



Interior Health



# URGENT DRUG ALERT

Interior Health - Williams Lake

**Benzodiazepines and extreme level of fentanyl found in a sample tested in Williams Lake**



**START LOW  
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GO SLOW!**

Looks Like: Yellow, chalky substance

Sold as: Down, fentanyl

Contains: Fentanyl (25-30%) and Benzodiazepines

Risk: High risk of overdose, High risk of fatal overdose  
Long periods of sleep and drowsiness likely

In effect until: April 15 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)
- Be aware of increased risk if mixing with other drugs, including alcohol
- Use with others around or at an Overdose Prevention Site (OPS)
- Start with a small amount and space out your doses
- Carry naloxone and know how use it
- Get the LifeGuard App - [lifeguarddh.com](http://lifeguarddh.com)
- Call 211 or visit [bc211.ca](http://bc211.ca) to find services near you