

"6.3 million people currently use prescription medications non-medically."

- 2003 National Survey on Drug Use and Health

(toll-free)

1-877-RxAbuse  
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".. Many adolescents do not consider pharmaceutical drug abuse risky. Unless attitudes change, more teens may be willing to experiment with these types of drugs in the future."

- Partnership for a Drug-Free America's Attitude Tracking Survey



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U.S. Department of Justice  
Drug Enforcement Administration



## Pharmaceutical Drug Abuse Hotline



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Do you have information regarding illegal prescription drug sales or rogue pharmacies operating on the Internet?

You can make an anonymous, confidential report to the appropriate authorities by contacting the Pharmaceutical Drug Abuse Hotline (toll-free) at:

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One out of every ten high school seniors now reports abusing powerful pain killers."

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"Abuse of certain prescription drugs – controlled substances such as pain killers and performance enhancing steroids – has become an increasingly widespread problem in the United States, leading to dangerous abuse, addiction and sometimes fatalities."

- Karen P. Tandy, Administrator, DEA

Since 1995, the number of drug abuse-related emergency room visits involving pain relievers such as Vicodin®, Percocet®, OxyContin®, and Darvon® increased 153 percent from 42,857 to 108,320."

- Drug Abuse Warning Network (DAWN)

On-line reports can be made by clicking on [www.dea.gov](http://www.dea.gov) or [www.DEAdiversion.usdoj.gov](http://www.DEAdiversion.usdoj.gov) and following the instructions provided.

