

This checklist guides Authorized Implementers in Naloxone Program education and training.  
**DO NOT record any personal identifiable information on ANY of the program forms.**

For further details please refer to:

[“Provision of Opioid Overdose Prevention/Naloxone Administration Training and Take Home Naloxone Hydrochloride \(Naloxone\) Kit”](#)

- Complete the applicable Participant/Replacement/Group/QUICK training forms
- Assess Participant eligibility. Individuals are eligible if they:
  - Are at risk for opioid overdose
  - Are likely to witness an overdose
  - Have no known contraindications to naloxone
  - Have provided informed consent
- Explain the Risks and Benefits of receiving a kit:
  - Risks include:
    - Not all overdoses will be reversed
    - Responding to an overdose can be considered stressful
    - Potential for needle stick injury
    - Withdraw response varies
    - Stigmatization associated with Carrying a Kit
  - Benefits include
    - Reverse an opioid overdose and save a life
    - Reduce health impacts and death associated with opioid overdose
    - Learn overdose prevention and response skills
    - Learn about additional resources available
- Check expiration on the kit (should be more than 1 yr)
- Review response myths
- Review the difference between overdose and “nodding”
- Review the importance of calling 911 (opioids last longer than naloxone)
- Discuss care after administering Naloxone
  - Recovery position
  - Importance of staying with the person
  - What to tell the person (that they had an overdose, it can come back, not to use more, etc.)
- Discuss the Good Samaritan Drug Overdose Act (provide a card with the kit)
- Discuss contraindications and answer participant’s questions according to the product monograph
- Review kit contents and cards:
  - Kit supplies
  - Overdose risks and prevention
  - Signs of an opioid overdose
  - 5 Steps to save a life
  - How to give Naloxone (demonstrate and/or allow participant to practice)
- Care of Naloxone kit:
  - Tell others you have a kit and where to find it
  - Store in a safe place away from children
  - Keep it between 15-30 °C
  - Replace if you feel it has been temperature compromised
  - Check expiration date
- Tell the participant how to access a replacement kit if needed