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Overdose Prevention Narcan Training to be Offered Free to the Public

To respond to the increase in opioid overdoses locally and statewide, the Jefferson County Drug Free Coalition is partnering with the Jefferson County Public Libraries and the AIDS Resource Center of Wisconsin to provide free Overdose Prevention (Narcan) trainings throughout the community.

The training will include information on local substance abuse resource, the importance of alerting emergency responders (calling 911), and hands-on experience with administering Narcan. Participants will receive a free Narcan (overdose reversal drug) kit that can be used to respond to an overdose.

Concerned family members, friends, and community members are all encouraged to attend The training is free. The training will be led by the staff of the AIDS Resource Center of Wisconsin.

Locations for the Narcan Training:

- Jefferson Public Library, 1/17/2018 @ 6 pm (Interpreter available for Spanish speakers)
- Irvin L Young Memorial Library (Whitewater), 1/29/2018 @ 6 pm
- Johnson Creek Public Library, 1/30/2018 @ 5:30 pm
- Dwight Foster Public Library (Fort Atkinson), 2/6/2018 @ 6 pm (Interpreter available for Spanish speakers)
- Karl Junginger Memorial Library (Waterloo), 2/19/2018 @ 6 pm
- Watertown Public Library, 3/6/2018 @ 6 pm
- Powers Memorial Library (Palmyra), 3/7/2018 @ 6 pm
- Lake Mills Public Library, 3/20/2018 @ 7 pm

For event information, contact Emi Reiner of the Jefferson County Drug Free Coalition.
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