

Substance Abuse: Opioids

Learning Objectives

- I can differentiate between legal and illegal drugs that fall into the opioid category (6.2k)

Teacher Notes

- This lesson will include pauses for student thinking and discussion. Pause the video as instructed for student input.
- Tape one paper with one writing prompt displayed in each four corners of the room. For large class sizes modify and create eight groups and repeat the prompts twice.

Lesson Steps: Video Outline: [6.2k Substance Abuse: Opioids](#)

Step 1 Introduction

- Pre-Assessment
 - What comes to mind when you hear the word opioid?

Step 2 Activity

- During the video students will be introduced to what opioids are, examples of opioids, risks of addiction and how to seek help
- 4-Corners: Students will move to the four corners of the classroom where writing prompts will be provided on paper taped to the wall. Students will work together in their groups to discuss and answer their question. When groups have finished collaborating they will present their information to the class. After presentations groups can travel to the next prompt to expand upon their submission or write questions regarding the content.
 - Prompts:
 - What Opioids Are
 - What Opioids Are NOT
 - When Opioids are legal
 - When Opioids are NOT legal

Step 3 Closure

- Exit Ticket: What is one thing you can do to limit your risk of becoming addicted to opioids?



Sample Lesson Plan
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Assessments

- Pre: Lesson will introduce topic, engage learners, and access prior knowledge.
- Post: 4-Corners will allow students to collaborate and differentiate between legal and illegal opioid use. Teacher will observe student input and responses to determine level of understanding.

Extensions/Connections/Applications

- Writing prompts can be extended for additional collaboration with group members.
- Student's can be required to work independently to analyze local opioid data as well as local resources for addiction assistance

Resources/References

- [Health Smart VA](#)
- [McGrawHill Education: Glencoe Teen Health](#)
- [6.2k Substance Abuse: Opioids Slides](#)