

Opiate Use Update

On March 14, 2016, Governor Charlie Baker signed landmark legislation into law to address the deadly opioid epidemic plaguing the Commonwealth. The bill is titled "An Act Relative to Substance Use, Treatment, Education and Prevention" (STEP Act).

The law requires that information on opiate use and misuse be disseminated to all students participating in an extracurricular athletic activity prior to their athletic season. Please visit the link provided entitled, "*Informational Flyer, Massachusetts Department of Public Health*", for important information from the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. This information should be read by ALL parents and athletes.

Once you have read this information please sign and return the form below to his/her coach, or to Athletic Director Dave Reid.

We appreciate the cooperation and understanding of each athlete and their parent/guardian as the school works to implement this regulation.

Parent/Athlete Opioid Use/Misuse Information Sign-Off

Athlete name (printed)	YOG	Sport
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*I attest that I have received, reviewed, and read the required flyer (link provided online) titled STOP Addiction IN ITS TRACKS.

Athlete Signature	Date
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Parent/Guardian Name (Printed)

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Parent/Guardian Signature	Date
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