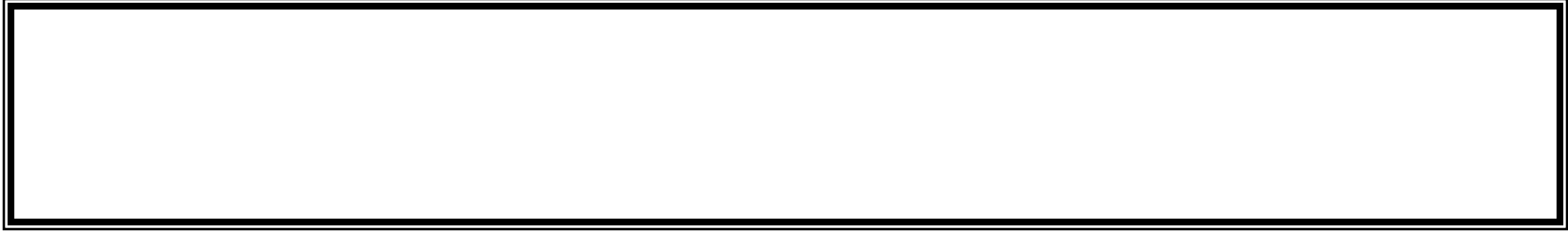
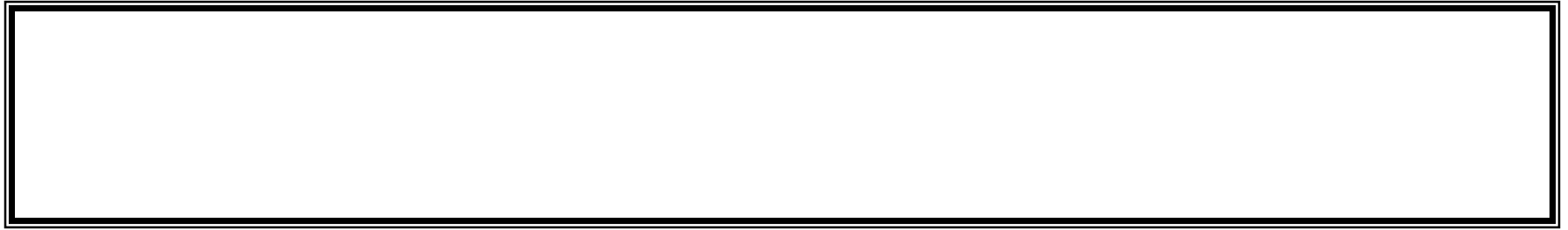


Today's Presentation

- Trends in Admissions to Substance Abuse





Opioid-Related¹ Hospitalization Rates
By Sex: MA Residents, FY 1994-2001

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Drug Abuse Warning Network (DAWN)

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Future Directions in Drug Overdose Surveillance

- Massachusetts Emergency Department (ED) Database
 - This new database captures all of the ED visits to a MA acute care hospital beginning FY 2002
- Massachusetts Violent Death Reporting System
 - This new system will provide more information on the circumstances of drug overdose deaths beginning calendar year 2003

