



January 22-28, 2018 is National Drug & Alcohol facts week. Please read and share, if you have questions please contact Saginaw Chippewa Behavioral Health Services at (989) 775-4850

Commonly Misused Prescription Drugs

There are three kinds of prescription drugs that are commonly misused. Visit our separate Drug Facts pages to learn more about each of these classes of prescription drugs:

- Opioids—used to relieve pain, such as Vicodin, OxyContin, or codeine
- Depressants—used to relieve anxiety or help a person sleep, such as Valium or Xanax
- Stimulants— used for treating attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD), such as Adderall and Ritalin



The National Institute on Drug Abuse Blog Team. "Prescription Drugs." *Drugs & Health Blog*, National Institute on Drug Abuse, <https://teens.drugabuse.gov/drug-facts/prescription-drugs>. Accessed 24 Jan. 2018.



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