STANDING ORDERS FOR NALOXONE

This standing order is issued by Dr. Cara Christ, MD MS (NPI #1639369036), Director of Arizona Department of Health Services. The standing order authorizes any Arizona-licensed pharmacist to dispense naloxone to any individual in accordance with the conditions of this order.

Dispense one of the three following naloxone products based on product availability and preference.

☐ For intranasal administration in children ≥5 years or ≥20kg; adolescents; adults
Dispense: NARCAN™ 4mg/0.1mL nasal spray
Sig: For suspected opioid overdose, administer a single spray of Narcan in one nostril. Repeat after 3 minutes if no or minimal response.
Refills: PRN x 1 year
OR
Dispense: 2mg/2mL single dose Luer-Jet prefilled syringe. Include 1 Luer-lock mucosal atomization device per dose dispensed.
Sig: For suspected opioid overdose, spray 1 mL in each nostril. Repeat after 3 minutes if no or minimal response.
Refills: PRN x 1 year

☐ For intramuscular injection in children ≥5 years or ≥20kg; adolescents; adults
Disp: 0.4mg/mL in 1mL single dose vials. Include one 3cc, 23g, 1” syringe per dose dispensed.
Sig: For suspected opioid overdose, inject 1mL IM in shoulder or thigh, PRN opioid overdose. Repeat after 3 minutes if no or minimal response.
Refills: PRN x 1 year

☐ For intramuscular or subcutaneous injection in children ≥5 years or ≥20kg; adolescents; adults
Disp: EVZIO™ 2mg/0.4mL auto-injector, #1 Two-pack
Sig: For suspected opioid overdose, follow audio instructions from device. Place on thigh and inject 0.4mL. Repeat after 3 minutes if no or minimal response.
Refills: PRN x 1 year

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