



# Opioid Start Talking Form

## Provider Key Points

### **Additional Requirements for Minors**

- Mental illness and substance use disorders may increase the risk of addiction
- Mixing opioids with other sedatives (benzodiazepines, alcohol, muscle relaxers, etc) can cause death or disability



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### Required for All

- Opioids carry the risks of overdose and developing a substance use disorder
- Pregnant females have heightened risks, including neonatal abstinence syndrome
- Common side effects are constipation, drowsiness, nausea and vomiting
- Safe disposal reduces injury and death in family members, disposal options include **select** pharmacies or police departments
- It is a felony to distribute or share an opioid without a prescription