

OVERDOSE EMERGENCY KIT

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How to Use Fentanyl Test Strips

1. Select some of the drug about the size of a grain of rice, and crush it into a fine powder in a clean container. Add water (about half a teaspoon) and mix until the powder dissolves.
2. HOLD the test strip by the blue end and carefully lower the red end into the mixture for 15 seconds, just up to the white line (see below).
3. Set the test strip on a flat surface for 5 minutes or until results appear. False results may occur if the test strip is not used correctly.
4. **ONE LINE:** The drug sample contains fentanyl. The red end of the strip will turn blue, and the drug should not be used.
5. **TWO LINES:** The drug sample does not contain fentanyl.
6. **NO LINE:** Fentanyl is not present in the sample. There are signs of all overdoses. Naloxone is a safe medicine that can reverse an overdose.

Fentanyl Testing to Prevent Overdose

Fentanyl is a powerful opioid that increases the risk of overdose. Fentanyl and other opioids are a type of technology that can test drug samples before use to find out if they contain any fentanyl.

Why should I test my drugs for fentanyl?

- The current use, street, taste, or look of fentanyl is your drug.
- FTS are you know if the drug contains fentanyl or other synthetic opioids.
- FTS can help prevent drug overdoses if used correctly and with other harm reduction strategies.
- FTS are not 100% accurate and do not detect all fentanyl.

Source: Oregon Health Division, The Oregon Department of Health Services



FENTANYL TEST STRIP SURVEY

Please take this brief 2-minute survey.

<https://www.sagchip.org/fentanyl-test-strip-survey>



Emergency Overdose Boxes

At Behavioral Health and throughout the Reservation

Currently the boxes are located at:

- ▶ Behavioral Health - 2800 S. Shephard Rd.
- ▶ Black Elk Building - 7500 Soaring Eagle Blvd.
- ▶ Nimkee Clinic Main Entrance - 2591 S. Leaton Rd.
- ▶ Anishnaabeg Child & Family Services (ACFS)
- More boxes will be placed at Tribal Police and Migizi properties including: Soaring Eagle Waterpark, Soaring Eagle Hideaway and RV Park, The Retreat, The Hill, Isabella Sagamok, Standish Sagamok, Cardinal Pharmacy, Migizi main office, and Migizi HR office.
- Each emergency box holds eight doses of naloxone and are refilled as necessary by SOR staff. The boxes are not locked and can be accessed by anyone who is in need. Naloxone and fentanyl test strips are available at Behavioral Health, free of charge, as well.
- Look for the bus wrap around town on IRide
- Collaboration with MAT consultant, Dr. Cara Poland
- Transportation assistance (for those who qualify for the grant) to and from treatment services

For more information, please contact: Behavioral Health at 989-775-4850



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