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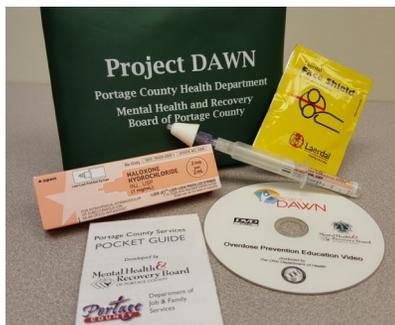
What is Project DAWN?

Deaths **A**voided **W**ith **N**aloxone

Project DAWN is a community-based drug overdose education and Naloxone distribution program. Participants attend a 30 minute class to learn to :

- See the signs and symptoms of an overdose
- Know the different types of overdoses
- Do Rescue Breathing
- Call emergency medical services
- Give the intranasal Naloxone

Participants who complete the class will be given a Project DAWN Kit containing the Naloxone, instructions, and referral information.



Naloxone (Narcan) is a medication that can reverse an overdose from an opioid drug. It reverses the effects of opioids on the brain and restores breathing in order to prevent death.



Education provided by Portage County Health Department.
Funding for the kits provided by the Mental Health and Recovery Board of Portage County.

When are the Project DAWN classes?

Mondays

1:00 pm
1:30 pm
2:00 pm
2:30 pm

Tuesdays

9:00 am
9:30 am
10:00 am
10:30 am
&
5:30 pm
6:00 pm

*Classes are held at the
Portage County Health Department
705 Oakwood St.
2nd floor
Ravenna, OH 44266*

To schedule a class please contact:

330.296.9919

An appointment is required!

For more information or questions about Project DAWN please call 330.296.9919
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Questions or Comments?

Contact Us!

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