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Parent / Teacher Alert

“Pink” or “Pinky”

What is U-47700 also known as “Pink” or “Pinky”

- Pink is nearly 8 times more potent than morphine.
- It can be injected, snorted, or taken orally.
- It was created by Upjohn Pharmacies as a painkiller.
- Two 13-year old Park City boys died, within 48 hours of each other.
- Contributed to over 50 deaths and counting nation-wide.

What should I look for?

- Pink is a white powdery substance similar to crushed tylenol.



What are the signs and symptoms?

U-47700 has never been studied on humans, but would be expected to produce effects similar to those of other potent opioid agonists, including

- Strong analgesia
- Sedation
- Euphoria
- Constipation
- Itching
- Respiratory depression which can be fatal

If you have any questions or concerns please call 307-783-1000 or contact Susan Bridge at EHS.

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