

Medication for Addiction Treatment (MAT)



METHADONE [meth-uh-dohn]

Full agonist: Fully activates the opioid receptor to reduce cravings and treat withdrawal

- ✓ Available in tablet, liquid, and wafer forms
- ✓ Typically requires medical supervision
- ✓ Doses taken daily



BUPRENORPHINE [byoo-pruh-nawr-feen]

Partial agonist: Partially activates the opioid receptor to reduce cravings and treat withdrawal

- ✓ Available in tablet, film, and other oral forms
- ✓ Implant (under the skin) administered monthly
- ✓ Oral doses taken daily



NALTREXONE [nal-trek-sohn]

Full antagonist: Binds to the receptor and blocks the effects of opioids to reduce cravings

- ✓ Available in tablet and injectable forms
- ✓ Injection administered monthly
- ✓ Oral doses taken daily

Contact the MATTERS team to get linked to outpatient MAT