

Memorandum of Understanding

Between

Southwest Health and Human Services

and

the City of Pipestone

The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding is to establish a partnership between Southwest Health and Human Services (SWHHS) and the City of Pipestone to increase community access to naloxone (Narcan) by purchasing, and maintaining a publicly accessible naloxone wall cabinet at the Meinder's Library location.

SWHHS agrees to provide:

- The wall cabinet, and an initial supply of naloxone at no cost to the community partner.
- Provide educational material when available or requested.
- Replace expired or used naloxone, as funding and supplies allow.
- Serve as the primary contact for questions regarding the naloxone cabinet and program.

The community partner agrees to:

- Allow installation of the naloxone wall cabinet in an agreed-upon location that is accessible to the public during hours of operation.
- Make efforts to ensure cabinet is visible, unobstructed, and accessible.
- Notify SWHHS if naloxone is missing, damaged, approaching expiration date, or supplies are running low.
- Notify SWHHS if the cabinet requires repair or maintenance.
- Inform SWHHS if the organization no longer wishes to participate in the program or if the cabinet gets relocated. In the event the partner no longer wishes to participate, SWHHS will retrieve the wall cabinet.

This MOU shall remain in effect until terminated by either party upon written notice.

Good Samaritan Overdose Prevention Law (Minn. Stat. § 604A.04) provides certain legal protections for individuals who, in good faith, obtain, possess, distribute, or administer naloxone to someone they reasonably believe is experiencing an opioid overdose. The law also provides protections for individuals who, in good faith, seek emergency medical assistance for a person experiencing a drug-related overdose, as provided by Minnesota law.

If naloxone is removed from cabinet for immediate/emergency use in community partner's establishment, individuals should call 911 immediately and follow the instructions provided with the naloxone medication.

Community Organization:

Signature

Mayor

Date

Signature

City Clerk

Date

Southwest Health and Human Services:

SWHHS Signature

Title

Date

Board Chairperson Signature

Title

Date