

Naloxone Webinar Series

The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Prescription Drug Overdose Prevention (PDOP) Initiative invites you to register for a free, two-part webinar series on naloxone presented by Eliza Wheeler with the Harm Reduction Coalition. All are welcome to attend one or both webinars! Please register by March 23, 2018.

Part I: Overdose Education and Naloxone Distribution (OEND)

Date: March 26, 2018

Time: 2:00pm-3:30pm

Audience: This webinar is appropriate for any staff who will be responsible for educating laypersons about opioid overdose and distributing naloxone in their community. The webinar will cover the basic information needed to train laypersons and distribute naloxone in California including the following:

- History and context of OEND.
- Understanding opioid overdose, risk factors, prevention strategies.
- Understanding overdose response and naloxone administration.
- Engaging persons who use drugs and other laypeople in OEND.

Webinar Logistics: Participants must pre-register for the webinar and can do so here: <https://cdph-conf.webex.com/cdph-conf/k2/j.php?MTID=t7e75ae032cf49d07b138459b8456c90a>

Audio Conference Information: To receive a call back, provide your phone number when you join the training session, or call the number below and enter the access code. US Toll:+1-240-454-0887; Access code: 920 788 964.

Part II: Implementing Naloxone Distribution Systems

Date: March 30, 2018

Time: 10:00am-11:30am

Audience: This webinar is appropriate for program managers and others responsible for the implementation of naloxone distribution systems/OEND in any capacity in their community. The webinar will contain information on the Implementation of OEND systems in California, including the following:

- Setting the context: review of opioid overdose in the US, California, and your local community, history of OEND and evidence base for providing naloxone to laypersons.
- The nuts and bolts of naloxone distribution: we will examine the legal, policy and logistical issues related to distributing naloxone, including operating under a standing order, stocking/storing naloxone, etc.
- Tailoring OEND to your community to make the greatest impact on overdose deaths using best practices.

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CDPH, in collaboration with the Harm Reduction Coalition is planning to provide a series of webinars and regional in-person trainings on overdose education and naloxone distribution implementation over the next six months. For additional information, please email: PDOP@cdph.ca.gov.