NALOXONE (NARCAN) SAVES LIVES.

What is Naloxone (Narcan)?

- Naloxone is a life-saving medication that quickly reverses an overdose when given right away.
- If a person has an opioid overdose and their breathing has slowed or stopped, Naloxone can restore normal breathing within 2-3 minutes.
- Naloxone does not take the place of emergency medical care. If you think someone is having an overdose, call 911 ASAP.

How does it work?

- Naloxone blocks the effects of opioids like fentanyl, heroin, and prescription medications.
- It is an easy-to-use nasal spray.
- Anyone can administer Naloxone.







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Service Helpline (SASH) 1-844-804-7500 (Toll Free)

HOW TO USE NALOXONE (NARCAN) SPRAY Call **911** right away if you think someone is having an overdose.

Step 1: 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.

Step 2: Place

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

Step 3: Press

• Tilt head back and press the plunger firmly to release the dose into the person's nose.

Step 4: Wait

- Wait 2 minutes for the person to respond.
- If no response, repeat steps 1-3 every 2 minutes until the person responds or emergency medical assistance arrives.



