

# OPIOID CRISIS HELP IS HERE



**DID YOU KNOW** 72,000 Americans overdosed in 2017, a record number that reflects a 10% increase, according to new preliminary estimates from the Centers for Disease Control (New York Time, 2018).

## How soon can I get help?

Crisis counseling is available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year by simply dialing 2-1-1 on your phone. You may contact a treatment provider directly and they will discuss walk-in and appointment options with you.

## What will I have to pay?

You will be screened for financial eligibility during your first appointment. Insurance coverage/lack of coverage, income, and family size will determine where you fall on a sliding fee scale. Many patients pay only copays or reduced fees. You may even qualify for free services.

Opioid addiction affects many aspects of our communities; such as, public and private sector employers, tourism, education, law enforcement, criminal justice system, child welfare, and hospitals...all taxpayers. Most importantly it affects families, children, and our consumers. It affects **EVERYONE**. How can you help? Educate yourself. Learn what signs to look for and what resources are available?

# To access Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) services in SEMINOLE COUNTY

## Aspire Health Partners

(407) 245-0014

Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) - Vivitrol; Clinical Counseling Services; Medical Services; Detoxification (Detox); Residential; and Outreach and Education.

## Specialized Treatment Education and Prevention Services, Inc./S.T.E.P.S.

(407) 522-2144

Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) - Methadone, Buprenorphine, Vivitrol; Case Management; Recovery Support Services; and Aftercare.

Call **911 immediately** if a person exhibits any of these symptoms:

- Inability to think, talk, or walk normally
- Extremely pale and/or feels clammy to the touch
- Body goes limp or weakness
- Fingernails or lips have a purple or blue color
- Vomiting or making gurgling noises
- Cannot be awakened or are unable to speak
- Trouble breathing or shallow breaths
- Heartbeat slows or stops

## EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

[www.centralfloridacares.org/opioid](http://www.centralfloridacares.org/opioid)

[www.ocflheroesagainstheroin.org](http://www.ocflheroesagainstheroin.org)

[www.samhsa.gov/medication-assisted-treatment](http://www.samhsa.gov/medication-assisted-treatment)

[www.cdc.gov/drugoverdose/opioids](http://www.cdc.gov/drugoverdose/opioids)

