

# DRUG ALERT



 Interior Health



## Kelowna

January 20, 2022

<b>Looks like:</b>	Purple chunks with chalky texture
<b>Sold as:</b>	Down
<b>Contains:</b>	Fentanyl, Benzodiazepines - <u>may</u> contain carfentanil or other unknown substances
<b>Risk:</b>	<b>This substance has resulted in several drug poisonings (overdoses) in the last week.</b> High risk of Drug Poisoning (overdose), long periods of unconsciousness (sleepiness).
<b>In effect until:</b>	January 27, 2022

No matter what or how you use (smoking, snorting, injecting) take steps to prevent overdose:

- Get your drugs checked – find locations at [drugchecking.ca](http://drugchecking.ca)
- Avoid mixing.
- Use with others around or at an Overdose Prevention Site (OPS).
- Start with a small amount.
- Carry naloxone and know how use it.
- Get the LifeGuard App - [lifeguardh.com](http://lifeguardh.com)
- Call 211 or visit [bc211.ca](http://bc211.ca) to find services near you

More information and drug checking results at [www.drugchecking.ca](http://www.drugchecking.ca)

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