

# SUBSTANCE USE WARMLINE

**Free, Confidential** Clinician-to-Clinician Consultation on  
Substance Use Evaluation and Management

**9 am – 8 pm ET (Mon – Fri)**

**855-300-3595**

OR

**Submit cases online at:**

<http://nccc.ucsf.edu/clinician-consultation/substance-use-management>

Our consultants provide clinicians with evidence-based guidance on a range of topics, including:

- Assessing and treating opioid, alcohol, and other substance use disorders
- When and how to initiate medications for opioid use disorder
- Toxicology testing: when to use it and what it means
- Identifying and managing withdrawal
- Approaches to adjust opioid-based pain regimens to reduce risk of misuse and harm
- Harm reduction and overdose prevention strategies
- Discuss useful communication and care strategies to support patients living with, or at risk for, substance use disorders
- Substance use in special populations (pregnancy, kidney/liver disease, HIV and viral hepatitis, co-morbid opioid use disorder and pain)

Our team includes expert physicians, pharmacists, and advanced practice nurses with considerable experience managing substance use disorder. *No protected health information is collected during our consultations.*

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