

# EFFECTIVE TREATMENTS FOR OPIOID USE DISORDER

## OPIOID USE DISORDER AFFECTS MILLIONS

More than **2.5 million** Americans suffer from opioid use disorder.

Philadelphia had **1,217 overdose deaths in 2017, 1,074 with opioids detected.**

Use of opioids, including heroin and prescription pain relievers, can; **1)** lead to babies being born dependent, as well as **2)** spread of infectious diseases like HIV and hepatitis.

## EFFECTIVE MEDICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE

- Medications can help treat opioid use disorder
- Research supports the effectiveness of medication as part of a comprehensive treatment plan for people with opioid use disorder



### Buprenorphine

- Suboxone
- Subutex

### Naltrexone

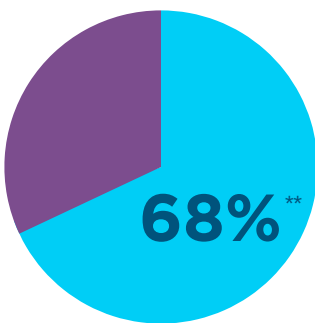
- Vivtrol

### Methadone

## MEDICATION-ASSISTED TREATMENT (MAT) IS THE GOLD STANDARD OF CARE

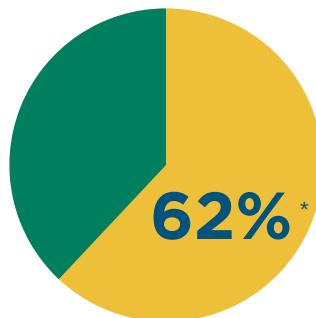
Including a medication as part of treatment decreases opioid-overdose deaths, opioid use, and infectious disease transmission.

## PHILADELPHIA IS A NATIONAL LEADER IN DELIVERING EVIDENCE-BASED CARE FOR OPIOID USE DISORDER



Community Behavioral Health (CBH) in-network programs offer MAT

\*\*Nationally, only 23% of publicly-funded facilities offer MAT.



CBH members **diagnosed** with opioid use disorder participate in MAT

\*Nationally, only 40% of opioid-dependent individuals receive MAT.

Medications can save people. Call 1-888-545-2600 to speak to a service representative and access treatment.

Learn more about medication-assisted treatment, the evidence-based treatment for opioid use disorder online, at [DBHIDS.org/MAT](https://DBHIDS.org/MAT)