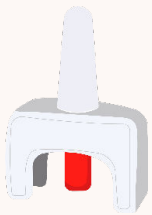


Providing *Hope*
After Overdose

HOW IT WORKS



1. Overdose occurs
EMS and Law Enforcement Officials are notified and administer Narcan.

2. Patient arrives at ED

The patient is transported to the ER, where ER physicians administer buprenorphine, if appropriate ([click here for MOUD/MAT information](#)).

3. Emily's Hope notified

ED staff fax pre-filled release of information, patient demographics sheet with CURRENT contact info, and MAT/MOUD orders, if applicable



4. First interaction

A peer support specialist will respond within 48 hours to offer:

- Resources for treatment
- Naloxone training
- In-person or virtual counseling/guidance
- Continued follow-up support for a year



Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT) or Medications for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD)

TRAINING & RESOURCES



TALKING POINTS

- The program is free to use
- We do not notify or share client information with law enforcement
- No commitment required
- We offer telehealth options
- **If patient doesn't want to sign ROI today, please give them a brochure or put <https://emilyshope.charity/port> in discharge notes and explain they can contact us within 30 days**

A Peer Support Specialist is someone who has personal experience with substance use disorder. They provide support and assistance to others going through similar experiences. They offer guidance, empathy, inspiration, hope, reduced stigma, and understanding based on their own recovery journey.

ELIGIBILITY

- The overdose was within 30 days
- The client lives in Minnehaha or Lincoln Counties in South Dakota
- Alcohol poisoning is not eligible for this program unless it co-occurs with a drug overdose

HOW TO REFER

Fax: 605-340-6276

Online: emilyshope.charity/port
Patient may also self-refer on this form



Call/Text:
605-215-0654

Email:
port@emilyshope.charity

Please send patient demographics sheet, release of information and MAT/MOUD order (if applicable). You can upload on online form.