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ISLE of WIGHT



Portsmouth



DRUG ALERT Information for Professionals

Unexpected & dangerous side effects reported Blue pills – being sold as Oxycodone, that have "30" and/or "M" on them

There are reports from London and Wales of small round blue pills that have "30" or "M" on them, being sold as Oxycodone but in fact contain Etonitazene/ Metonitazene.

Etonitazene and Metonitazene (related) are synthetic opioids which are significantly stronger than Oxycodone.

These are no reports currently that these are in circulation across Southampton, Hampshire, the Isle of Wight, and Portsmouth

Consequences of taking this dangerous substance

Unexpected and dangerous side effects have been reported including overdose and suspected death.

Action to take

Circulate this information to relevant partners and stay vigilant

Report any further intelligence gathered to drugalerts@hants.gov.uk

Community substance use disorder services continue to offer support for those seeking help with alcohol or drug misuse problems. To find out more or make a referral please contact:

Hampshire	Under 25's https://www.catch-22.org.uk/services/hampshire-247-substance-misuse-support/ or phone 0845 459405
	Over 25's: www.inclusionhants.org/ or phone 0300 124 0103
Isle of Wight	Under 25's & over 25's: www.inclusioniow.org/ or phone 01983 526654
Portsmouth	Under 19's: https://www.portsmouth.gov.uk/ext/health-and-care/health/dass-drug-and-
Fonsmouth	
	alcohol-support-service-for-young-people or phone 07951 497898 or 07557 753131
	Over 19's: https://ssj.org.uk/sub-service/recovery-hub/ or phone 023 9229 4573
Southampton	Under 25's: <u>https://nolimitshelp.org.uk/get-help/health-wellbeing/drugs-and-alcohol/</u> or
	phone 023 8022 4224
	Over 25's: www.changegrowlive.org/drug-alcohol-service-southampton/info or phone
	02380 717171

This alert can be displayed on staff notice boards and circulated via appropriate communication channels. The notice should be **removed** from display by no later than the **17 June 2022.**