



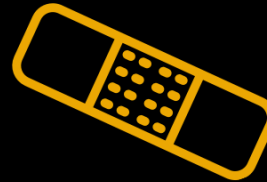
XYLAZINE

What you need to know

Xylazine, also known as "tranq" or "zombie drug", is an animal tranquilizer that is becoming an increasingly common filler in opioids.

EFFECTS

Xylazine is a sedative that induces a heavy sedation that can cause its users to blackout. These effect last longer than those of opioids, so people often come to with an immediate craving to use again.



The use of drugs contaminated with xylazine can cause

SEVERE WOUNDS

that may result in amputation in extreme cases. These wounds commonly appear at injection sites, but they can affect any part of the body. If you see wounds developing, seek medical attention.

WITHDRAWAL

Tranq's potency causes especially intense and often debilitating withdrawal symptoms.



Because xylazine is not an opioid, it is

RESISTENT TO NALOXONE

When someone overdoses on an opioid that is cut with tranq, administer naloxone. If the person begins breathing but remains unconscious, do not administer naloxone again.

WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?



Never use alone.



Start low, go slow.

RESOURCES

NEVER USE ALONE

English hotline: 800-484-3731
Spanish hotline: 800-928-5330

THE BRAVE APP

Download on the app store.

AND ALWAYS CARRY NALOXONE!

