END THE STIGMA OF

OPIOID USE DISORDER

OPIOID USE DISORDER AFFECTS EVERY ETHNIC, RACIAL, ECONOMIC, RELIGIOUS, AND AGE GROUP.

IT AFFECTS ALL OF US



About one in four people with opioid use disorder received specialty treatment for illicit drug use in the U.S.*



28.6% with an opioid use disorder aged 12 and older received treatment for illicit drug use at a specialty treatment facility.*



Opioid use disorder is treatable, recovery is possible. But many do not seek help because of the stigma.

HERE IS HOW YOU CAN HELP END THE STIGMA



Share your personal story about opioid use disorder.



Educate yourself on the devastating effects of stigma.



Share messages of wellness, hope, and recovery.



Stop using hurtful language to describe those struggling with opioid use disorder.



Ending the stigma of opioid use disorder saves and improves lives.

*The Surgeon General's Spotlight on Opioids