DEATH IN DISGUISE

WARNING: FAKE PILLS RESEMBLING XANAX & OTHER PAIN MEDICATIONS HAVE BEEN FOUND TO BE LACED WITH FENTANYL IN FRESNO COUNTY.

WHAT IS AN OPIOID?

Opioids are a class of drug used to treat pain. Some examples of opioids are:codeine, hydrocodone, oxycodone, morphine, fentanyl (and illicitly heroin, "street" fentanyl).



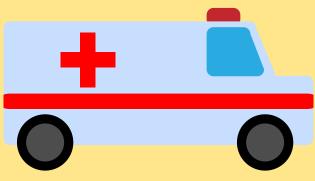


WHAT DO OPIOIDS DO?

Medical doctors use opioids safely for certain conditions they monitor but even then they carry high addiction potential. Even small amounts of fake opioids laced with fentanyl can result in overdose and death.

HOW IS OPIOID OVERDOSE TREATED?

Naloxone is an FDA approved drug that reverses the effect of an opioid overdose.





WHERE CAN NALOXONE BE OBTAINED?

- Community Regional Medical Center (no fee/no cost)
 2823 Fresno St, Fresno, CA 93721
- Your Physician
- Your Pharmacy



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- If a person encounters someone that is suspected of overdose they should immediately call 911.
- If someone you know uses opioids, carrying naloxone can be a life saving measure.
- If someone you know needs help with an opioid or other type of Substance Use Disorder, contact 1-800-654-3937 to access behavioral health services.