Saving Lives from Overdose Frequently Asked Questions

Is there a cost to receive training as a master trainer?

No. All training under House Bill 333 uses grant funding so that learners do not have to pay a registration fee for this training.

What can I do with my naloxone training?

As a General User, you may utilize your training within your assigned organization to deploy naloxone if a situation warrants its use. Master Trainers may additionally train others to the level of General User within their organizations or communities.

I work within an organization that wants to disperse naloxone to those who are considered at risk. Can I order naloxone and disperse it accordingly?

At no time may a Master Trainer or General User utilize their training in order to disperse naloxone to others. The segment of training that Best Practice Medicine provides under House Bill 333 does not make provision for Master Trainers and General Users to serve as distribution points for naloxone. If you are needing this type of service, please email Ki-Ai.McBride@mt.gov

Who can order naloxone through the provisions of House Bill 333?

Only those who have received training as a Master Trainer or General User can order grant-funded naloxone. The order form can be located by <u>clicking here</u>.

Do I need to renew my naloxone training certification?

Yes. Every 2 years from the date of your initial certification or sooner you must renew your naloxone training status.

How do I renew my status as a Master Trainer or General User?

Master Trainers must remain current in their teaching skills by teaching at least 2 naloxone classes prior to their expiration date. Additionally, they must remain knowledgeable in the use of naloxone either by practicing and/or actually deploying naloxone. Before the expiration date of their certification, they must also retake the online training module. The latest link for this can be obtained by emailing aolson@bestpracticemedicine.com

General Users must remain current in their knowledge and skills regarding the appropriate deployment of naloxone. This can be done via actual deployment of naloxone or periodic trainings within their assigned organization. Additionally, within the 2-year timeframe, General Users must retake the online learning module. The latest edition of this can be accessed by <u>clicking here</u>. General Users can notify their local Master Trainer of their skills maintenance and provide a copy of their online training certificate at which time the Master Trainer can update the expiration date of the General User to 2 years out from the current date.

There is no requirement at any time for either Master Trainers or General Users to completely redo a formalized classroom naloxone training. However, such practice is not discouraged and may indeed simply be the most efficient way to maintain the requirements mentioned above.

I lost my printed naloxone certificate. Where can I get a new copy of it?

Best Practice Medicine is not able to reprint certificates since the online learning modules are housed on a 3rd-party server. If you are needing a reprinted copy of your certificate, you will need to log into the online learning module and under the "results" tab, reproduce a copy of your certificate.