

What is an Opioid?

Opioids are used to relieve pain.

Common opioids are oxycodone, hydrocodone, oxymorphone, and hydromorphone, with brand names like OxyContin, Percocet, Opana, Dilaudid, and Vicodin. Heroin and Methadone are also opioids.



Risks of Opioid Overdose:

- Using more than 1 drug at a time
- Mixing opioids with other drugs/alcohol
- Using alone
- History of previous overdose
- Strength of the opioid
- Recent release from jail
- Recent release from treatment
- Recent relapse

Signs of Opioid Overdose:

- Loud snoring or gurgling noise
- Body is very limp
- Finger tips and/or lips turning blue
- Skin pale/gray, clammy
- Breathing very slow, shallow, or not at all
- Unconscious or Unresponsive

**SUSPECT AN OVERDOSE?
Call 911 and Give Narcan
if you have it.**

For treatment information, call: 410-535-3079 ext.6

For a FREE Narcan (Naloxone) training and kit, call: 410-535-5400 ext.341

For more information, visit: www.Facebook.com/ActNowCalvert



OVERDOSE RESPONSE TRAINING

Do you or anyone you know use **OPIOIDS**?

(Opioids include: **HEROIN**, methadone, and pain medications like **OXY**contin, **PERCocet**, Vicodin, Dilaudid, and Opana.)

This training will teach you:

- How to recognize an opioid **overdose**
- How to respond by administering **naloxone** (also known as **NARCAN**)

What is naloxone?

Naloxone is a prescription medication that reverses overdose by restoring breathing and can **SAVE LIVES**.



2016 Training Schedule

All trainings held from 7 - 8:30pm

Thursday, March 17th

Dunkirk Volunteer Fire Department
3170 W Ward Rd

Thursday, April 21st

St Leonard Volunteer Fire Department &
Rescue Squad
200 Calvert Beach Rd

Thursday, May 19th

North Beach Volunteer Fire Department
8536 Bayside Rd

Thursday, June 16th

Prince Frederick Volunteer Fire Department
450 Solomons Island Rd

Tuesday, July 19th

Solomons Volunteer Rescue Squad & Fire
Department
13150 HG Trueman Rd



FREE NALOXONE KITS will be provided to those who complete training.

To register: 410-535-5400 ext. 341 or kirsten.forseth@maryland.gov