## **Educational Session Tool for the**

## Naloxone Take-Home Kit

Client Health Record # Client Surname Given Name Date of Birth MFRN

PHIN

Address

Educator to verify Opioid Risk Assessment for Naloxone Take - Home Kit (In depth) and Naloxone as an active medication is completed (using prescription favourite that best describes reason for kit)

Y assessment completed within 12 months N (if no, complete Opioid Assessment Tool for Naloxone Take - Home Kit (In depth))

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Educational Topics Provided (select one)	Important Details (select those that apply)
Assessment of Knowledge	
<u>Up</u> take	
☐ Delivery of Training	
Overdose Prevention	MIXING: opioids with downers OR opioids with uppers
	(Prevention: don't mix, or if do, use drugs before alcohol)
	TOLERANCE: also taking Rx drugs, after periods of non-use or
	lower use e.g. jail, detox/abstinence, hospital, new use (Prevention: use less at these times)
	QUALITY OF STREET DRUGS: unpredictable (Prevention: do
	testers, go slow, use a consistent reliable dealer)
	USING ALONE: behind closed locked door when no-one knows
	(Prevention: tell someone before you use, leave door unlocked)
	HEALTH: liver, breathing problems, lack of sleep, dehydration,
	infections (Prevention: eat, drink, sleep, see doctor, carry inhaler)
Signs and Symptoms of Opioid	Opioids (i.e., heroin, morphine, fentanyl, oxycontin, dilaudid,
OD (Naloxone only works for	tylenol 3, methadone)
opioid OD – NOT for non-opioid	Opioid OD = too much drugs, breathing slows, not enough
depressants like alcohol or Benzodiazepines (i.e., Valium,	oxygen to the brain (less than 1 breath every 5 seconds)  Key feature: Unresponsive & Slow / Shallow / Irregular Breaths
Ativan, Clonazepam, Lorazepam,	May also observe: (1) blue lips/ fingernails; (2) snoring/gurgling
Restoril, Rohypnol,) BUT if you	way also observe. (1) blue lips/ lingernalis, (2) shoring/garging
don't know, naloxone won't hurt)	
Signs and Symptoms of Stimulant	
Overdose (or 'overamping')	Stimulants (i.e., crystal meth, cocaine, crack, MDMA, caffeine,
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	nicotine)
	☐ Chest pains, dizziness, rapid heartbeat, extreme agitation☐ Lots of sweat or no sweat
	Seizures/convulsions, foaming at the mouth
	Paranoia, delusions, psychosis
	☐ MEDICAL EMERGENCY – CALL 911 – NALOXONE WON'T
	WORK
RESPONDING TO AN OPIOID OD (S.A.V.E.M.E) (select those that apply)	
CONFIRM UNRESPONSIVE	Stimulate with: Noise (shout, use their name), Pain (ex. sternal
	rub) – Remember, tell person what you are doing before you touch
	them
CALL 911	☐ Put person in the recovery position if you have to leave them
	alone
CLEAR AIRWAY & GIVE BREATHS	☐ Clear airway (is there anything in their mouth?), tilt head, lift chin
	Apply breathing mask, pinch nose and give 2 breaths.
	Continue 1 breath every 5 seconds until person is breathing
	☐ If you do not know how long someone has been unconscious and
	not breathing, you should give both chest compressions and breaths
	30:2 (ratio of compressions:breaths)

GIVE INTRAMUSCULAR NALOXONE (demonstrate if possible)	☐ Swirl ampoule, snap top off (use ampoule breaker), draw up all of the naloxone, remove most of the excess air ☐ Use alcohol swab (also helps to landmark), inject into large muscle – THIGH, upper arm or butt ☐ Inject at 90°, push plunger until you hear a click (needle will retract)
EVALUATE EFFECTS (for 3-5 minutes) & GIVE MORE NALOXONE IF NEEDED	☐ Continue to give breaths <b>FOR 3-5 MINUTES</b> (about 40 breaths) <b>OR</b> until they respond (are breathing again on their own). ☐ After 3- 5 minutes, if still unresponsive, give a 2nd dose of naloxone ☐ Wait 3-5 minutes, if still unresponsive, give 3rd dose of naloxone. ☐ Continue breaths until person breathing OR paramedics arrive
AFTERCARE	☐ Naloxone wears off in <b>20-90 minutes</b> ☐ Person will not remember ODing – explain what happened ☐ If person does NOT go to hospital monitor at least 2 hours and do NOT allow them to take more opioids (could OD again)
CARING FOR NALOXONE	<ul> <li>□ Naloxone should be stored out of the light at room temperature (15-30 C)</li> <li>□ Be aware of the expiry date – it is on the ampoule</li> <li>□ Process for replacement kits discussed</li> </ul>
Naloxone Take - Home Kit Provision (select those that apply)	
Individual demonstrates understanding of appropriate and safe administration Y \_ N \_*	
*If no, <b>complete a safety plan</b> with the individual. Educator to consider using an Overdose Response pamphlet as a decisional aid	
Manitoba Health Publically Funded Naloxone Take - Home Kit dispensed Y N N	
Individual provided with an educational certificate of completion to purchase Naloxone Take - Home Kit from Pharmacy Y \( \sum \) N \( \sum \)	
Plan (select those that apply)	
Overdose response printed materials provided	
Advise Pharmacy or Distribution site can provide additional refresher education session as needed	
Follow – up to revisit education session in [insert drop down 1-12] [insert drop down weeks months year or as needed]	
Comments (any issues or concerns, reinforce learning at next visit if needed)?	