

 Monroe

Community Coalition



March, 2021

Our Agenda

March 11, 2021

Monroe Community Coalition is a community collaboration working to implement alcohol and other drug prevention with a community-based approach.

Time	Topic	Lead
1:00pm	Welcome and Introductions	Tom MacIntyre
1:15	Opioid Epidemic: Snohomish County	Amy Hill, SUDP
1:45	Member Reports	ALL
1:50	Business Updates	Joe Neigel
2:30pm	Next Steps & Adjourn	Tom MacIntyre





Welcome & Introductions

What's your stress temperature?





Opioid Epidemic Snohomish County

Amy Hill, SUDP, Opioid Outreach Specialist

Snohomish County Human Services

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Why is there an Opioid Outreach Specialist in Snohomish County?

- Liaison needed for overdose victims
 - *Law enforcement
 - *Fire departments/ Paramedics
 - *Jail
- Provide support and resources to individuals with Opioid Use Disorder
- Provide Opioid Education and Narcan Trainings to community agencies, law enforcement and the public

What is the difference between Opiates and Opioids?

Opiates are drugs that originally were derived from the **opium poppy**. Opioids are synthetic or partly synthetic drugs manufactured to work in a similar way to opiates.

Opiates

- Codeine
- Morphine
- Heroin (**Illegal**)
- Opium (**Illegal**)

Opioids

- Methadone
- Percocet, OxyContin, Oxycodone
- Hydrocodone, Vicodin, Demerol
- Fentanyl, Dilaudid, Hydromorphone
- Buprenorphine - Suboxone, Subutex (Semi-Synthetic Opioid)

Not Opioids - Methamphetamine, Cocaine, Benzodiazepines such as Valium and Xanax, Marijuana, Spice, Ecstasy

Who uses opiates?

- Person with a Substance Use Disorder
- Person that has had surgery
- Person that has chronic pain/ other medical or dental issues

➤ Who can overdose on opiates?

➤ All of the above

- Family members/friends that use a prescription that is not theirs
- Kids that think medication looks like candy
- Person that forgets if they have taken their medication
- Person experiencing more pain so takes extra
- Person that has not used an opiate for a few days or more then resumes use (after detox, incarceration or an attempt to stop using)
- Person who combines an opiate with another drug (or alcohol) such as Xanax which is also a respiratory depressant.

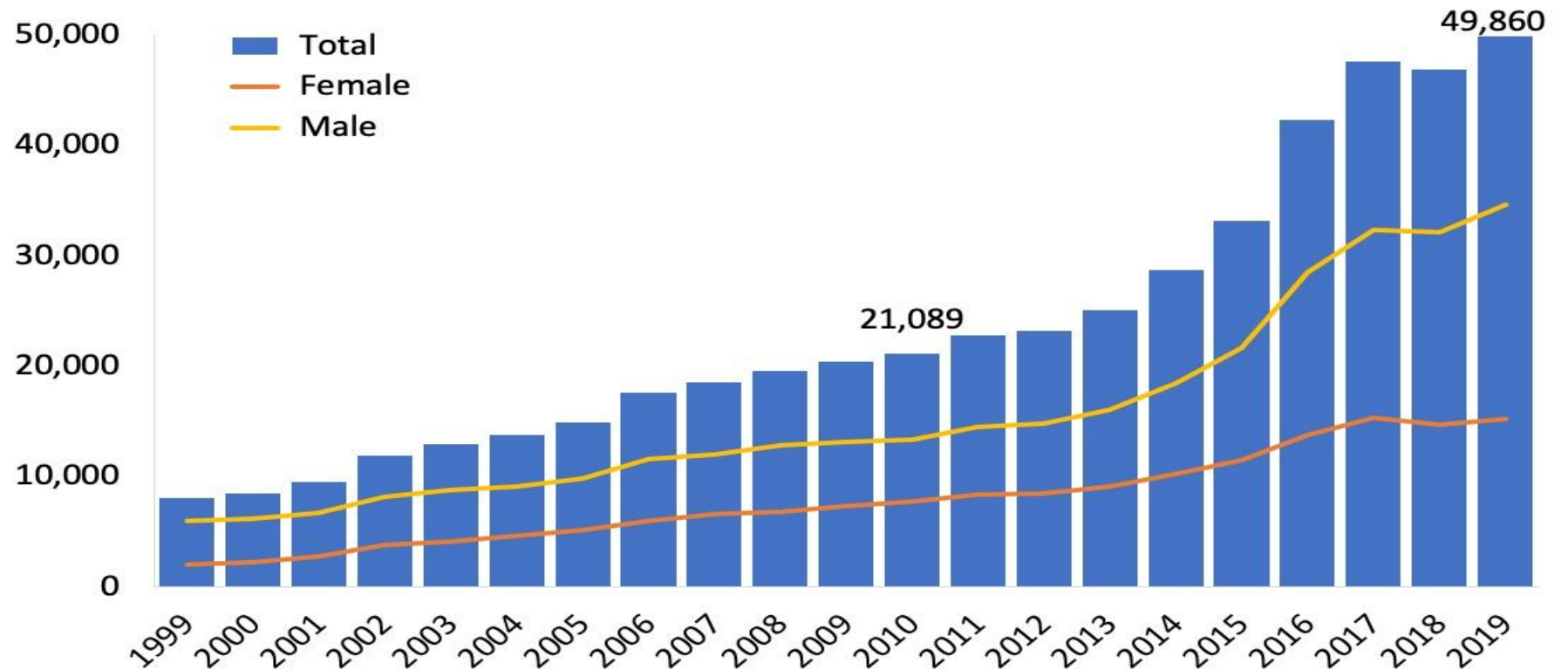
What is Narcan/ Naloxone?

Narcan/ Naloxone is a prescription medication that can block or reverse the effects of an opioid overdose.

Anyone can easily use naloxone to save the life of someone overdosing on opioids, including heroin or prescription medicines like OxyContin® or Percocet®.

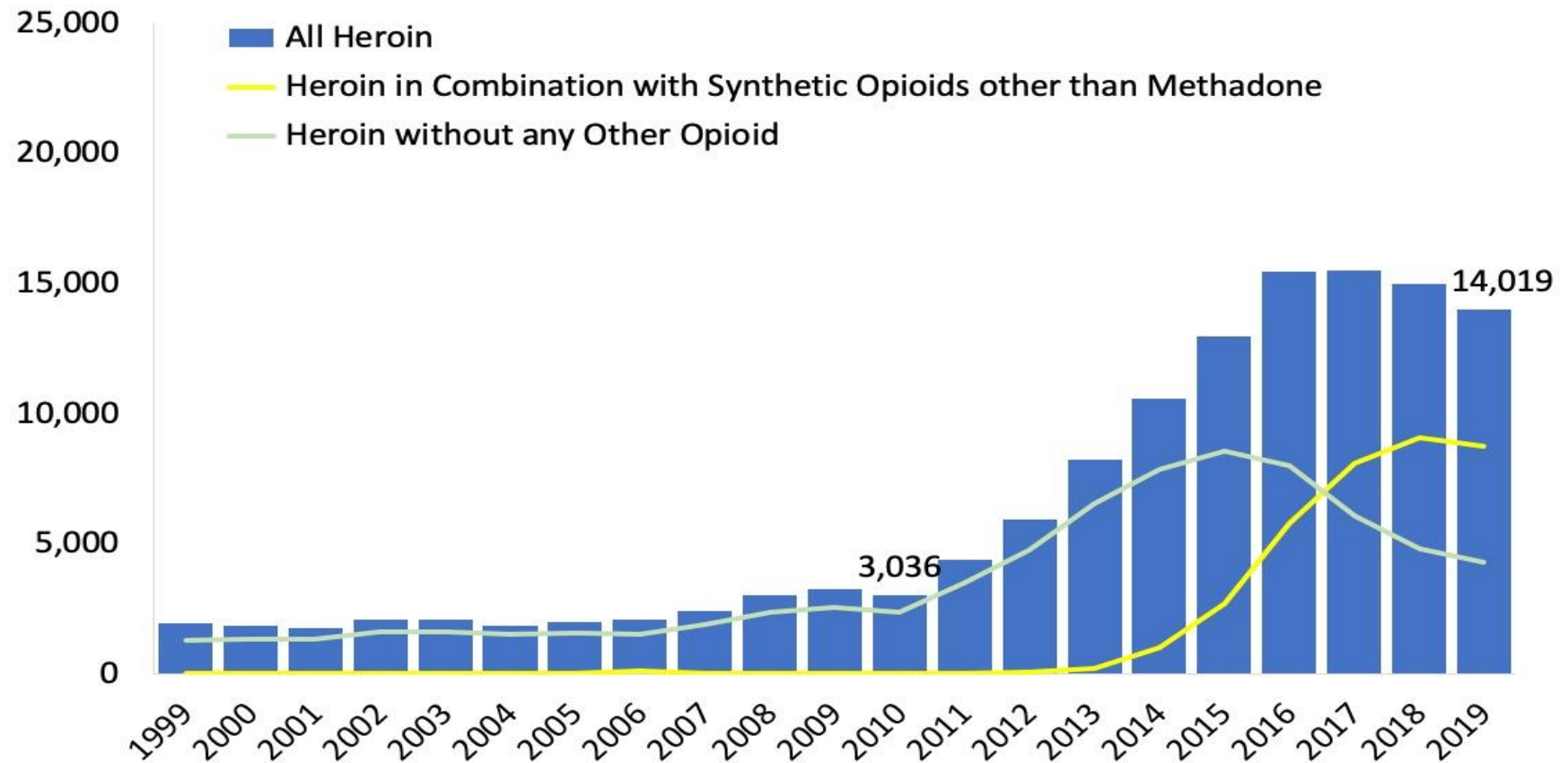


Figure 3. National Drug Overdose Deaths Involving Any Opioid, Number Among All Ages, by Gender, 1999-2019



*Among deaths with drug overdose as the underlying cause, the any opioid subcategory was determined by the following ICD-10 multiple cause-of-death codes: natural and semi-synthetic opioids (T40.2), methadone (T40.3), other synthetic opioids (other than methadone) (T40.4), or heroin (T40.1). Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics. Multiple Cause of Death 1999-2019 on CDC WONDER Online Database, released 12/2020.

**Figure 5. National Drug Overdose Deaths Involving Heroin*,
Number Among All Ages, 1999-2019**



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Fentanyl



Fentanyl is a powerful synthetic opioid that is similar to morphine but is 50 to 100 times more potent. *current numbers 2019 71, 2020 114(pending).

**PUBLIC SERVICE
ANNOUNCEMENT**



Opioid Awareness

Snohomish County Human Services



**FENTANYL
CAN KILL!**

Can you tell the difference?

Real

Fake

LEARN MORE AT STOPOVERDOSE.ORG

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This graphic features two blue pills with the letter 'M' on them. The top pill is labeled 'Real' and the bottom pill is labeled 'Fake'. The background is black with white and blue text.



Don't forget the
other pandemic...

ADDICTION.

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This graphic shows several white pills scattered on a blue surface. The background is a solid blue color with white text.

How can I get Narcan?

- www.stopoverdose.org provides a list of pharmacies in our county that you can purchase Narcan/Naloxone. The pharmacy will provide a brief training.
- You do not need a prescription from your doctor to obtain this medication. Standing order in Washington state.
- Narcan/Naloxone is covered under Medicaid and most insurance companies.
- Cash price usually ranges between \$125.00 - \$160.00 per box which contains 2 doses.

RESOURCES

- Carnegie Resource Center
- Diversion Center
- Opioid Outreach Specialist
- Embedded Social Workers (Police Departments)
- Treatment Agencies
- MAT (Medication Assisted Treatment)



**Questions?
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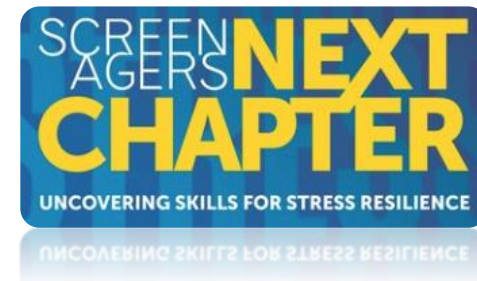
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Business Updates

What's happening?

Updates



Partner Reports

What's happening?





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