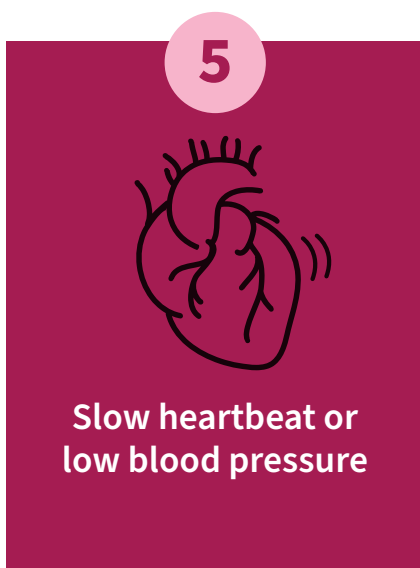
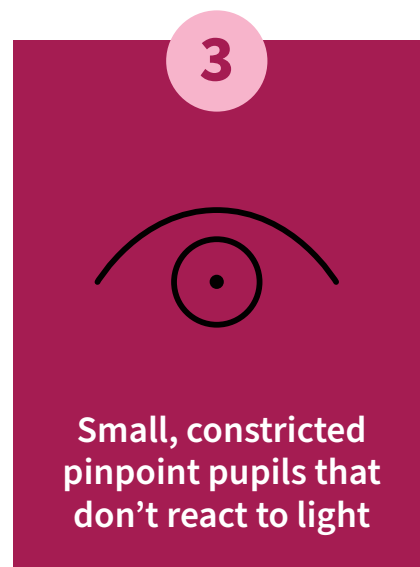
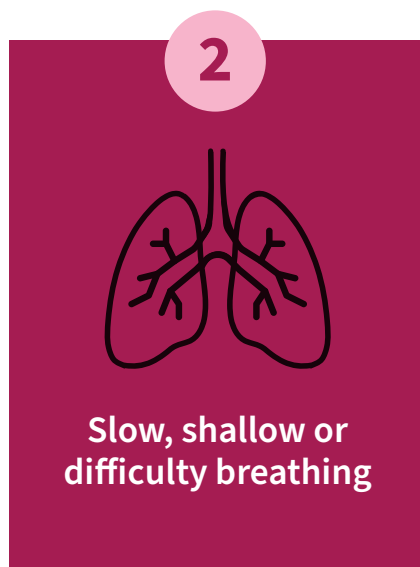


# About Naloxone

Naloxone is a life-saving medication that can reverse an overdose from opioids — including heroin, fentanyl, and prescription opioid medications—when given in time.

## HOW TO IDENTIFY AN OVERDOSE



Give Naloxone immediately if you think someone is overdosing.

Remember, it only works if you have it on hand!

It is also safe to give someone Naloxone even if it turns out opioids are not present in their system.

### If you suspect an opioid overdose, act fast:

- Administer Naloxone nasal spray immediately.
- Call emergency services (911) for further assistance.
- Stay with the person and monitor their condition until help arrives.

# HOW TO USE

## Naloxone HCl Nasal Spray



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### STEP 1

## Check if you suspect an overdose

- CHECK for a suspected overdose: the person will not wake up or is very sleepy or not breathing well
- Yell "Wake up!"
- Shake the person gently
- If the person is not awake, go to Step 2



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### STEP 2

## GIVE 1st dose in the nose

- HOLD the nasal spray device with your thumb on the bottom of the plunger
- INSERT the nozzle into either NOSTRIL
- PRESS the plunger firmly to give the 1st dose
- 1 nasal spray device contains 1 dose

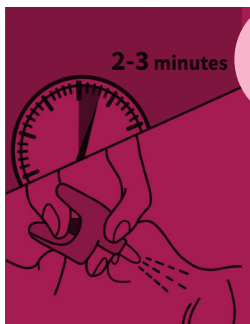


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### STEP 3

## CALL 911

- CALL 911 immediately after giving the 1st dose



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### STEP 4

## WATCH/GIVE

- WAIT 2 to 3 minutes after the 1st dose to give the medicine time to work
- If the person wakes up: Go to Step 5
- If the person does not wake up:
- CONTINUE TO GIVE doses every 2 to 3 minutes until the person wakes up
- It is safe to keep giving doses



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### STEP 5

## STAY

- STAY until ambulance arrives: even if the person wakes up
- GIVE another dose if the person becomes very sleepy again
- You may need to give all the doses in the pack

For more information, we recommend visiting the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration website at [www.SAMHSA.gov](http://www.SAMHSA.gov)