PDAPS

Prescription Drug Abuse Policy System

Codebook for Naloxone Overdose Prevention Laws

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NALOXONE OVERDOSE PREVENTION LAWS
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Codebook

Unintentional drug overdose is a leading cause of preventable death in the United States. Administering naloxone hydrochloride ("naloxone") can reverse an opioid overdose and prevent these unintentional deaths. This dataset focuses on state laws that provide civil or criminal immunity to licensed healthcare providers or lay responders for opioid antagonist administration. This is a longitudinal dataset displaying laws from January 1, 2001 through July 1, 2017.

There are three standard variables in every PDAPS dataset. They are:

JURISDICTION:
This is a dropdown selection in each coding form. It includes the jurisdictions coded in the dataset.

EFFECTIVE DATE:
This date (MM/DD/YYYY) is the most recent effective date of the legal text captured for this place. The effective date represents the date the policy coded was put into effect.

VALID THROUGH DATE:
This date (MM/DD/YYYY) is the last date the policy was in effect as reflected by the legal text captured to code this policy.

AN IMPORTANT NOTE ABOUT THE STATISTICAL DATA PAGE:
This codebook should be used in conjunction with the statistical data extract that can be downloaded from the dataset homepage by clicking on the Data button. The value labels defined below will correspond with the coded responses you will see on the Statistical data page. Coding questions that are not answered will show as a period (".") in the Excel cell.

Questions

Question 1:	**Does the jurisdiction have a naloxone access law?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naaddressoaayn
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes

Question 2:	**Do prescribers have immunity from criminal prosecution for prescribing, dispensing or distributing naloxone to a layperson?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	nahealthcrimproyn
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes

Question 3:	**Is participation in a naloxone administration program required as a condition of immunity?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	nanapimm1yn
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes

Question 4:	**Are prescribers required to act with reasonable care?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	narcimm1yn
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes

Question 5:	**Do prescribers have immunity from civil liability for prescribing, dispensing or distributing naloxone to a layperson?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	nahealthcivliayn
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes

Question 6:	**Is participation in a naloxone administration program required as a condition of immunity?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	nanapimm2yn
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 7:	**Are prescribers required to act with reasonable care?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	narcimm2yn
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 8:	**Do prescribers have immunity from professional sanctions for prescribing, dispensing, or distributing naloxone to a layperson?**
Question Type:	Binary - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naloxone-presprof
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 9:	**Do dispensers have immunity from criminal prosecution for prescribing, dispensing or distributing naloxone to a layperson?**
Question Type:	Binary - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naloxone-dispcrim
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 10:	**Is participation in a naloxone program required as a condition of immunity?**
Question Type:	Binary - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naloxone-dcrimpro
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 11:	**Are dispensers required to act with reasonable care?**

Question Type:	Binary - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naloxone-dcrimcare
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 12:	**Do dispensers have immunity from civil liability for prescribing, dispensing or distributing naloxone to a layperson?**
Question Type:	Binary - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naloxone-dispciv
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 13:	**Is participation in a naloxone program required as a condition of immunity?**
Question Type:	Binary - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naloxone-dcivprog
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 14:	**Are dispensers required to act with reasonable care?**
Question Type:	Binary - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naloxone-dcivcare
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 15:	**Do dispensers have immunity from professional sanctions for prescribing, dispensing, or distributing naloxone to a layperson?**
Question Type:	Binary - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naloxone-presprof-disp
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 16:	**Are prescriptions of naloxone authorized to third parties?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive

Variable Name:	naloxone-thirdparty
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 17:	**Is naloxone program participation required for a third party prescription?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naloxone-thirdprog
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 18:	**Are prescribers required to act with reasonable care?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naloxone-thirdcare
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 19:	**Are pharmacists allowed to dispense or distribute naloxone without a patient-specific prescription from another medical professional?**
Question Type:	Binary - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	pharmacist-dispensing
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 20:	**How are pharmacists allowed to dispense or distribute naloxone without a patient-specific prescription from another medical professional?**
Question Type:	Categorical - check all that apply
Variable Name:	pharmacist-dispensing-method_Standing order
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 21:	**How are pharmacists allowed to dispense or distribute naloxone without a patient-specific prescription from another medical professional?**
Question Type:	Categorical - check all that apply
Variable Name:	pharmacist-dispensing-method_Protocol order

Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 22:	**How are pharmacists allowed to dispense or distribute naloxone without a patient-specific prescription from another medical professional?**
Question Type:	Categorical - check all that apply
Variable Name:	pharmacist-dispensing-method_Naloxone-specific collaborative practice agreement
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 23:	**How are pharmacists allowed to dispense or distribute naloxone without a patient-specific prescription from another medical professional?**
Question Type:	Categorical - check all that apply
Variable Name:	pharmacist-dispensing-method_Pharmacist prescriptive authority
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 24:	**How are pharmacists allowed to dispense or distribute naloxone without a patient-specific prescription from another medical professional?**
Question Type:	Categorical - check all that apply
Variable Name:	pharmacist-dispensing-method_Directly authorized by legislature
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 25:	**Is a layperson immune from criminal liability when administering naloxone?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naimmcrimprolpyn
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 26:	**Is participation in a naloxone administration program required as a condition of immunity?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	nanapimm3yn

Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 27:	**Are laypeople required to act with reasonable care?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	narcimm3yn
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 28:	**Is a layperson immune from civil liability when administering naloxone?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naimmcivlialpyn
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 29:	**Is participation in a naloxone administration program required as a condition of immunity?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	nanapimm4yn
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 30:	**Are laypeople required to act with reasonable care?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	narcimm4yn
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 31:	**Does the law remove criminal liability for possession of naloxone without a prescription?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naloxone-crimpossesion

Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 32:	**Is participation in a naloxone administration program required as a condition of immunity?**
Question Type:	Categorical - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	naloxone-crimpossessionprog
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes
Question 33:	**Is acting with reasonable care required as a condition of immunity?**
Question Type:	Binary - mutually exclusive
Variable Name:	crim-possess-reasonable
Variable Values:	0, 1
Value Label:	0 = No
Value Label:	1 = Yes