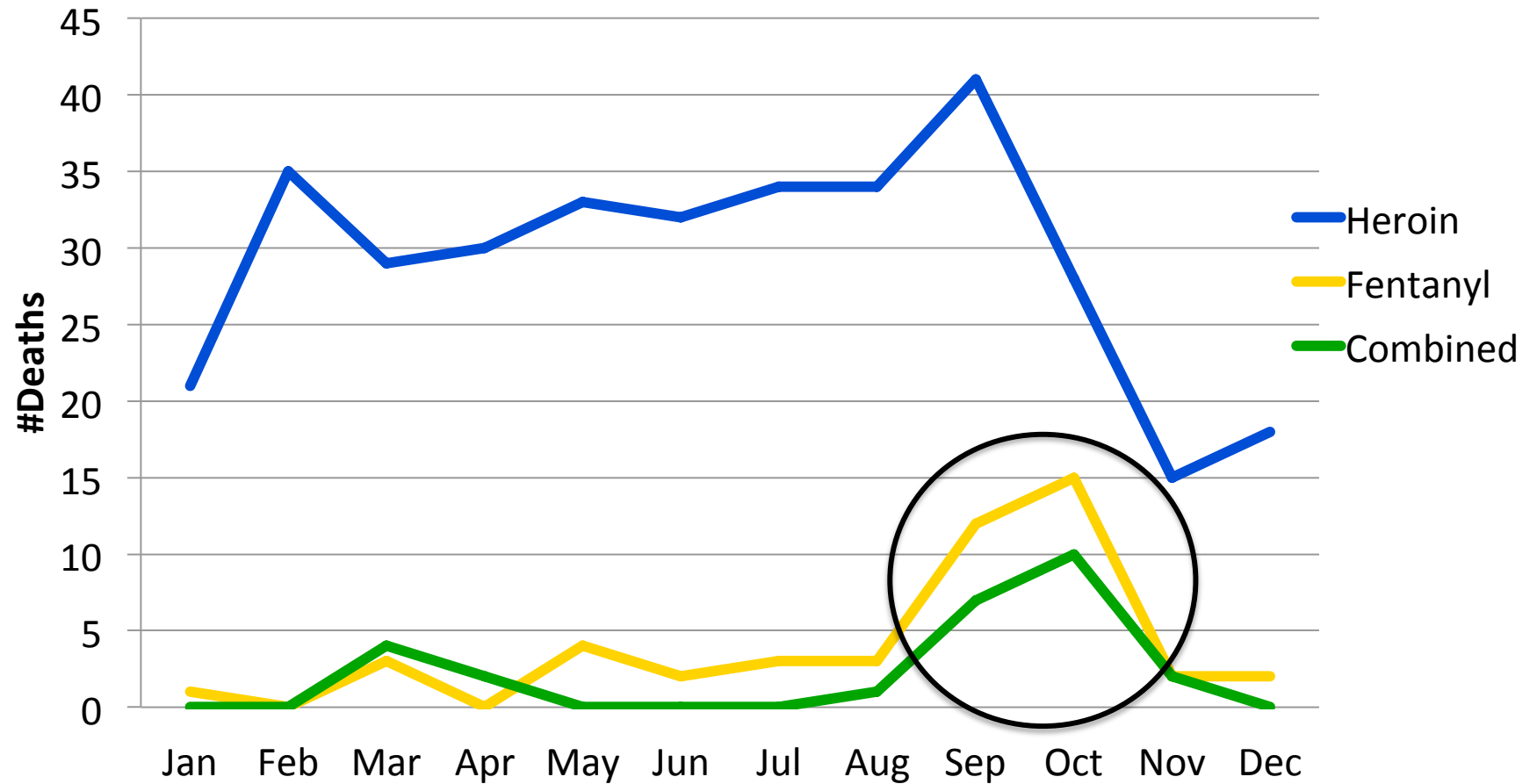
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- Medical Examiners Data
- EMS Data
- Poison Center Data

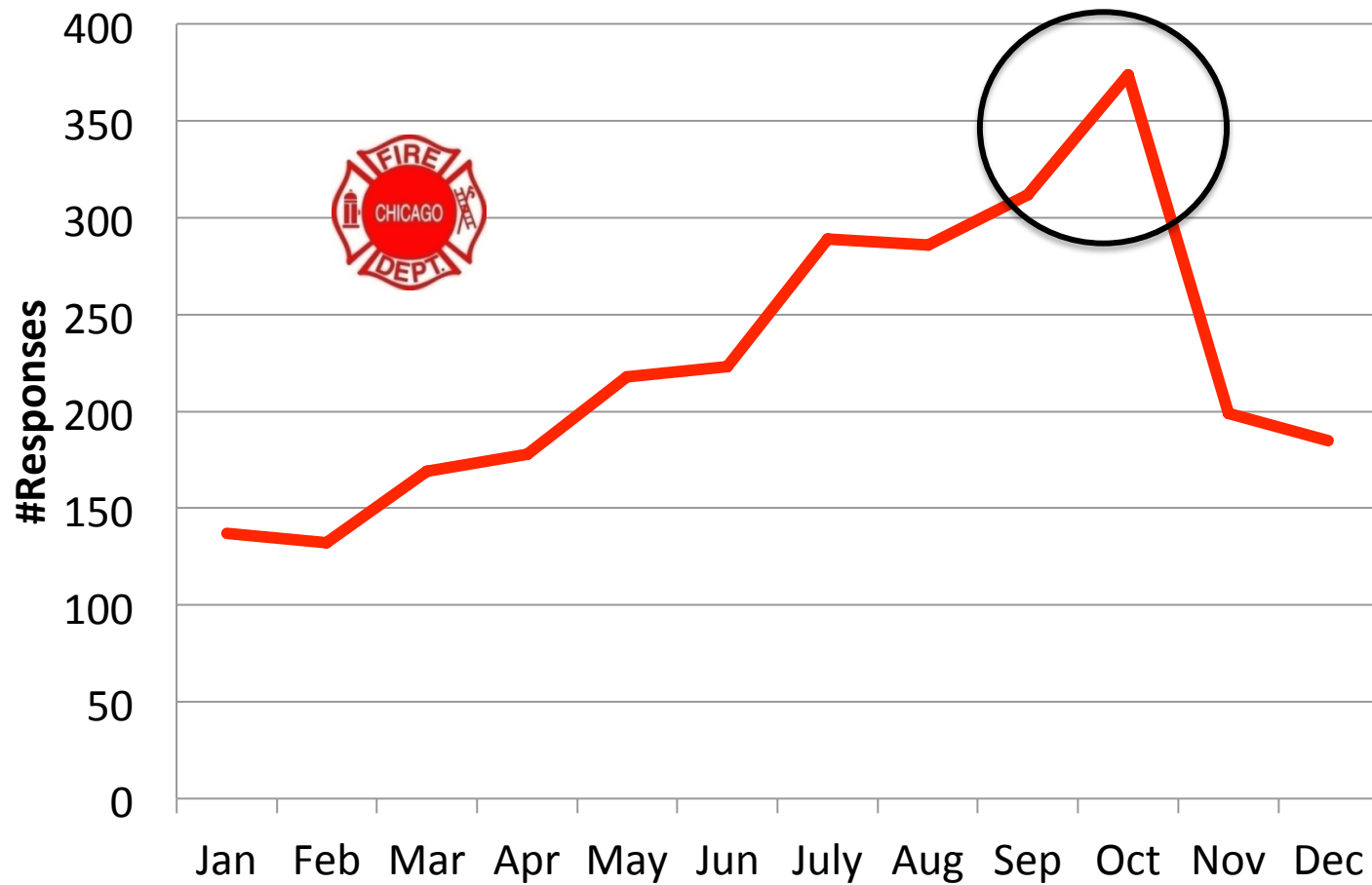


Cook County Medical Examiners Office Heroin/Fentanyl OD Deaths 2015

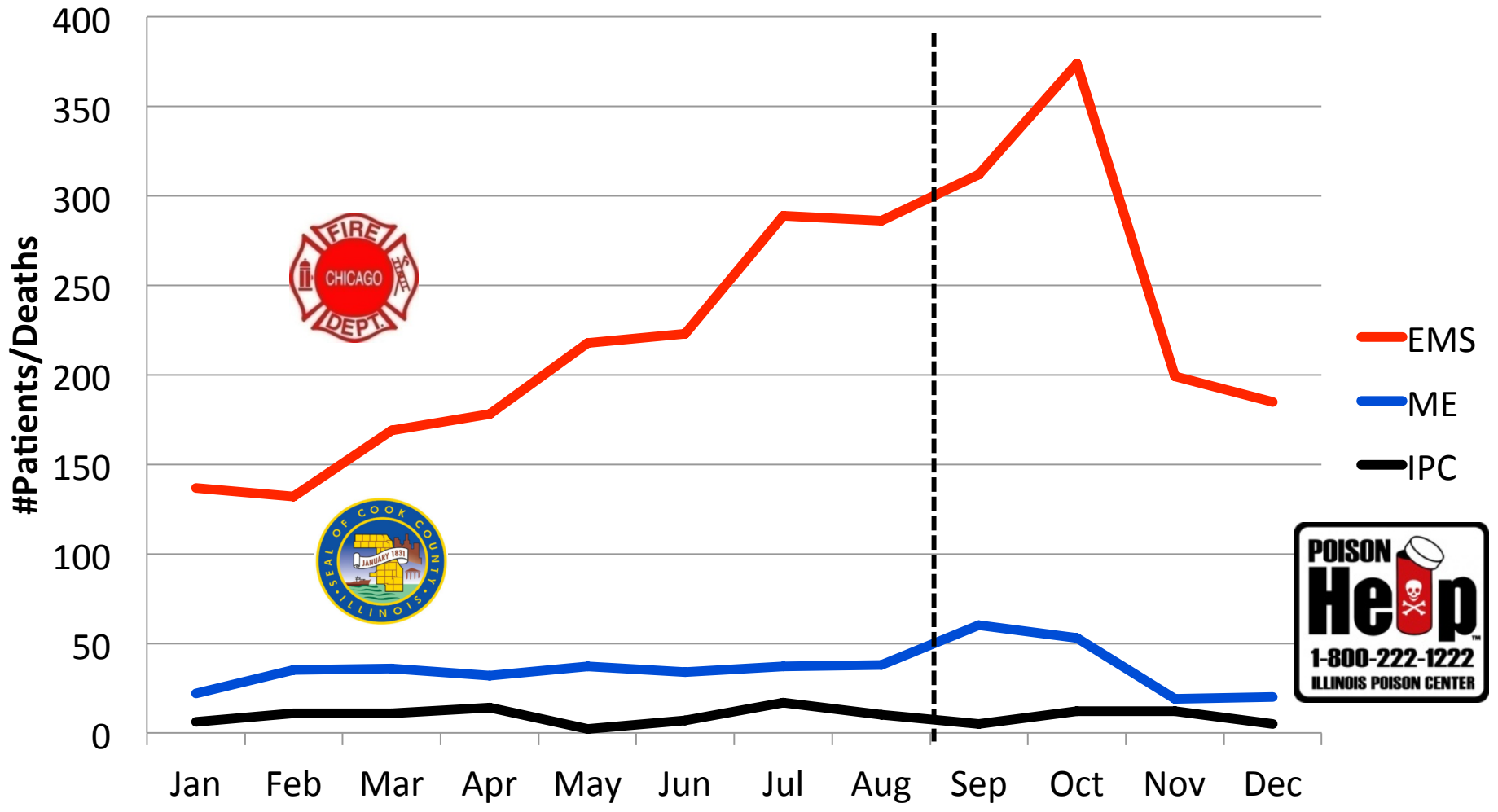




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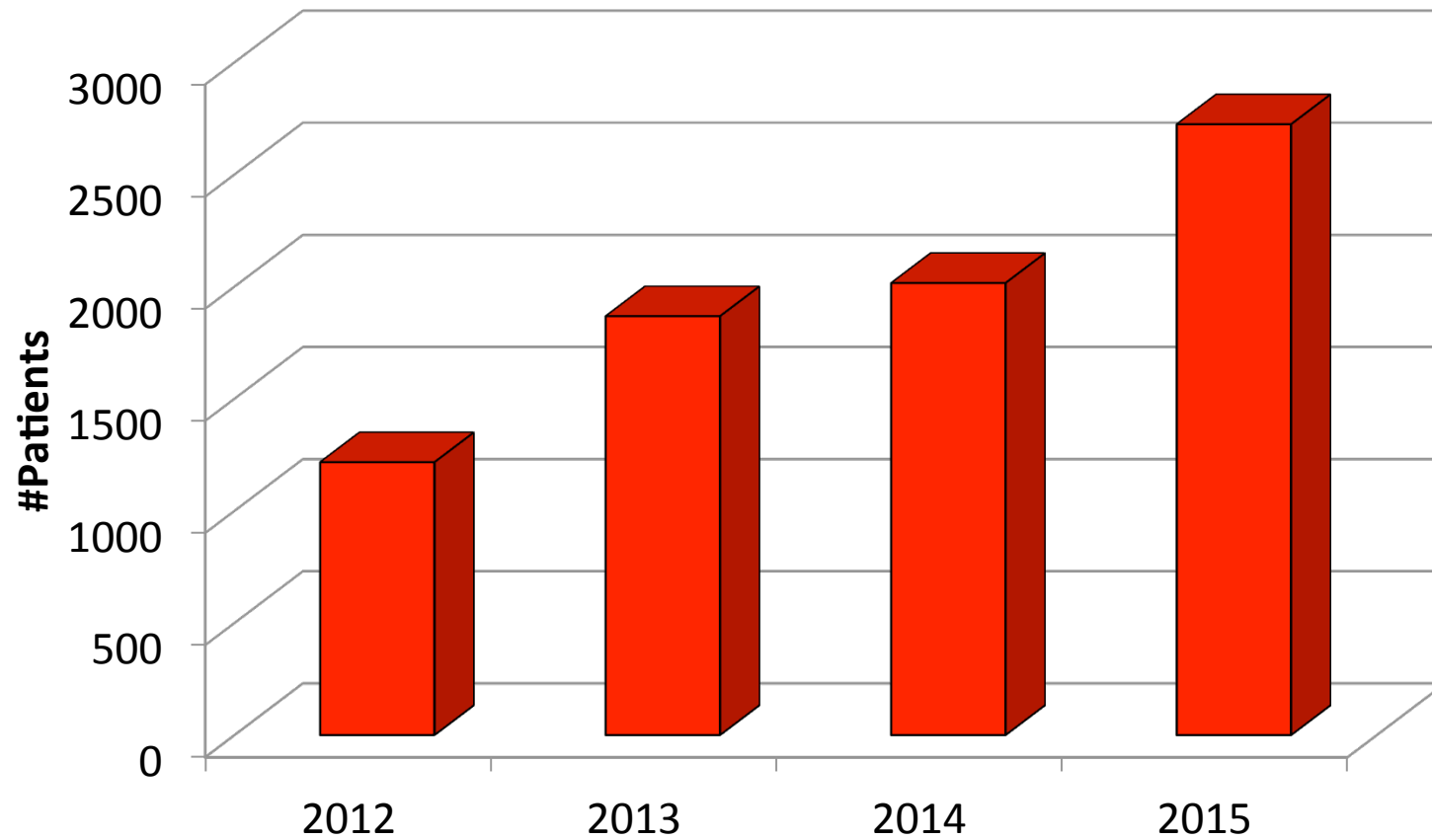


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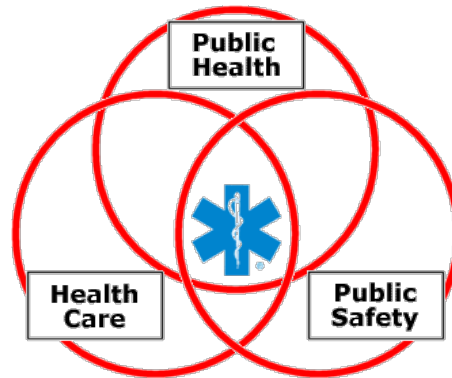
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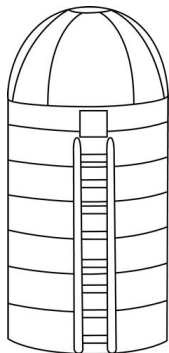
1. EMS on frontline



2. Syndrome Surveillance



3. Unify our data



4. Empower our providers





Thank you



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