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"My doctor recommended a prescription drug for my back pain. I was only supposed to use it for a few months. Now, I'm addicted and need to find a way to **stop** using the medication."

"These are the only pills that made me feel good. I feel normal on them but terrible when I stop, I can't **get off** of them."

"I'm a professional. I can't take narcotics for the rest of my life. My family is depending on me to **change**."



### **What is the Medical Detox Center?**

This program is a medically supervised treatment for safe detoxification from an opiate medication. Our goal is to gradually and safely withdraw you from your opiate medication and to provide strategies for remaining off narcotics.

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## **What are the treatments the program uses?**

The program includes a combination of medical and cognitive-behavioral therapies. This is not a 12-step model program but one which is individually tailored to your needs and lifestyle.

### **MEDICAL TREATMENT**

The medical therapy uses a prescription drug, Suboxone, an oral medication that the FDA approved in 2002 for detoxification treatment. Suboxone itself contains a narcotic; however, the effects of appropriate doses of Suboxone reverse your desire for narcotics, and in turn, enable you to stop your addiction to narcotic drugs. Other non-addictive medications may also be used to help with the withdrawal symptoms based on your symptoms.

### **THERAPY TREATMENT**

We offer an aggressive support system including individual counseling sessions and group therapy to help with emotional support, coping skills, and lifestyle changes. We can tailor a program for your individual needs including privacy issues, work and travel schedule, or other issues that may affect your recovery.

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### **Why is this program unique?**

A board-certified psychiatrist with a specialty in addiction medicine directs the program. Only a medical professional trained in the use of this medication can administer Suboxone. The use of Suboxone must also be monitored by a specialist in the area of addiction. Our commitment is to your individual needs, privacy, and the highest quality of treatment available.

### **What are the qualifications to apply for the program?**

The only qualification to apply for the program is your serious commitment to stop your opiate dependency. Pre-screening is necessary to verify your medical eligibility.

### **What ages are eligible?**

Ages sixteen and older are eligible to participate in the program.

### **What is the length of treatment?**

This is an eight-week detox program. We do offer additional counseling beyond that on an individual basis.

### **What will it cost?**

Due to the specialized nature of this program, insurance is not accepted. This insures a high quality, individualized treatment as well as confidentiality. Payment for the eight-week program is expected prior to the initial visit.

### **What does Medical Detox Center *not* do?**

We are not an opiate maintenance program. We do not offer narcotic medication after the eight-week program. We are not a chronic pain management center but will work with your pain specialist to insure your comfort.

**If you think our program could be helpful to you,  
please contact us for more information.**

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