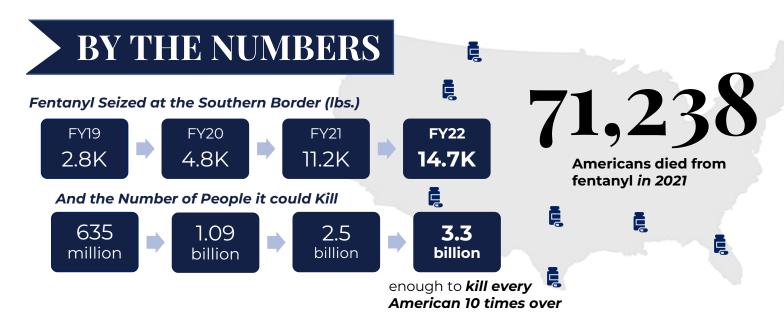
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FENTANYL FATALITIES IN PERSPECTIVE

50 TIMES STRONGER THAN HEROINFOUND IN ALL **50 STATES**



HOW ARE AMERICANS DYING FROM FENTANYL?

• Fentanyl is illicitly manufactured in China and illegally imported into Mexican ports

• Mexican cartels control these ports and obtain imported fentanyl, which is smuggled across the southern border

• Drug cartels and dealers lace fentanyl into other street drugs for a cheaper high

· Americans buy these drugs, unaware that they contain fentanyl. It is nearly impossible to distinguish by taste or sight

 Drug users are dying from unknowingly ingesting a deadly dose of fentanyl, which can be less than the size of a grain of sugar

