Key Overdose Research – December 2011

The following is a list of research and publications related overdose that maybe helpful when drafting proposals or gathering evidence to show the need for an overdose program.

These publications touch on many issues related to overdose, including naloxone, overdose risk factors, statistics about overdose in different communities, and program evaluations. If you would like to see the full text of any of these articles, you can try looking them up on the internet, and if you cannot access the full text, please contact us and we can find them for you.

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2. An Act Relating To Drugs; Authorizing And Releasing From Liability Persons Who Administer Opioid Antagonists; Releasing From Liability Licensed Health Care Professionals; Declaring An Emergency. New Mexico Statutes Annotated. Vol  24-31-1 & -2; 2006


45. Dietze P. Intranasal naloxone is an effective first line treatment for suspected opioid overdose in the prehospital setting. Paper presented at: 15th International Conference on the Reduction of Drug Related Harm; April 24, 2004; Melbourne, Australia.


125. Wermeling, DP. Opioid harm reduction strategies: focus on expanded access to intranasal naloxone. Pharmacotherapy Jul 2010;30(7):627-631


**CDC Publications:**


11. Adult Use of Prescription Opioid Pain Medications --- Utah, 2008 [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/mm5906a1.htm?s_cid=mm5906a1_e%0D%0A CDC. Increase in poisoning deaths caused by non-illicit drugs---Utah, 1991--2003. MMWR 2005;54:33--6.](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/mm5906a1.htm?s_cid=mm5906a1_e%0D%0A)

12. CDC Grand Rounds: Prescription Drug Overdoses — a U.S. Epidemic Weekly January 13, 2012 [http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/mm6101a3.htm?s_cid=mm6101a3_e](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/mm6101a3.htm?s_cid=mm6101a3_e)