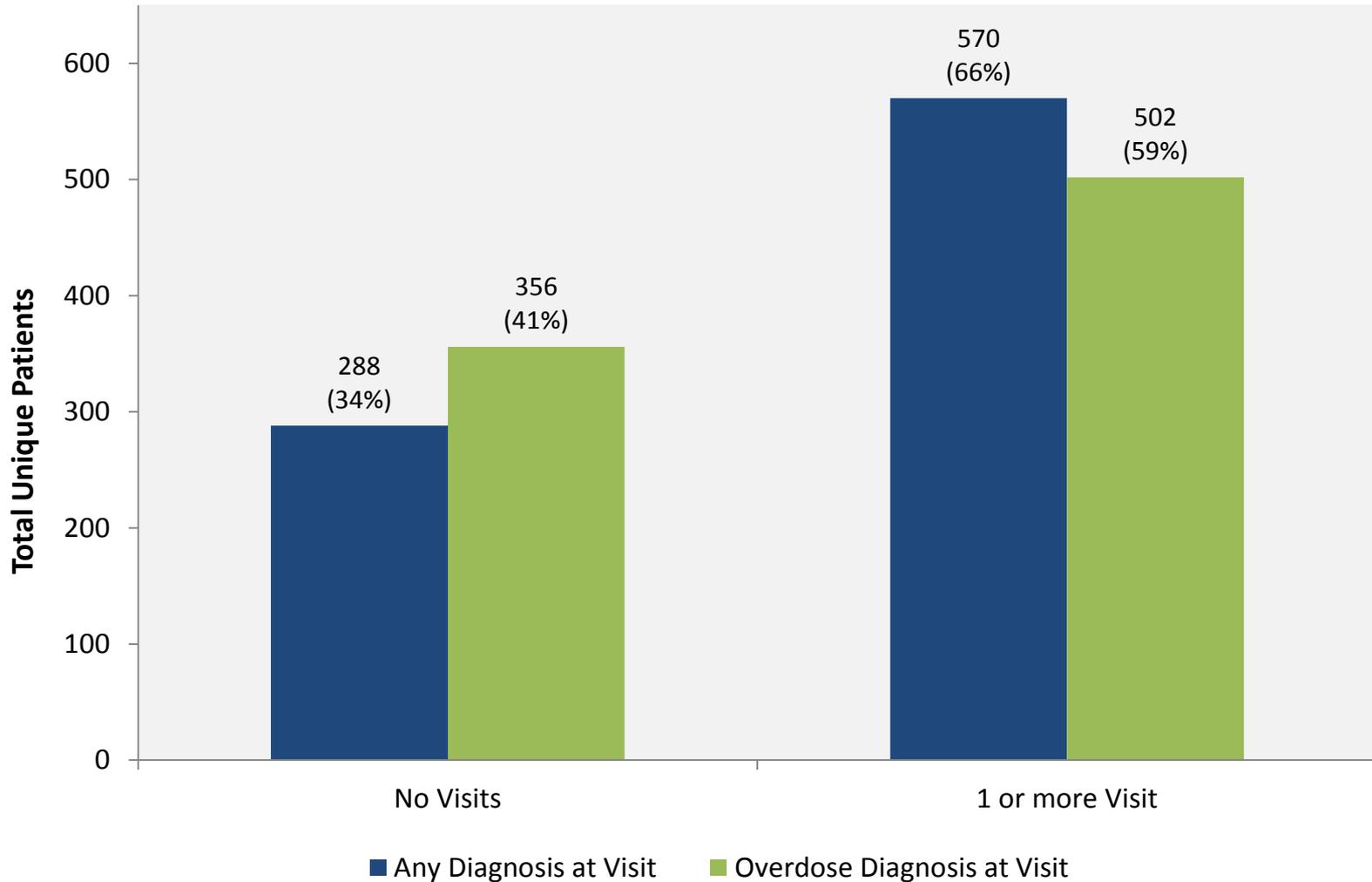


Description

- In 2013, 858 individuals died of an overdose in Maryland.
 - Of these 858 individuals, **59% (n=502) had at least 1 or more visits* *for an overdose* up to one year prior to the overdose death.** (Total overdose visits = 1,507)
 - 41% (n=356) of the individuals that died of an overdose in 2013 did not have a visit* *for an overdose* up to one year prior to the overdose death.
 - Of these 858 individuals, **66% (n=570) had at least 1 or more visits* *for any reason* up to one year prior to the overdose death.** (Total visits = 2,207)
 - 34% (n=288) of the individuals that died of an overdose in 2013 did not have a visit* *for any reason* within a year before the overdose death.

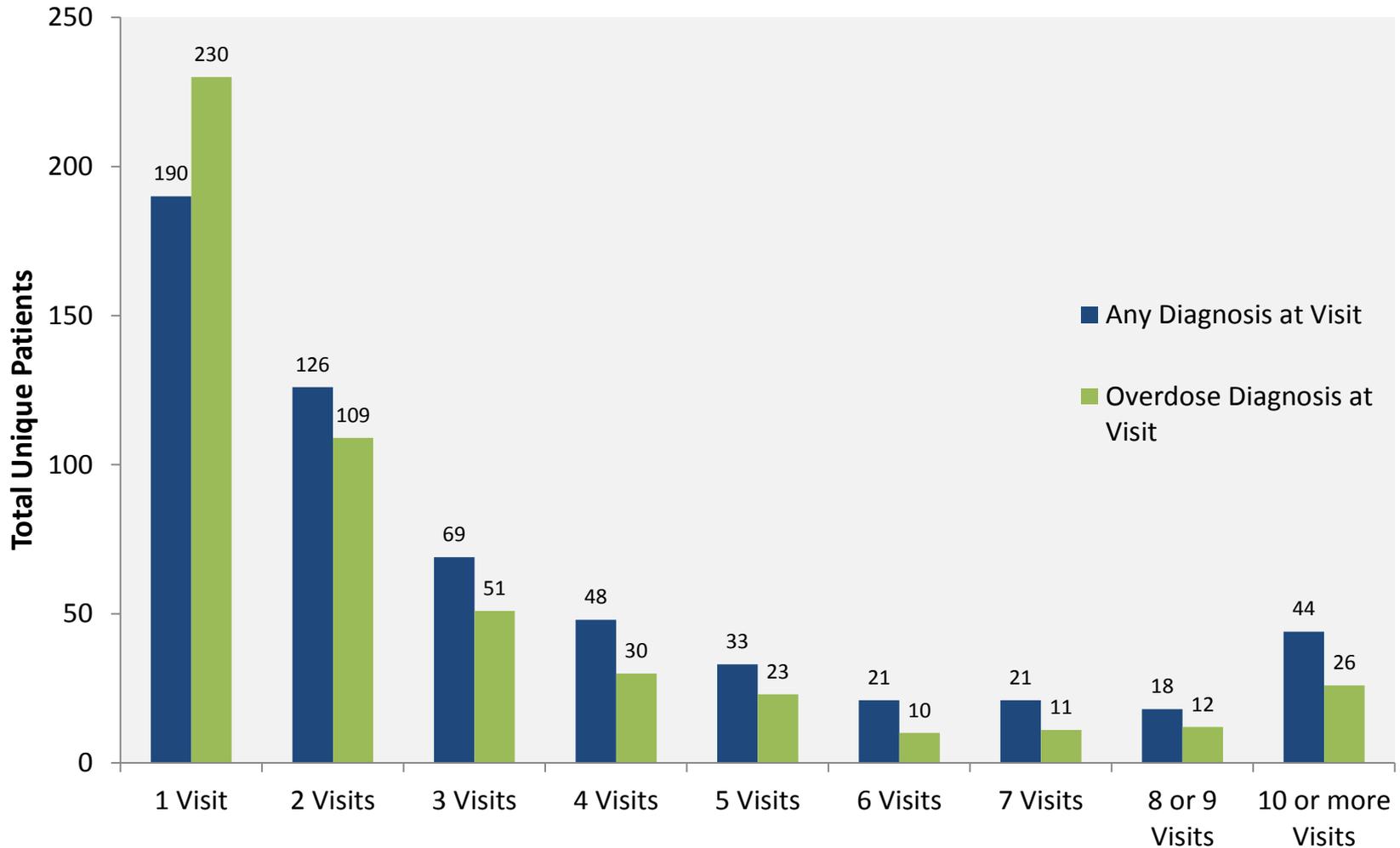
*Hospitalization or emergency department visit in Maryland.

Figure 1: Maryland: Total Hospitalizations/ED Visits Occurring within 1 Year Prior to Overdose Death*



*Based on the 858 individuals who died of an overdose in 2013.

Figure 2: Maryland: Total Hospitalizations/ED Visits Occurring within 1 Year Prior to Overdose Death, By Number of Visits*



*Based on the 858 individuals who died of an overdose in 2013.