

in the event of opioid induced overdose

# How to Administer Naloxone

Every minute someone spends overdosed on opioids is a minute their brain is without precious oxygen. Every second counts for a possible recovery.

## How to Give Nasal Spray Naloxone

**1** Pull or pry off yellow caps

**2** Pry off red cap

**3** Grip clear plastic wings.

**4** Gently screw capsule of naloxone into barrel of syringe.

**5** Insert white cone into nostril; give a short, vigorous push on end of capsule to spray naloxone into nose: one half of the capsule into each nostril.

**6** If no reaction in 2-5 minutes, give the second dose.

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Opioids produce their effects by acting on opioid receptors in the brain and nervous system. Naloxone works by blocking these opioid receptors, thus stopping opioids from acting on them. This reverses the effects of the opioid.

**Act fast, and most importantly**

# Call 911

Naloxone is now available without a prescription in all NJ CVS and Walgreens stores. Please ask your local pharmacist for more information. Additional resources as well as training centers in NJ are available on [getnaloxonenow.org](http://getnaloxonenow.org).