

Has your student ever had an athletic injury?

Were they prescribed one of these to help with the pain?

FENTANYL

VICODIN

CODEINE

OXYCONTIN

OXYCODONE

PERCO CET

HYDROCODONE

MORPHINE

Did You Know...

All of these substances are

- ♦ narcotics
- ♦ highly addictive
- ♦ made from morphine, which comes from the *poppy plant*.

Heroin

comes from the same source.



Studies show 14 - 15 year olds are **2 to 3 times more likely** than 20 -21 year olds to become **dependent** on prescription painkillers.

Steps to Reduce Abuse

When prescribed a medication, talk to your doctor about a reduced supply
(15 day vs. 30 day)

Keep your RX medications locked

Talk to your student about the dangers of RX drug abuse and misuse

Dispose of any unused medications
at local drop box locations