EXTREME OVERDOSEWARNING



EXTREME RISK

Very strong synthetic opioids are now being found in street drugs sold as heroin and many other substances.

CONCERN

These opioids have caused serious overdoses, hospitalisation and drug related deaths.

APPEARANCE

These substances have been found in pills and powder. The pills have included diazepam, Xanax and oxycontin. The powders may vary in colour, they include heroin and cocaine.

RECOMMENDATION

- 1. Treat all substances with caution as you can't be sure of what's in it or its strength.
- 2. Mind yourself and care for others.
- 3. Don't be afraid to seek medical help if you or a friend feels unwell after taking drugs.
- Do not buy new types or drugs, new batches, or from new 4. sources.
- Start low and go slow until you know the effects of the drug. 5.

Should an overdose occur, use Naloxone. Ensure you always have multiple kits. Normal dose of administration applies. Ensure you call an ambulance.

If you, or someone in your household, is at risk make sure you have a naloxone kit available

Contact us now to get your naloxone kit by contacting the following services:

NHSLHarm Reduction Team 07810 153 940 or 01698753657
Turning Point Scotland 08081714040
North Lanarkshire Recovery 07920 234 693
Phoenix Futures 01236 426385

You can also order your kit online:

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https://www.sfad.org.uk/support-services/take-home-naloxone-application

If you have lost your naloxone kit, or it has expired, please get in touch for a new kit



