



SAFESTREETS

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In the News: Snohomish County, Everett Police use naloxone to prevent overdoses

EVERETT - The White House Office of Drug Control Policy [recently recognized Snohomish County](#) for its efforts to prevent overdoses from heroin and other opioid painkillers. Several law enforcement agencies in the county, including the Everett Police Department, are now using naloxone nasal spray - also known as Narcan - to reverse overdose symptoms.

Everett Police have 21 saves using Narcan, including six saves in 2016.

In a story in today's Everett Herald, Lt. Jeraud Irving discusses Everett Police's growing use of naloxone in our community.

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