

# Town of Mansfield

## STANDING ORDER

### Municipal Buildings

#### NASAL NALOXONE (NARCAN)

Naloxone (NARCAN) nasal Spray is indicated for the emergency treatment of known or suspected opioid overdose, as manifested by respiratory and/or central nervous system depression or unresponsiveness.

#### **Identify Opioid Overdose and Check for Response**

- Opioids include but are not limited to: Codeine, Demerol, Fentanyl, Heroin, Morphine, Oxycodone, and others.

#### **Signs of overdose include:**

- Cannot be aroused, Limp body
- Slow or no breathing
- Pupils very small (pinpoint pupils)
- Fingernails and /or lips turning blue
- Vomiting or gurgling noises
- Unable to speak/incoherent

Administer **NARCAN (naloxone hydrochloride) Nasal Spray 4 mg** to a person suspected of an opioid overdose, with respiratory depression or unresponsiveness, as follows:

#### **Give NARCAN Nasal Spray**

1. **CALL 911**
2. **CALL for MERT and/or Administrator for assistance**
3. Position the individual on their back to receive a dose of **NARCAN Nasal Spray**
4. Remove **NARCAN Nasal Spray** from box and peel back the tab with the circle to obtain the spray bottle
5. Hold the **NARCAN Nasal Spray** with your thumb on the bottom of the plunger and hold your first and middle fingers on either side of the nozzle
6. Tilt the individual's head back and provide support under the neck with your hand
7. Gently insert the tip of the nozzle into one nostril until your fingers are on either side of the nozzle are against the bottom of the person's nose
8. Press plunger firmly to give the dose of **NARCAN Nasal Spray**
9. Remove spray from nostril
10. Move the individual on their side (recovery position)
11. Await emergency medical personnel and monitor the individual

**THIS TOWN SUPPLIED NALOXONE (NARCAN) IS ONLY TO BE ADMINISTERED BY TRAINED STAFF**

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