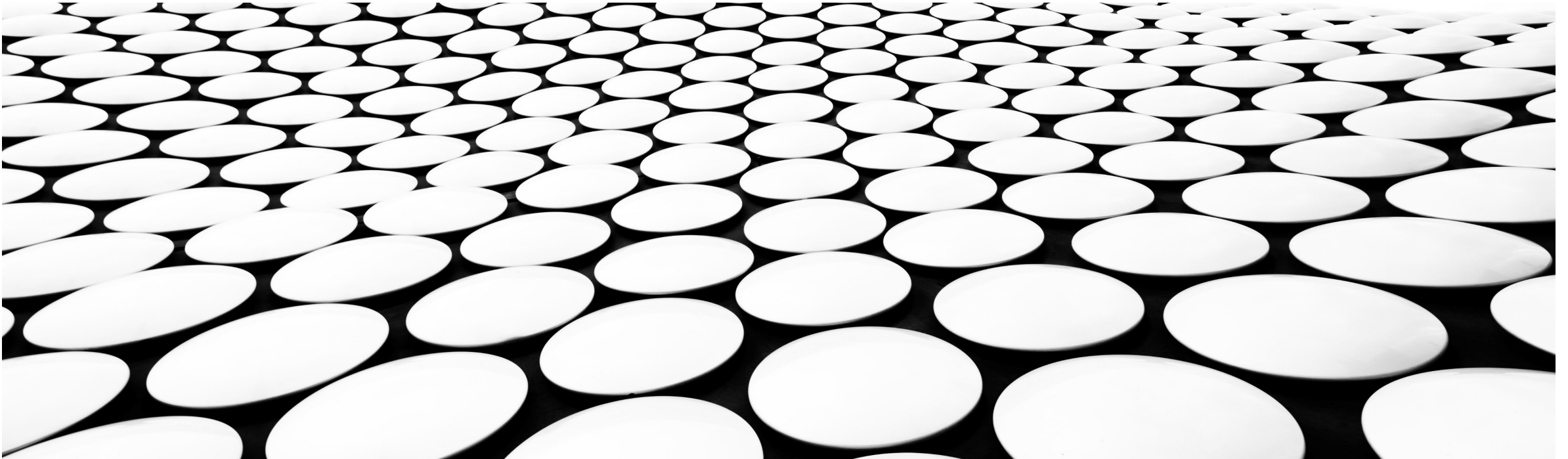


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# **JAY INDUSTRIES, INC.**

## **GUIDE FOR SUPERVISORS HANDLING ILLEGAL DRUGS**

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# TRAINING GOALS

- Reduce the potential for accidental exposure to illegal substances
- Educate our supervisors
- Know how to respond to an incident involving illegal drugs

# ILLEGAL DRUGS CAN BE PRESENT IN MANY FORMS & PACKAGING

- Pills
- Powder
- Capsules
- Rocks
- Liquid
- Blotter paper
- Baggies
- Foil
- Plastic Bags



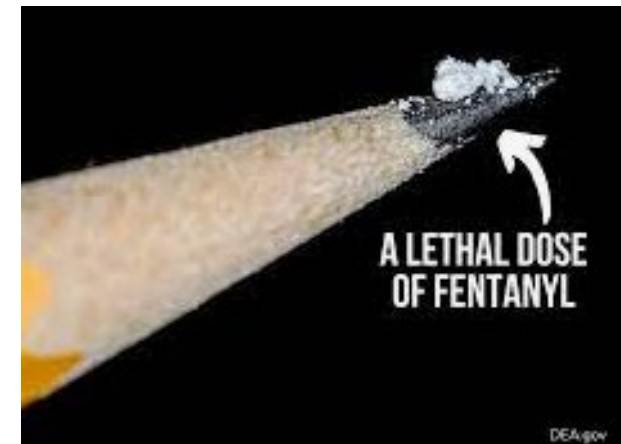
# WHAT ARE THE DANGERS OF DRUG EXPOSURE?



- Small amounts can be dangerous
- Exposure can occur through inhalation
- Exposure can occur through the skin
- Exposure can occur through contact with the mucus membranes of the eyes, mouth, and nose

# WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I FIND A SUSPECTED ILLEGAL DRUG?

- Take immediate action to avoid exposure and isolate the substance
- Take measures to protect others
- Wear proper PPE when handling
- Don't touch your eyes, nose, or mouth, EVEN WHEN WEARING GLOVES
- Wash your hands with soap and water
- Don't use hand sanitizer, eat, drink, smoke, or use the bathroom



## WHAT PPE SHOULD I WEAR?

- Safety glasses or goggles
- Mask over mouth and nose
- Gloves - doubled is best in case they tear
- Sleeves down to protect your arms



# NEVER GO IT ALONE

- When you have to pick up drugs or clean out a locker, always have a partner.
- One person should gear up and handle the drugs; the other person should watch for signs of trouble.
- Watch for signs of exposure or overdose.
- Bag the drugs in a plastic bag or inside an unused glove, in order to prevent escape.



# WHAT ARE SIGNS OF EXPOSURE OR OVERDOSE?

- Confusion or Agitation
- Slow or Lethargic or Unresponsive
- Small or Pinpoint pupils
- Diminished, weak, or NO breathing
- Falling asleep or losing consciousness
- Gray, blue, ashen, or pale skin
- Choking or gurgling sounds
- Vomiting
- Passed out or Limp body
- Cold and/or clammy skin
- Blue or purple lips or nails





# FIRST RESPONDERS

- Call 9-1-1 Immediately
- Advise that Narcan may be needed
- Try to keep the person awake and breathing
- May have to perform CPR or use the AED
- If the person is choking or vomiting, turn them on their side to avoid aspiration.
- Stay with the person until help arrives





## SUMMARY

- Review the posters and info graphics in this training tab.
- Common sense and safety should guide your actions.