

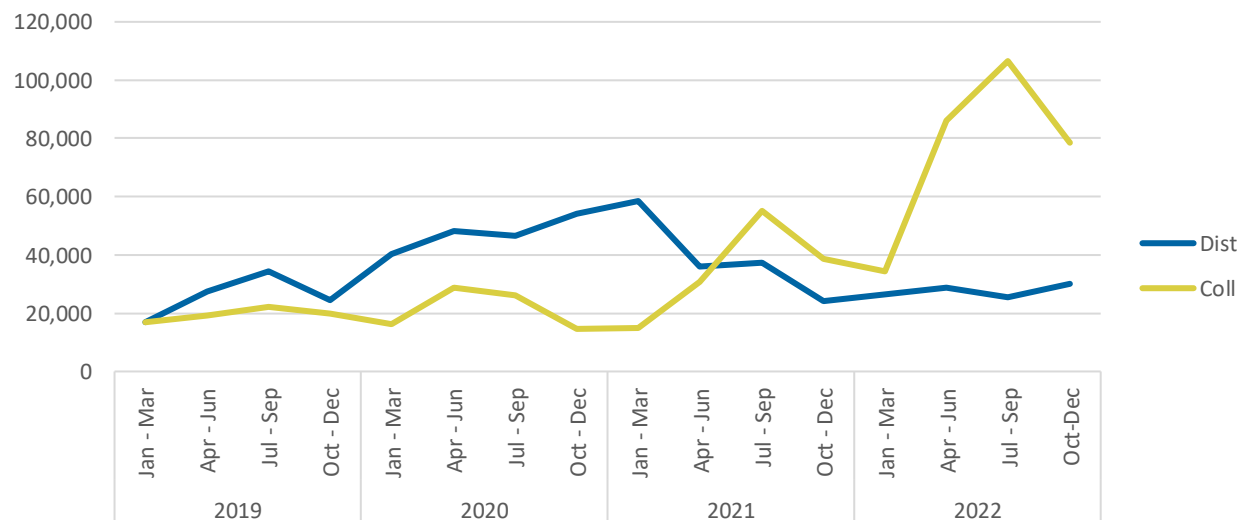
Table 1: Number of needles collected<sup>3</sup> per quarter as reported, Downtown Victoria

Time Range	Contracted Service Provider <sup>1</sup>	Island Health Sites <sup>2</sup>	City of Victoria Drop Boxes	DVBA	Total
Oct 1 to Dec 31, 2021	30,743	5,000	2,137	717	38,597
Jan 1 to Mar 31, 2022	23,377	7,500	2,318	1,250	34,445
Apr 1 to Jun 30, 2022	72,709	10,000	2,214	1,165	86,088
Jul 1 to Sep 30, 2022	92,934	8,638	2,852	2,113	106,537
Oct 1 to Dec 31, 2022	71,345	3,245	2,650	1,259	78,499

Table 2: Number of needles distributed per quarter as reported, Downtown Victoria

Time Range	Contracted Service Provider	Island Health Sites	Total
Oct 1 to Dec 31, 2021	22,525	1,600	24,125
Jan 1 to Mar 31, 2022	12,485	14,000	26,485
Apr 1 to Jun 30, 2022	13,813	15,000	28,813
Jul 1 to Sep 30, 2022	11,573	14,000	25,573
Oct 1 to Dec 31, 2022	29,036	1,200	30,236

Figure 1: Total number of needles distributed & collected per quarter as reported, Downtown Victoria



<sup>1</sup> Contracted service providers include counts for SOLID and AVI. Both organizations are contracted by Island Health to deliver harm reduction services in downtown Victoria. These numbers come from quarterly reporting to the STOP HIV/AIDS Program.

<sup>2</sup> Various Island Health programs (MHSU & Public Health) distribute and collect needles; only counts for the Sobering Assessment Center (SAC) on Pembroke St is captured in this document.

<sup>3</sup> Needle collection and distribution is a shared responsibility of multiple agencies and programs. This document provides only a snapshot of distribution and collection and is an underestimate of total numbers. Harm reduction supplies are distributed as part of a provincial program to reduce bloodborne diseases.