

DRUG OVERDOSE

# MEDICAL AMNESTY

## Aka 'Good Samaritan Drug Overdose Act'

A medical amnesty would provide legal protection to any individual who seeks emergency help in the event of an overdose.

This legal act would aim to reduce the fear of police attending an overdose as it would protect anyone at the scene, from charges for possession of illegal drugs and encourage people to call for emergency medical help.

Such legislation is already in place throughout Canada and in multiple US states.



In the event of an overdose, call  
999 immediately

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