See an overdose?

Call 911 immediately!

911

For more information on overdose prevention:

www.drugpolicy.org/njodinfo

New Jersey’s “Good Samaritan” Law protects you from drug sales, and other non-drug crimes. The protections do not extend to outstanding warrants, based on these charges.

Drug Policy Alliance campaign.
What to do if someone overdoses:

- Call 911 immediately!
- Say “I think someone may have overdosed.”
- If the person is not breathing, do rescue breathing.
- Lay the person on their side once they resume breathing.
- Give Naloxone (mouth-to-mouth)
- Give Narcan (the opioid overdose reversal drug)
- If drugs, using or possessing drug paraphernalia; revocation of parole and probation based on these charges.
- New Jersey’s new “Good Samaritan” law provides protections for the victim and those who seek help during an overdose from arrest, charge, and prosecution for obtaining, possessing, using, or being under the influence of drugs; using or possessing drug paraphernalia; revocation of parole and probation based on these charges.

Signs of an overdose include:

- Breathing slowly or not at all
- The person is unconscious and you can’t wake them
- Lips or nails are turning blue
- Afraid to call 911? Don’t be!