



Drug Poisoning Overdose AlertTrail and area

There have been a number of overdoses with severe outcomes in the Trail area.

Be a buddy: Reach out for a buddy so no one uses alone!

West Kootenays drug checking services have recently detected high concentrations of fentanyl, fluorofentanyl, methylfentanyl, xylazine (tranquilizer) and benzodiazepines in *down*.

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

- Get your drugs checked find locations at drugchecking.ca
- Be aware of increased risk if mixing with other drugs, including alcohol
- Use one at a time so someone can respond to overdose if needed
- 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 at Kiro Wellness
- Get the LifeGuard App lifeguarddh.com
- Call 211 or visit bc211.ca to find services near you

Local
Substance Use
Services
310-MHSU
Crisis Response
250-305-8496
Drug Checking
236-972-7080

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