

HOW TO HELP SOMEONE EXPERIENCING AN OPIOID OVERDOSE

1 Call 911



2 Administer injectable naloxone



Remove cap from naloxone vial and uncover needle. Insert needle through rubber plug with vial upside down. Pull back on plunger and take up 1 mL. Inject 1 mL of naloxone into the upper arm or thigh muscle.

3 Check breathing



If breathing, put person onto their side in the recovery position (bend knee and place hand under head). If not breathing, give rescue breaths.

4 Stay and monitor



If not breathing after 2-3 minutes, administer second 1 mL dose of naloxone and continue rescue breaths until help arrives.



Pennsylvania
Department of Health

**CALL 1-800-662-HELP (4357)
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Department of Drug and
Alcohol Programs

Naloxone is a legal medication that can be obtained over the counter, by individual prescription, or through Pennsylvania's standing order, which is a prescription written for the public. For more information, scan the QR code.



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