



DRUG ALERT



Date Issued: September 17, 2020

Community/Region: KAMLOOPS

Description of drug: Light brown/beige color. Causing memory problems, difficulty thinking, excessive sweating, and mild visual and auditory hallucinations (hearing and seeing things that are not there)

Sold as: DOWN

Tested at: ASK Wellness

Result: CONTAINS AMB-FUB (synthetic cannabinoid) FENTANYL, CAFFEINE

Risk: AMB-FUB can cause serious symptoms such as seizures, agitation, confusion, respiratory failure (stopping breathing), anxiety, hallucinations and death.

In effect until: September 24, 2020

Reduce the risk

- **Get your drugs checked** – see service information below.
- Avoid using different drugs at the same time or using drugs and alcohol together.
- Don't use alone or ask someone to check on you.
- If you must use while alone, consider using the [Lifeguard app](#) which can connect you with 911 emergency responders if you overdose. Download at the [App Store](#) or [Google Play](#).
- When using your substance start with a small amount, and then go slow.
- Use at an Overdose Prevention or Supervised Consumption Site, if one is near you.
- Know how to respond to an overdose - call 911, give rescue breaths and naloxone.

Naloxone Kits and Training available at:

ASK Wellness
IH MHSU and Public Health
IH Primary Care Centre (Lansdowne)
King Street
Various pharmacies

<https://towardtheheart.com/site-finder>

Supervised Consumption Sites:

ASK Wellness OPS, 433 Tranquille Rd
- Mon – Fri 8:30 to 4pm (closed 12-1pm)
Interior Health SCS
- 569 Seymour St (Crossroads Parking lot)
Mon – Fri 10am -6pm

Drug Checking Services:

ASK Wellness FTIR Drug Checking & Take Home Fentanyl Test Strips @ 433 Tranquille Rd (ASK Wellness)
- In person: 2-6pm Wednesday's
- Drop in: text 250-299-7219 1-4pm Mon/Thurs
- Drop off Mon-Fri 8:30-4:30 and receive results same day. Instructions for sample drop off provided on site