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THEY ARE HERE TODAY FOR HELP • TREAT THIS PERSON WITH RESPECT AND DIGNITY

Delaying this person's essential medication (Opioid Substitution Therapy)

- Will make them unwell
- Increase the risk that they will leave against your advice
- Worsen their condition
- Increase their risk of harm or death.

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IF A PATIENT IS PRESCRIBED OPIOID SUBSTITUTION TREATMENT AND NEEDS TO GO TO HOSPITAL



Delaying access to this essential medication will make them unwell;
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