

## Buprenorphine/Naloxone Properties

- Sublingual 2 mg or 8 mg – tabs or most used, film strips
- Combined with naloxone to decrease diversion
- Naloxone has minimal bio-availability when take sublingually. When altered to inject or insulate brings on severe, intense withdrawal.
- Manages Cravings
- Manages withdrawal effectively and rapidly.
- Minimal and transient euphoria
- Long – term use: Less is More