

FENTANYL

PREVENTION AND AWARENESS

Fentanyl is a synthetic and **highly potent opioid** that is prescribed by a medical provider to treat severe pain from surgery or advanced-stage cancer.

It is important for our Navy Culture to commit to safety and Sailor readiness by staying in the know about fentanyl and emerging fentanyl trends (such as the rainbow-colored fentanyl), and build toughness with understanding through prevention efforts and awareness.

DID YOU KNOW?

UNDETECTABLE

Unseen - Odorless - Tasteless

DISTRIBUTION

Usually seen as powder or in pill form and is **made to look like legitimate medication**

HEALTH EFFECTS:

- Nausea
- Disorientation
- Sedation
- Difficulty Breathing
- Constipation
- Euphoria

DANGERS INCLUDE:

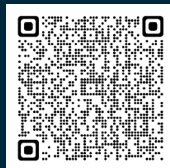
- Addictive
- Hypoxia
- Trace amounts can result in overdose

For more prevention-based resources, please visit the **Prevention Toolkit (PTK)** on MyNavyHR or **contact the Prevention Force** (N17_primaryprev.fct@us.navy.mil).

50x & 100x
stronger than heroin stronger than morphine



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PREVENTION
TOOLKIT**



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