

Narcan - Opioid-Overdose Prevention Program

Narcan is available to members of the SFSU community through the Opioid-Overdose Prevention Program run by the SFSU Health Promotion & Wellness Department

<https://wellness.sfsu.edu/Opioid-Overdose-Prevention>

NARCAN® (naloxone HCl) Nasal Spray is an opioid antagonist indicated for the emergency treatment of known or suspected opioid overdose, as manifested by respiratory and/or central nervous system depression. NARCAN® Nasal Spray is intended for immediate administration as emergency therapy in settings where opioids may be present. NARCAN® Nasal Spray is not a substitute for emergency medical care.

Key Steps to Administering NARCAN® Nasal Spray

NARCAN® Nasal Spray was developed to be used at home without the need for any medical training.* If you suspect an opioid overdose, administer NARCAN® Nasal Spray and get emergency medical assistance right away. NARCAN® is an opioid overdose reversal medication and should be part of an opioid safety checklist.

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 WATCH HOW TO USE

Peel



Peel back the package to remove the device. Hold the device with your thumb on the bottom of the plunger and two fingers on the nozzle.

Place



Place and hold the tip of the nozzle in either nostril until your fingers touch the bottom of the patient's nose.

Press



Press the plunger firmly to release the dose into the patient's nose.

* Administer in accordance with the [Instructions for Use](#).

Not a substitute for emergency medical care. When administering NARCAN® Nasal Spray, always be sure to call 911 right away, even if the person wakes up. Keep the patient under surveillance or close watch. If breathing does not return to normal or if breathing difficulty resumes, after 2-3 minutes, give an additional dose of NARCAN® Nasal Spray using a new device in the alternate nostril. Repeat doses may be necessary.

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