

FAQs Illinois Drug Overdose Prevention Program (DOPP)



Why should our unit participate in this program?

Opioid overdose is the leading cause of maternal death in Illinois

What data is required to report to IDHS?

Number of Naloxone kits dispensed per month per site submitted online

Do we need to have a policy?

Not, required, but recommended

Does Narcan need to have a pharmacy label?

No, not in Illinois

Is a program director required?

No, however, someone needs to have oversight for distribution tracking

What if our ED is already enrolled in DOPP?

ED, pharmacy and perinatal units need to collaborate to increase distribution and tracking. Site does not have to reapply

Where is the best place to store take-home Narcan?

Site specific
Examples: pyxis, nurses station, or vending machine

Do I have to show proof that staff have been educated?

No proof is required, complete staff education according to your hospital's policy or by using the resources below



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The Naloxone Project

"It's not just about the compound, it's about creating the connection. Naloxone is a gateway drug to recovery" -Dr. Don Stader