

## Independent Variables

### 1. GDP per capita

#### a. West

virginia

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#### b. New Hampshire

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#### c. Nebraska

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### 2. Unemployment rate

- <https://data.bls.gov/dataQuery/find?q=unemployment+rate+west+virginia&s=title:A&r=100&st=0>

### 3. Health insurance coverage - SAHIE program

- <https://www.census.gov/data/datasets/time-series/demo/sahie/estimates-ac.html>

4. Prescription opioid sales - measured by MME per capita
  - a. <https://www.cdc.gov/overdose-prevention/data-research/facts-stats/opioid-dispensing-rate-maps.html>
5. Education attainment (% of population with Bachelor's Degree or Higher)
  - a. <https://fred.stlouisfed.org/release/tables?eid=391496&rid=330>
6. Poverty estimate
  - a. <https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/saipe/data/datasets.html?text-list-f3a9e60fd7%3Atab=2023#text-list-f3a9e60fd7>

#### Dependent Variables

1. Drug overuse deaths
  - a. <https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/vsrr/prov-county-drug-overdose.htm>

#### Link to code

1. [GDP Data Preprocessing](#)
2. [Opioid Dispensing Rate Data Preprocessing](#)
3. [Health Insurance Coverage Data Preprocessing](#)
4. [Unemployment Data Preprocessing](#)
5. [Poverty Data Preprocessing](#)
6. [Opioid Overdose Deaths Data Preprocessing](#)
7. [Models and Evaluation](#)