

DID YOU KNOW

PREVENT AN OVERDOSE

SAVE A LIFE

When a person survives an overdose, it is because someone knew what was happening and how to take action. If you have friends or family who use drugs, it is important to know what an overdose can look like, in case it happens. Recognizing overdose is the first step to save a life.



FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact your local County Health Department
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OPIOID OVERDOSE BASICS

Prescription opioids (hydrocodone, oxycodone, and morphine) and illegal opioids (heroin and illegally made fentanyl) are powerful drugs that have a risk of a potentially fatal overdose. Anyone who uses opioids can experience an overdose, but certain factors may increase risk including but not limited to:

- ✓ Combining opioids with alcohol or certain other drugs.
- ✓ Taking high daily dosages of prescription opioids.
- ✓ Taking more opioids than prescribed.
- ✓ Taking illegal DRUGS, like heroin or manufactured fentanyl, that could possibly contain unknown or harmful substances.
- ✓ Certain medical conditions, such as sleep apnea, or reduced kidney or liver function.
- ✓ Age greater than 65 years old.

SOURCE: CDC



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