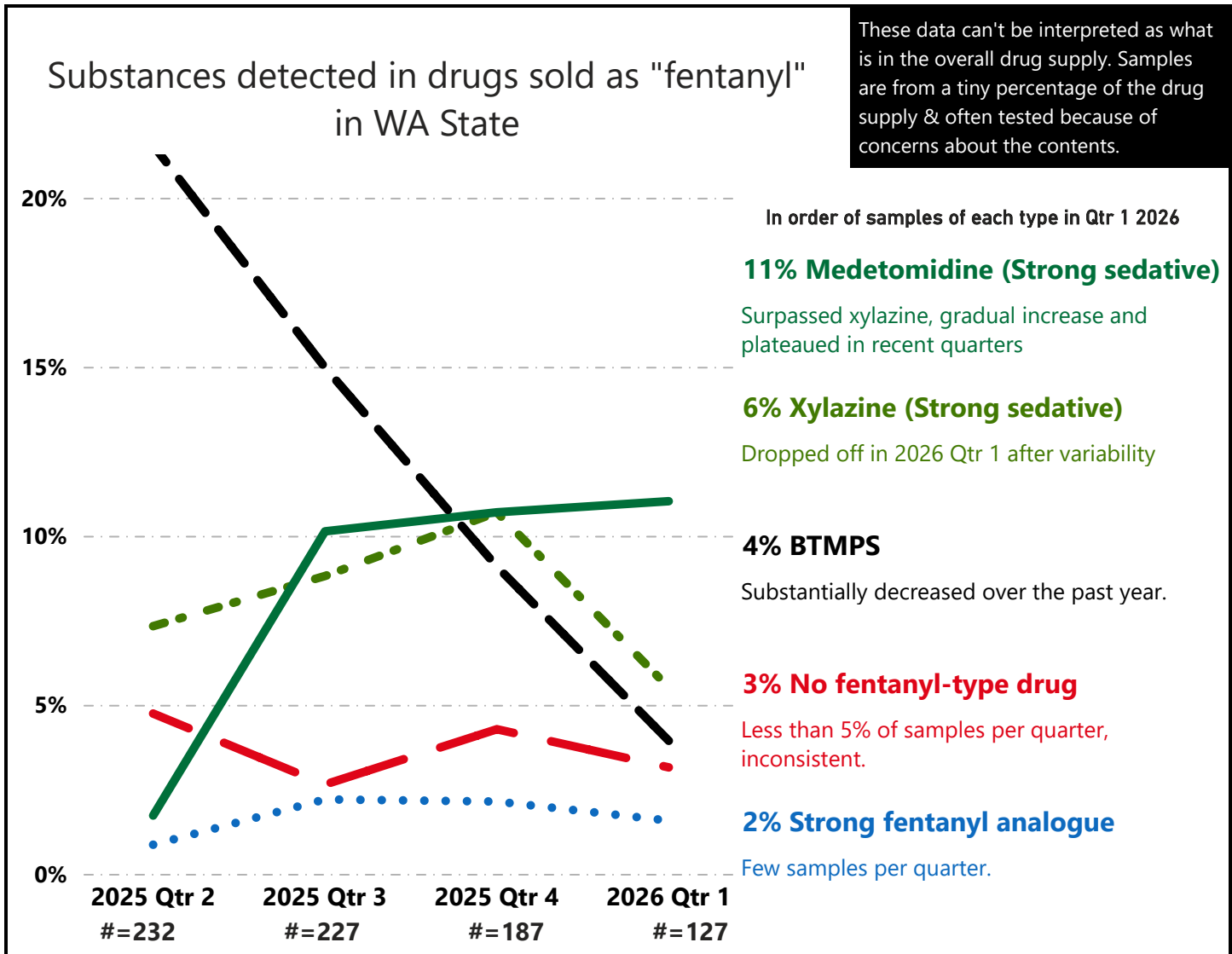


What's in the "fentanyl" in Washington State?

Results from chemical analysis of drug samples that were sold as "fentanyl" suggest rapid changes of what's in the "fentanyl." Samples were collected at community drug checking network sites across Washington State.

Most drugs sold as fentanyl contained additional substances

773 Samples collected between: [04/01/2025](#) to [03/06/2026](#)



What can I do to protect myself? Stay vigilant!

- Shifts in fentanyl supply can affect your body's reaction, tolerance, and make dosing more difficult which can increase the chances of overdose.
- Get the latest info from your local harm reduction program. Get your drugs checked.
- Always carry naloxone.
- Take care of your overall health. See a medical provider if you are having health problems.
- Buprenorphine and methadone can decrease the chances of dying by more than 50%. They can also help you reduce or stop your fentanyl/opioid use. [Ask a health clinic or harm reduction program how to get these medications.](#)

Data collected by WA State Community Drug Checking Network Sites & analyzed by the University of Washington

More information at <https://adai.uw.edu/cedeer/drugchecking/>



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