



**one** act of  
courage

**save a life**

We all play a part in stopping  
opioid overdose. Prevent a  
death by taking action now.

Washington State  
Health Care Authority

## RESPONDING TO AN OVERDOSE

Every minute counts. If you think someone has overdosed, do the following:



Check for signs of opioid overdose



Call 911



Give naloxone (or Narcan)



Perform rescue breaths



Stay with the person until help arrives

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## WHAT IS NALOXONE?

Naloxone (or Narcan) is a prescription medicine that temporarily stops the effect of opioids. It helps a person begin breathing again and wake up from an overdose. It only works on opioid and fentanyl overdoses. Narcan cannot be used to get high and it is not addictive.

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