Injury Prevention for Children and Teens
Module 6: Adolescent Substance Use and Injury

Learning Objectives

Continuing Medical Education (CME)
At the end of this activity, participants will be able to:

- Recognize the rationale for early interventions for adolescent substance use and consider this in providing care
- Relate rates of substance use among youth to association with injury
- Describe alcohol and cannabis-related consequences including injury
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- Express rationale for early interventions
- Explain acute care prescribing of opioids
- Summarize the rates of new chronic opioid use after surgery
- Discuss the estimated number of unused pills from surgery, list ways to reduce diversion to the community and better methods of safe disposal
- Identify interventions used to reduce opioid prescribing after surgery