

SOUTH SHORE 5 PUBLIC HEALTH ALLIANCE COMMUNITY NALOXONE PROGRAM

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About the Community Naloxone Program

The CNP is a Massachusetts Department of Public Health harm reduction program that aims to prevent death by opioid overdose by increasing the distribution of naloxone and other harm reduction supplies to Massachusetts residents.



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Identifying residents in need

If your department notices that a particular resident would benefit from receiving harm reduction supplies and education, they can be referred to SS5 to receive a kit - there are no stipulations for who can or cannot receive a kit!



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Residents who request a kit

Any resident who requests harm reduction supplies or education is also eligible to receive a kit.



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Referral process

If your department identifies a referral, please reach out to Keri Ball, SS5 Regional Public Health Nurse at (781) 556-9500 or kball@rockland-ma.gov with the resident's name, contact information, and address, if possible.



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Contents of harm reduction kit

Each kit will include a two-dose package of Naloxone, instructions for use, a rescue breathing mask, fentanyl drug testing strips, and educational handouts for overdose response and local substance use resources.



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