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Sent: Wednesday, November 20, 2024 12:50 PM
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Subject: RE: [CCHA Listserv] Suboxone
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MA is similar to Kentucky.

From: Deborah Crook via CCHA Listserv <ccha_list@gaggle.email>
Sent: Friday, November 8, 2024 9:45 AM
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Subject: RE: [CCHA Listserv] Suboxone

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We use the same process as Kentucky in Alabama.



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Subject: RE: [CCHA Listserv] Suboxone

Suboxone is given in a dedicated pill call in a separate area
It is crushed and placed under the tongue.

Patient must sit with hand on their lap, no talking. They are watched by 2 COs. Afterwards, they are made to drink a small cup of water and show their mouth – they are also patted down before and after. They are not allowed to BRING

anything to pill call (books, tablets, hats, coats, jackets, sweatshirts, watches, all are to be removed. Pockets are to be emptied). Pt must remain in the pill call area for a minimum of 20 minutes.

Denise A. Burkett, APRN

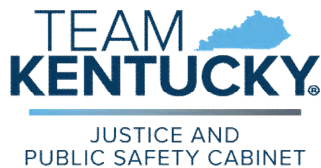
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Sent: Thursday, November 7, 2024 9:12 AM

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Subject: RE: [CCHA Listserv] Suboxone

In SD we have a separate med pass just for MAT and we crush the pill

From: Jolen Rebertus via CCHA Listserv <ccha_list@gaggle.email>

Sent: Thursday, November 7, 2024 7:27 AM

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Subject: Re: [EXT] [CCHA Listserv] Suboxone

Same in MN, we crush the pill form and separate med pass. We are considering a pilot site to administer through normal pill line.

From: Deborah Crook via CCHA Listserv <ccha_list@gaggle.email>

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We are using the pill form of Suboxone. WE have not yet normalized the administration through the med line. Our administration process still requires the medication to be individualized in a separate room We have been crushing the pill – since October '23.



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From: Aviva Tevah via CCHA Listserv <ccha_list@gaggle.email>

Sent: Tuesday, October 29, 2024 1:59 PM

To: CCHA Listserv <ccha_list@gaggle.email>

Subject: [CCHA Listserv] Suboxone

Good afternoon,

Vermont is preparing to change how we administer (non-methadone) MAT, namely normalizing the med line, limiting disciplinary response to diversion, and switching from the monoproduct to the dual product in tablet form.

Which of your systems prescribe Suboxone as a pill, and if so is it administered crushed? How long has that practice been in place?

Thank you,
Aviva

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