



Street Drug Survival Guide (Harm Reduction)

This guide is focused on harm reduction—keeping you alive, aware, and as safe as possible. It also includes local resources in Colorado Springs for support, treatment, and emergency care.

Never Use Alone

Stay near someone you trust. If using alone, stay in a visible area. Isolation increases fatal risk.

Fentanyl Awareness

Fentanyl is common in nearly all street drugs. Always assume risk. Test if you can.

Carry Narcan

Naloxone reverses overdoses. Safe to use. Give if someone is unresponsive or not breathing normally.

Tolerance Changes

After any break, your tolerance drops. Use less than usual to avoid overdose.

Avoid Mixing

Mixing opioids with alcohol or benzos is especially dangerous.

Hydration & Heat

Drink water often. Heat + substances increases risk fast.

Protect Your Dog

Keep all substances away. Dogs can overdose quickly. Watch for vomiting, shaking, or collapse.

Where to Get Free Narcan (Colorado Springs)

- AspenPointe Health Services – 115 S Parkside Dr, Colorado Springs, CO
Hours vary, generally Mon–Fri daytime
- El Paso County Public Health – 1675 Garden of the Gods Rd, Colorado Springs, CO
Mon–Fri ~8am–5pm
- Colorado Harm Reduction Action Center (mobile/outreach events)
Check online/social for current distribution times

Substance Use & Methadone / MAT Clinics

- Recovery Services of Southern Colorado – 3938 N Academy Blvd, Colorado Springs, CO
Offers medication-assisted treatment (MAT)
- AspenPointe – 115 S Parkside Dr, Colorado Springs, CO
Behavioral health & substance use services
- Crossroads Turning Points – 1829 Jet Wing Dr, Colorado Springs, CO
Detox and recovery programs

24/7 Hotlines & Crisis Support

- 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline (call/text 988)
- Colorado Crisis Services: 1-844-493-8255 | text TALK to 38255
- SAMHSA Helpline: 1-800-662-4357

Note: Hours and services may change. If possible, call ahead or ask outreach teams for the most current info.

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