

*NEW JERSEY STATE POLICE, OFFICE OF DRUG MONITORING & ANALYSIS*  
*NEW JERSEY DRUG-RELATED DEATH DEMOGRAPHICS*



*January 1, 2015 – October 15, 2021*



# 2020 NEW JERSEY CENSUS DATA ON RACE

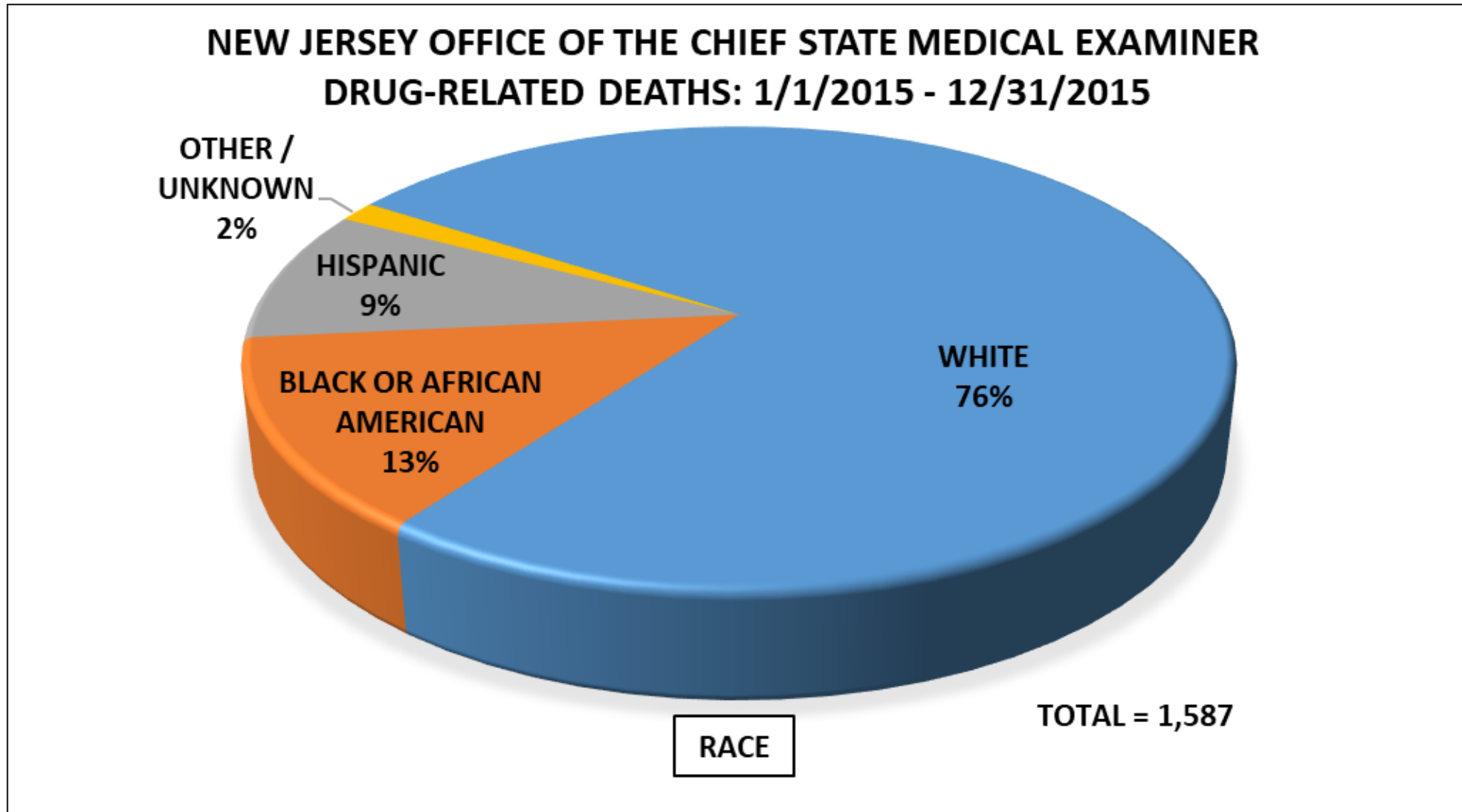
County	White	Black/African American	Hispanic/Latino	Other*
Atlantic	54.2%	14.2%	19.6%	12.0%
Bergen	53.6%	5.2%	21.4%	19.8%
Burlington	63.8%	16.2%	8.7%	11.3%
Camden	53.3%	18.2%	18.2%	10.3%
Cape May	84.0%	3.5%	7.8%	4.6%
Cumberland	42.7%	17.1%	34.4%	5.8%
Essex	27.2%	37.5%	24.4%	10.8%
Gloucester	74.5%	10.4%	7.3%	7.7%
Hudson	28.5%	9.8%	40.4%	21.2%
Hunterdon	81.2%	2.3%	8.5%	8.0%
Mercer	43.5%	18.7%	21.7%	16.1%
Middlesex	38.6%	9.1%	22.4%	29.8%
Monmouth	71.6%	6.1%	12.5%	9.8%
Morris	67.0%	3.1%	15.1%	14.9%
Ocean	81.7%	2.8%	10.4%	5.1%
Passaic	38.8%	9.9%	42.7%	8.6%
Salem	69.8%	14.0%	10.1%	6.1%
Somerset	51.4%	8.8%	16.6%	23.2%
Sussex	82.0%	2.0%	9.9%	6.1%
Union	36.7%	19.5%	34.0%	9.8%
Warren	76.9%	5.1%	11.2%	6.9%
<b>NJ</b>	<b>51.9%</b>	<b>12.4%</b>	<b>21.6%</b>	<b>14.2%</b>

Note: \*Other contains Asian, American Indian or Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, and Some Other Race, alone.

Source: United States Census Bureau Data, 2020.

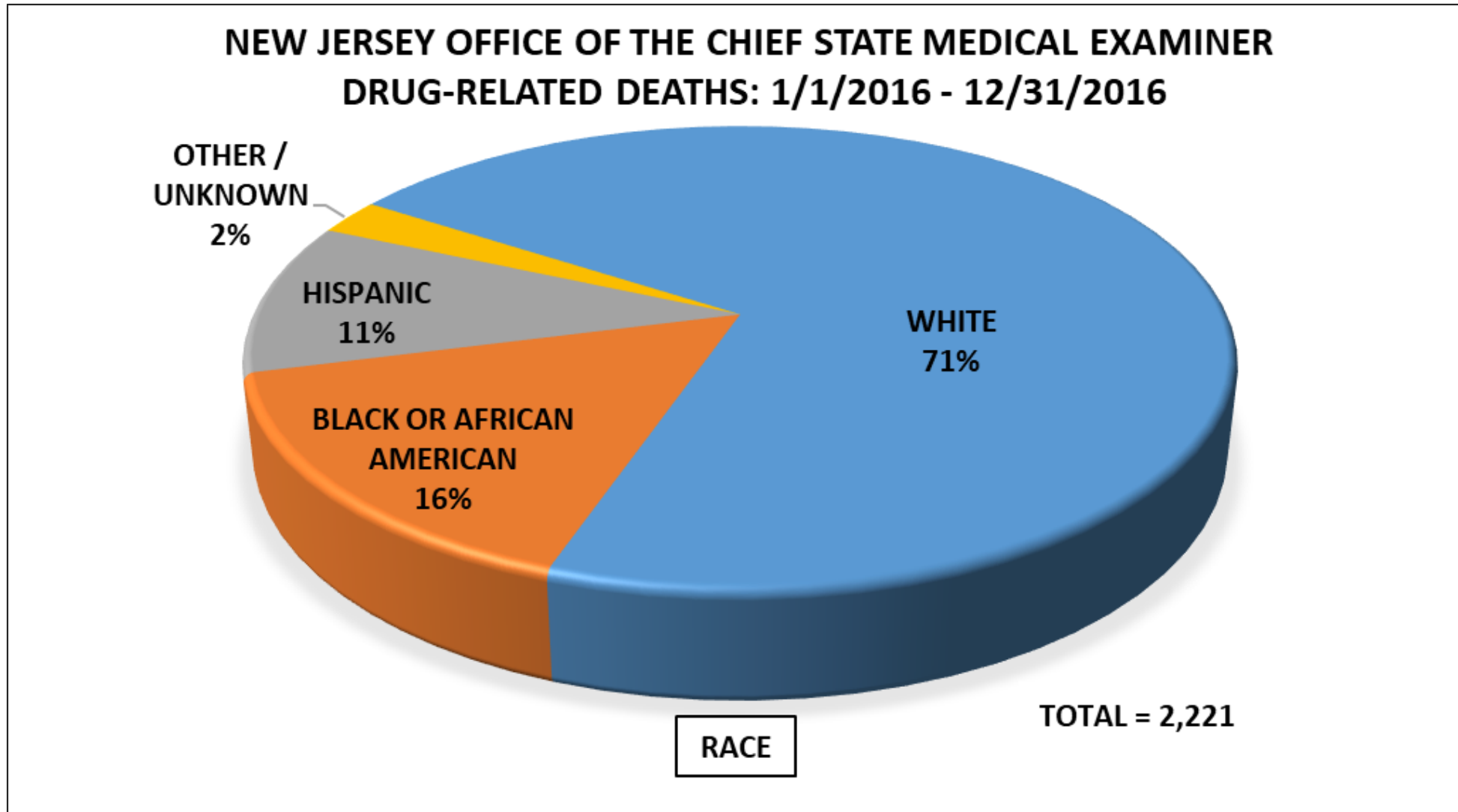


# 2015 DRUG-RELATED DEATHS: RACE





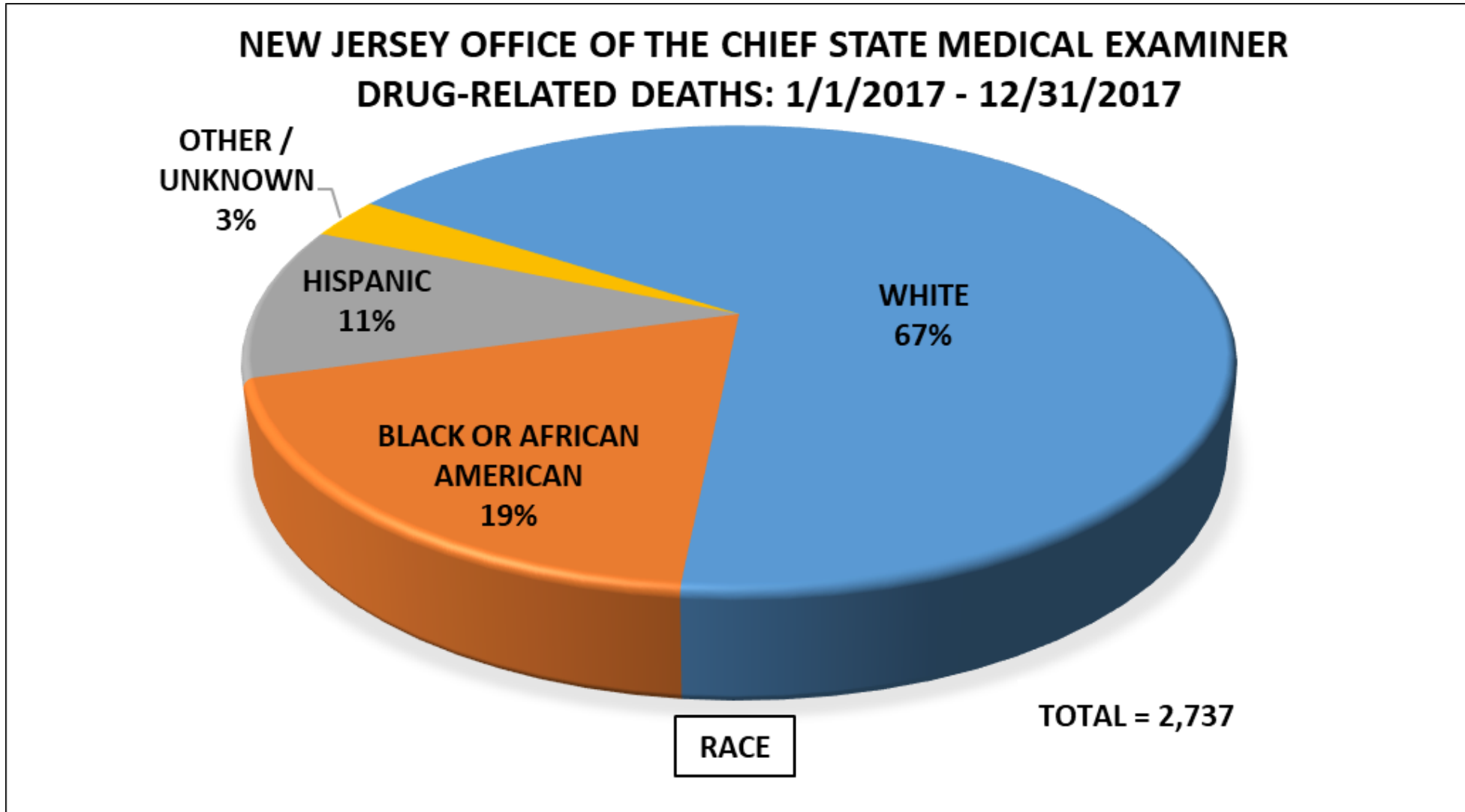
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Source: NJ Office of the Chief State Medical Examiner. All information preliminary and subject to change.



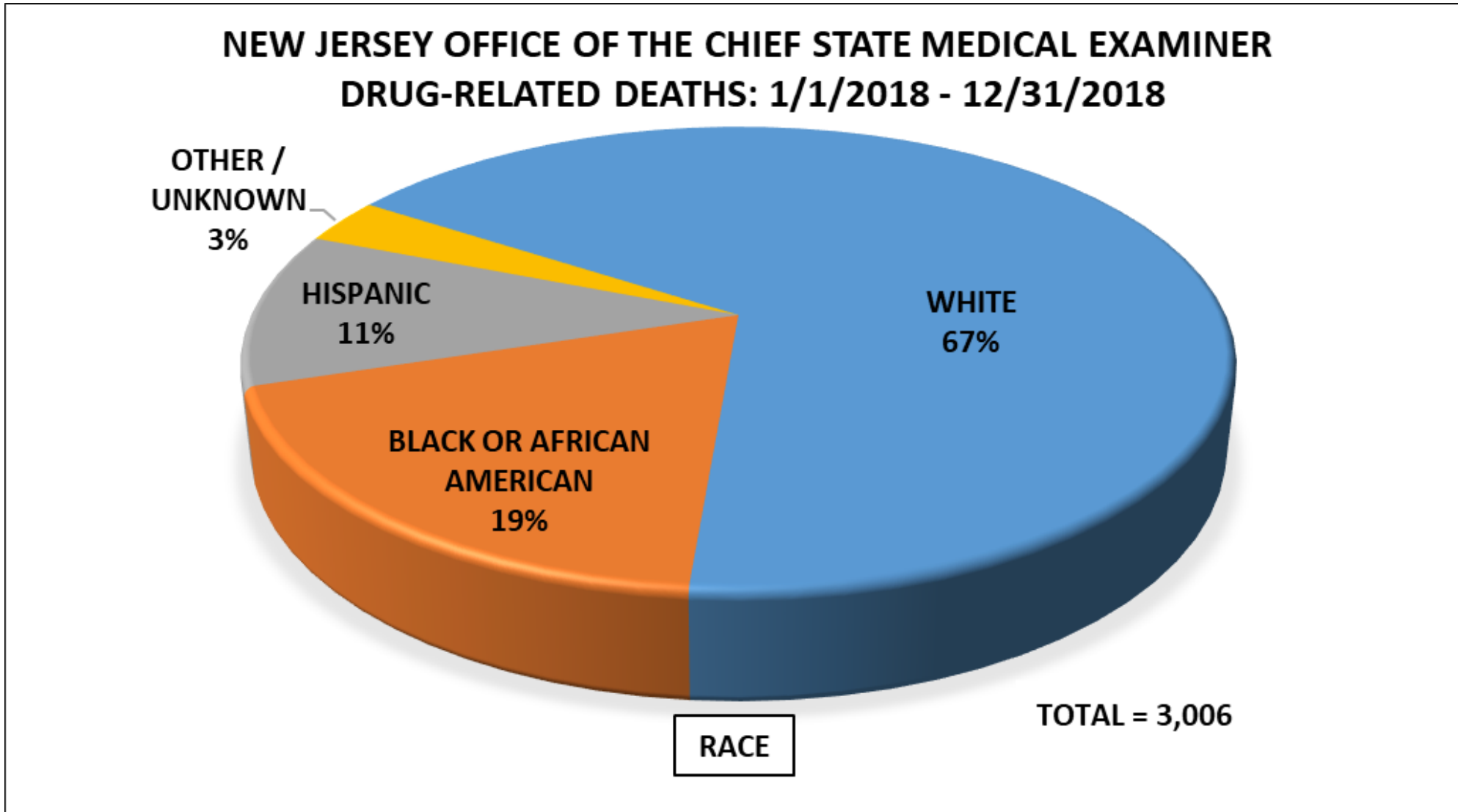
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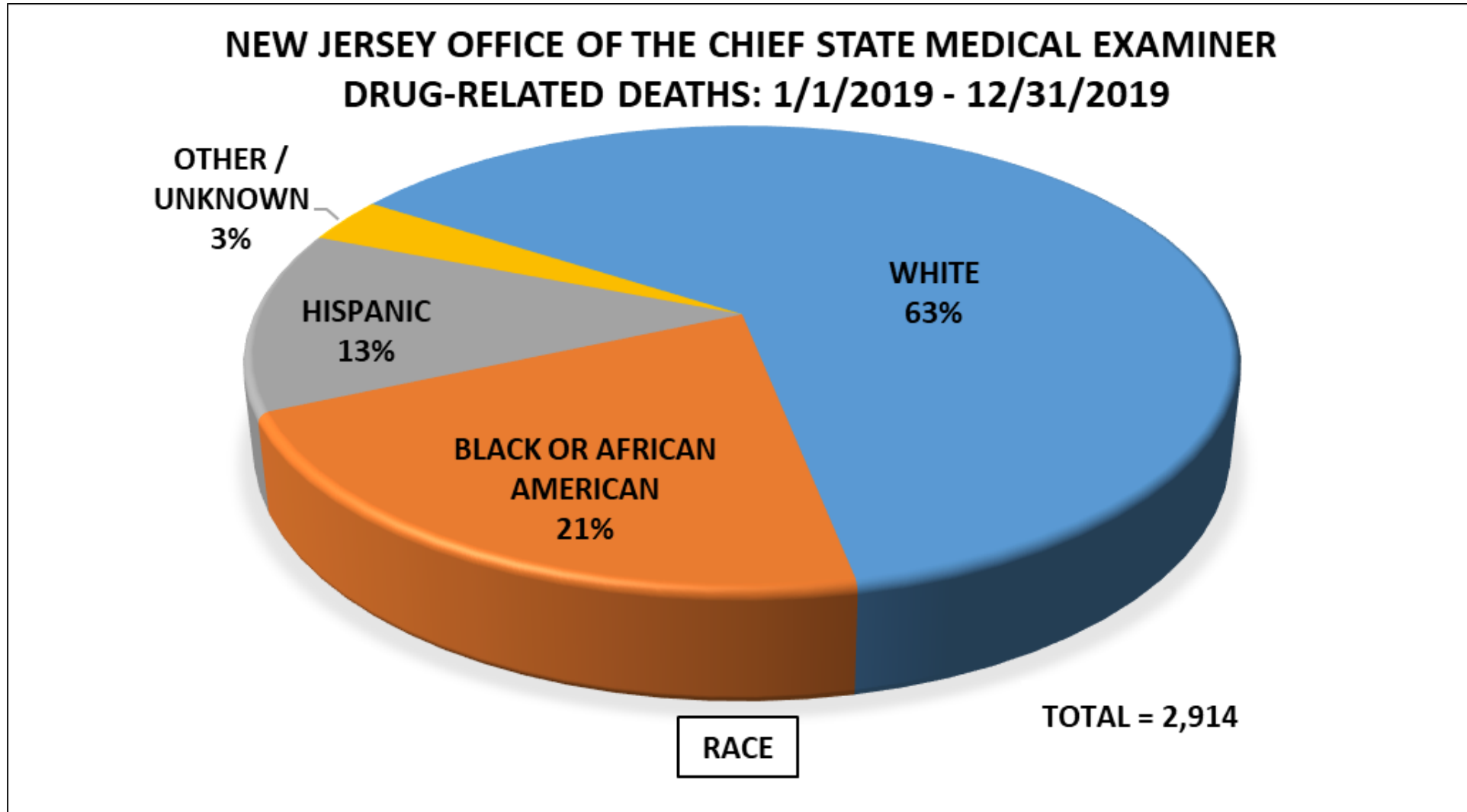
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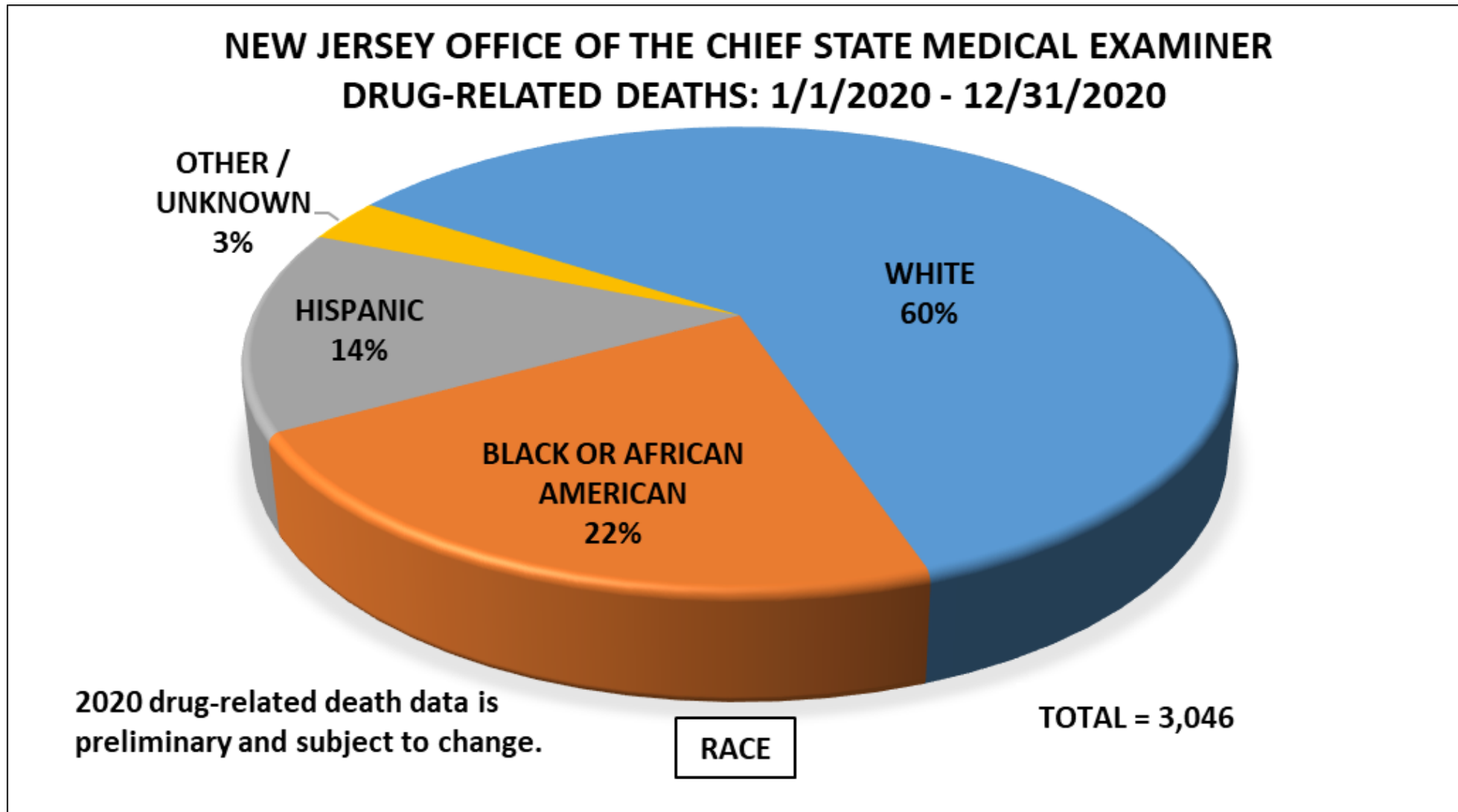
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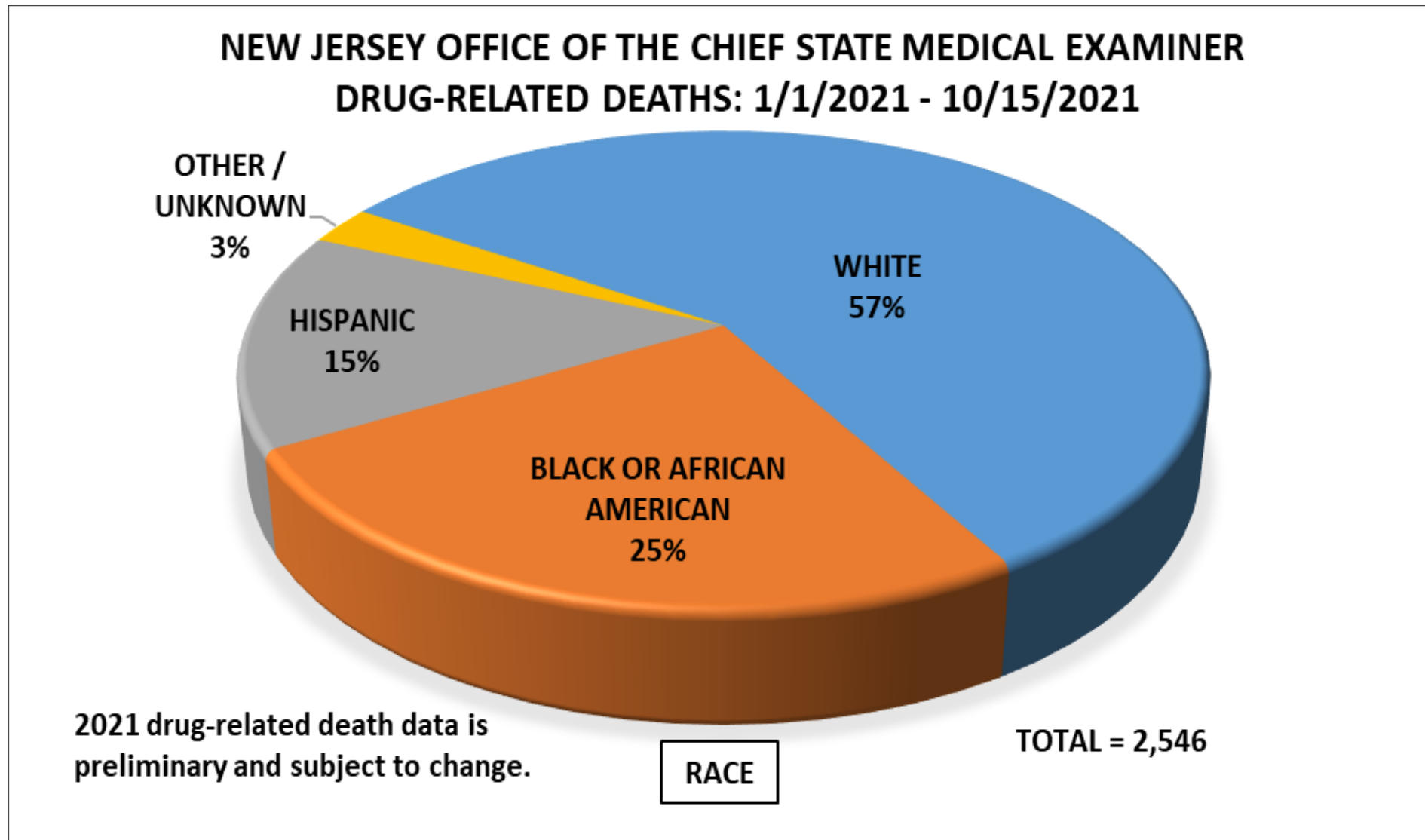
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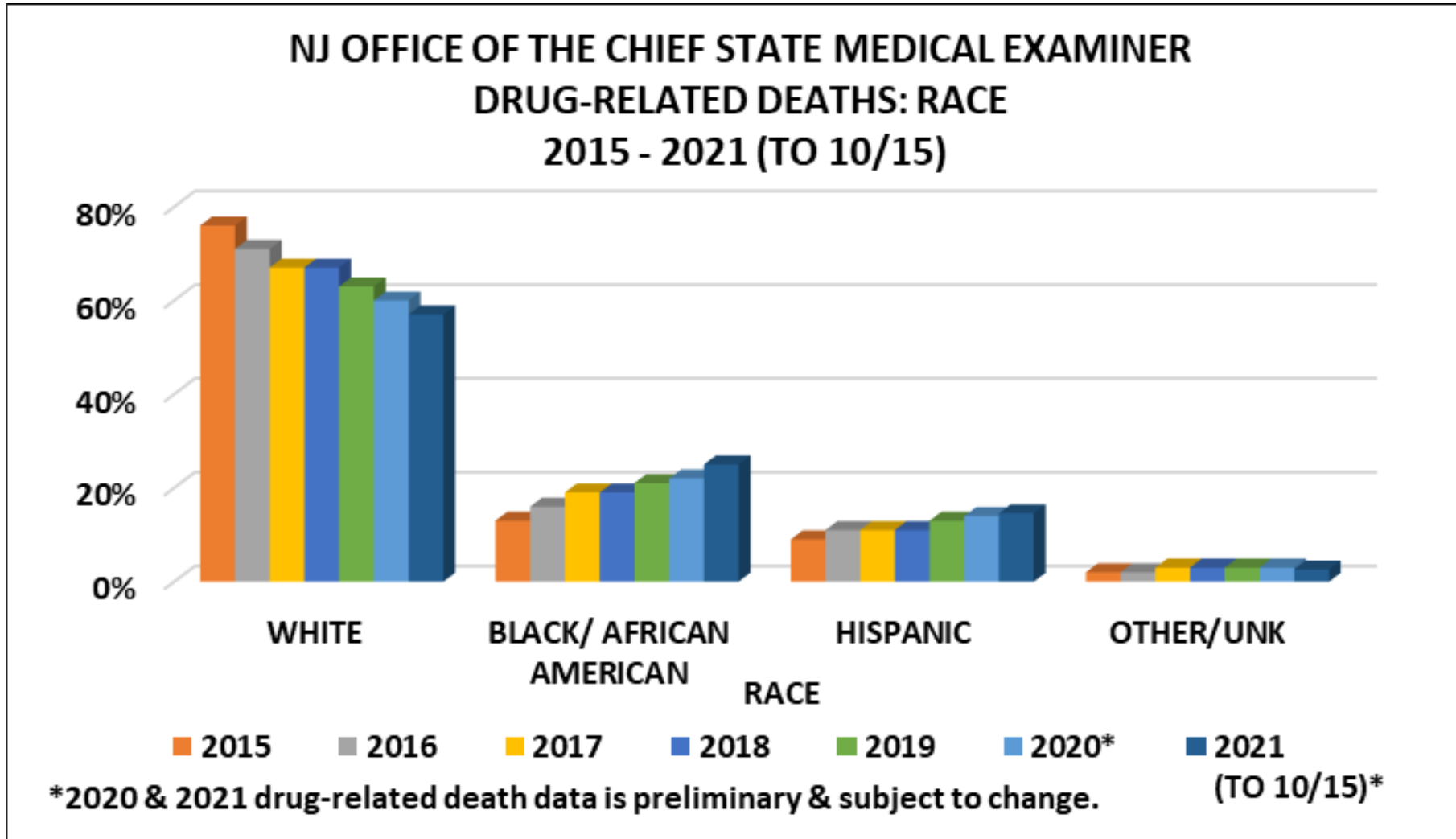


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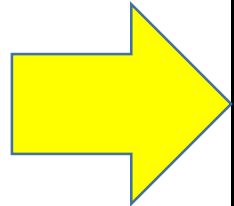


# DRUG-RELATED DEATHS: RACE BY YEAR





# DRUG-RELATED DEATHS: DEMOGRAPHICS BY YEAR



NJ OFFICE OF THE CHIEF STATE MEDICAL EXAMINER DRUG-RELATED DEATH DEMOGRAPHICS 2015 - 2021 (TO 10/15)								
CATEGORY	SUB CATEGORY	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020*	2021 (TO 10/15)*
GENDER	MALE	71%	72%	73%	73%	72%	72%	72%
	FEMALE	29%	28%	27%	27%	27%	27%	28%
	UNKNOWN	N/A	N/A	0.04%	0.3%	1%	1%	0.2%
RACE	WHITE	76%	71%	67%	67%	63%	60%	57%
	BLACK/ AFRICAN AMERICAN	13%	16%	19%	19%	21%	22%	25%
	HISPANIC	9%	11%	11%	11%	13%	14%	15%
	OTHER/UNK	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
AGE	UNREPORTED	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.2%	0.1%	1%	1%
	UNDER 18	0.4%	0.2%	0.4%	0.1%	0.2%	0.4%	0.3%
	18-21	3%	3%	3%	2%	1%	2%	3%
	22-24	6%	6%	5%	5%	3%	3%	3%
	25-29	14%	13%	14%	12%	12%	11%	8%
	30-34	12%	14%	13%	13%	14%	12%	13%
	35-44	22%	21%	22%	25%	24%	23%	24%
	45-54	26%	26%	24%	23%	24%	23%	22%
55 & OLDER	16%	17%	19%	20%	22%	26%	27%	

\*2020 and 2021 drug-related death data is preliminary and subject to change.