

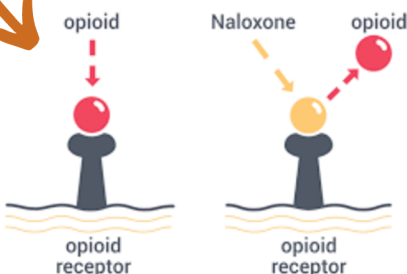
NALOXONE

A Quick-Acting, Lifesaving Medication



KNOW THE FACTS

- Naloxone is a medication used to treat known or suspected opioid overdoses in both adults and children. While several brands are available, *Narcan* is the most widely recognized nasal spray.
- **Naloxone quickly reverses an opioid overdose** by blocking opioids from binding to the opioid receptors in the brain, which helps restore normal breathing within 2 to 3 minutes.
- Naloxone works for 30 to 90 minutes; however, a person may still experience symptoms of overdose or may require multiple doses if a potent opioid, such as fentanyl, is present.



SAFETY

- Naloxone can be given safely to people of all ages, from infants to older adults, who may have unintentionally taken an opioid.
- Naloxone will not cause any harm to someone if you administer it, even if they are not overdosing on an opioid.
- Once administering Naloxone, always place the individual on their side in the recovery position and **call 911 immediately**.

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DATA TRENDS

- In 2022, 107,941 people in the United States died from drug overdoses, which equates to 296 overdoses each day. (cdc.gov)
- Among those overdose deaths in 2022, nearly 76% involved an opioid. (cdc.gov)
- In 2022, Arizona recorded 1,928 opioid overdose deaths. That equates to more than five people dying every day from opioid overdoses in Arizona. (azdhs.gov)

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