

OXYCODONE

OPIOID CLASS

.....WHAT IS IT?

It is an opioid pain reliever used to treat moderate to severe pain.

It works by activating opioid receptors in the nervous system.

POTENCY:

Similar potency to morphine depending which route it is consumed from.

Less potent than fentanyl.

WHAT WILL IT DO?

Can cause euphoria, pain relief, dizziness, nausea, vomiting, constipation and drowsiness.

May lower heart rate and breathing.



CAN I OVERDOSE ON OXYCODONE?

YES! Oxycodone can cause opioid overdoses when overused or abused. Administer Naloxone and call 911 immediately!

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OXYCODONE OVERDOSE:

- **Pale/blue skin that could be cold or clammy**
- **Decreased breathing and/or pulse**
- **Dizziness, confusion, small pupils, and difficult to wake up**

TIPS:

- **Get your drugs tested! Start with a small amount!**
- **Do not use alone, if you are alone you can download the Lifeguard App**
- **Try to rouse the client, administer Naloxone & Call 911**



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