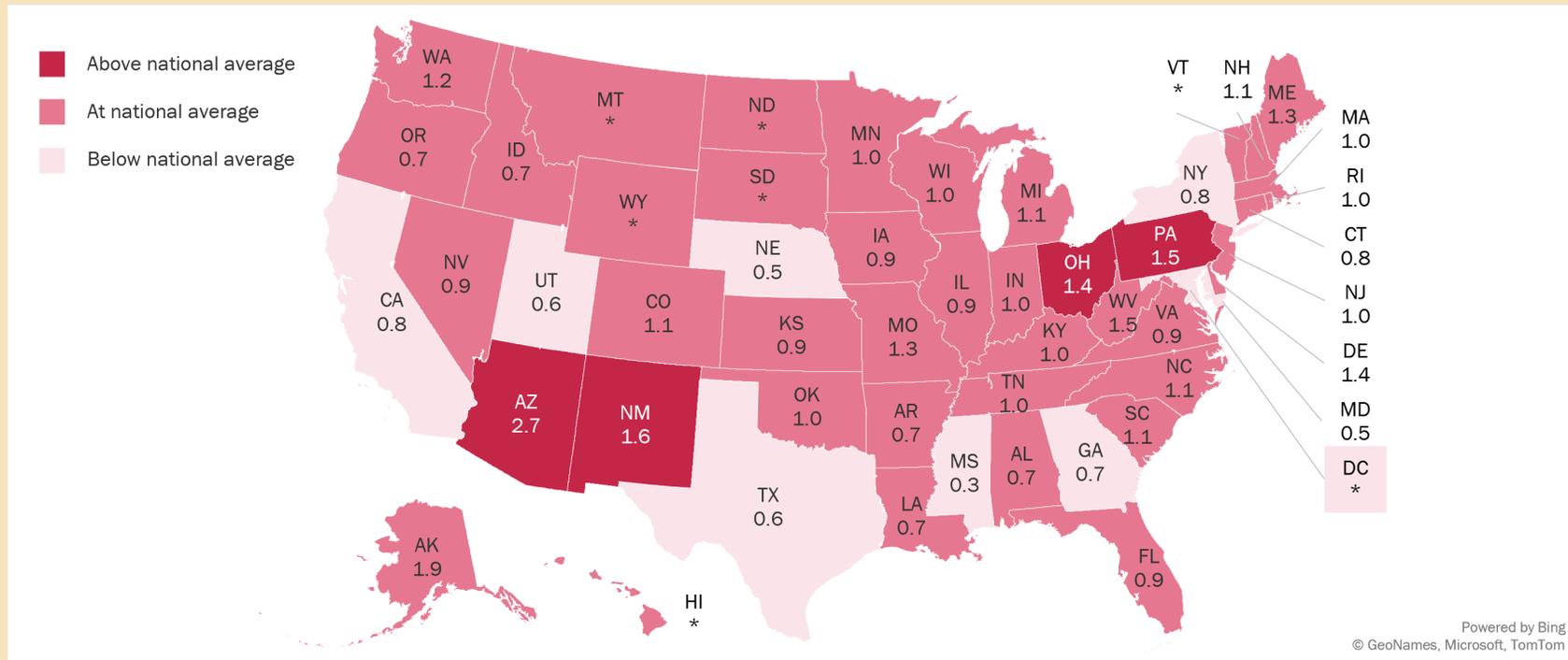


Unintentional Poisoning Fatalities Data

Unintentional poisoning is the fourth leading cause of unintentional injury death for children and adolescents ages 0-19 years (CDC WISQARS, 2019). The national average for unintentional poisoning death rate was 0.9 per 100,000 children and adolescents in 2016-2019. Statistical comparisons of national and state rates showed:

- 4 states were significantly above the national rate
- 38 states were at the national rate
- 8 states and District of Columbia were significantly below the national rate

Unintentional Poisoning Death Rates Among Children and Adolescents Aged 0-19, 2016-2019. State Rate Comparison to National Rate – 0.9 per 100,000 Population



Data Source: National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS), Multiple Cause of Death, 2016-2019

Note: Asterisks denote data suppressed/data not shown data due to small death counts.