

Staff Presentation on the Naloxone Program



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What is the Naloxone Distribution Project (NDP)

- Project is sponsored by the California Department of Health Services.
- A way for our schools to get a stock of the opioid overdose rescue medication, Naloxone (Narcan©).
- Our schools must be equipped to respond quickly to suspected overdoses and try to reverse them.
- Each school site will receive two - four doses.



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Why Does SRVUSD Want to Participate in the NDP?

- There is an opioid epidemic in the U.S.
- In 2020, the age-adjusted rate of drug overdose deaths increased 31% from 2019.
- Young people aged 15-24 experienced the greatest percentage increase in deaths.
- Now a concerning trend of rainbow fentanyl.
- Naloxone has no effect on someone who does not have opioids in their system.

<https://nida.nih.gov/publications/drugfacts/naloxone>

<https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/databriefs/db428.pdf>



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What is the Proposed Timeline?

- Goal to launch by January 2023.
- Plan is to submit required application by Nov. 1
- High demand to participate in the NDP may result in a delay to receive product.
- Staff volunteers will be trained in the meantime.



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Budget Implication

- Total cost estimated to be \$4500.
- The Narcan itself is provided at **no cost**.
- It will cost \$60 per person to provide the required CPR training for each staff volunteer. Goal is two per site.
- Some staff volunteers may already have their CPR certification.
- Cost of \$3.50 - \$6.00 each to purchase CPR rescue masks.



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Thank you!

Q&A



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