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OPIOID OVERDOSE ALERT

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Waltham's Public Safety agencies have seen a surge in opioid overdoses in Waltham over the past week. There were 8 overdoses in a 3 day period. Many of these required multiple doses of Narcan for overdose reversal.

If you or a loved one is suffering from a substance use disorder please be extra vigilant in the coming days. Do not use alone, check on loved ones frequently and if you suspect someone is having an overdose call 911 immediately.