

Fentanyl Addiction Treatment in Arizona

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We Can Help You with Fentanyl Abuse and Addiction Treatment in Arizona

Are you or your loved one looking for the best Fentanyl addiction treatment center? We, at [Renaissance Recovery Center](#) offer outpatient rehab for Fentanyl addiction in Arizona. We have different treatment options for Fentanyl addiction to **help you or your loved one get through the addiction with ease**. Our compassionate staff will guide you through the process while answering any questions you have.

If you or a loved one are suffering from Fentanyl abuse and addiction and is considering treatment in Arizona, please contact Renaissance Recovery at (480) 525-7738 for a free consultation.



What is Fentanyl?

Fentanyl is an Opioid pain reliever, OPR, intended for severe cases of pain. The drug is **up to 100 times more powerful than Morphine**. The drug works by blocking pain receptors in the brain and enhancing the production of dopamine, the happiness-inducing hormone. **Fentanyl is highly addictive** just like other synthetic opioids.

Taking Fentanyl without a doctor's prescription **can lead to overdosing**. In the streets, Fentanyl goes by many different names including China Girl, Apache, Goodfella, Friend, Jackpot, Tango & Cash TNT or Murder 8.

Fentanyl Addiction: Is Fentanyl Addictive?

Fentanyl is **highly potent**; whether you use it with a prescription or not, you are bound to get addicted. Being the strongest opioid, **Fentanyl has similar effects to Heroin, and this makes it as a common filler for dealers who are looking to retain their customers.** By so doing, dealers expose users to effects of Fentanyl without the users' knowledge. This presents a problem to the addicted and also to clinics since they will be treating something whose existence they do not know.

Addiction develops over a period; the user abuses the drug and develops the tolerance which means they will need a Fentanyl overdose to get the same high. As a user aims to get the initial feeling of using Fentanyl, they use a higher dose every time, and this makes the addiction even worse and can quickly lead to a fatal overdose.

Fentanyl Abuse and Effects

If you are wondering what fentanyl is used for, it is used to bind parts of the brain that control pain and pleasure. **Patients dealing with extreme pain such as those undergoing cancer treatments have been prescribed these drugs.** Fentanyl side effects, like those of other opioids, include:

- Nausea
- Vomiting
- Allergic reactions
- Diarrhea
- Anxiety
- Fever
- Fast heartbeat
- Muscle spasms and twitching
- Sweating
- Hallucinations
- Blue skin on lips and other parts of the skin

Fentanyl abuse and overdosing are straightforward, seeing that **only 3 milligrams of Fentanyl are enough for an overdose, this is only 1/10 of a lethal heroin dose.**

Symptoms of Fentanyl Abuse and Addiction

Besides the Fentanyl effects above, **users will experience Fentanyl withdrawal symptoms when they stop taking the drug.** These symptoms are an indication that a user is now addicted to the drug. They include:

- Headaches
- Slowed breathing

- Dizziness
- Blurred vision
- Seizures
- Constipation
- Itching on the skin
- Dilated pupils
- Insomnia
- Agitation and irritability

If you start experiencing these Fentanyl withdrawal symptoms, please contact Renaissance Recovery Center and get the help you deserve.

Fentanyl Withdrawal and Detox

The first step in treating Fentanyl addiction is to detox. However, ***detox results in severe withdrawal symptoms*** as outlined above. If the correct procedure for detox is not followed, patients can fail; and relapse to addiction. Addiction can occur even for patients with a prescription thanks to the high potency of the drug.

Co-occurring Disorders

What makes Fentanyl so deadly? Besides the drug being highly potent, it can lead to other co-occurring disorders. When Fentanyl addiction treatment is not done on time, ***the addiction can lead to other substance use disorders and even mental illnesses***. The occurring disorders have matching risk factors with Fentanyl use, and this is why they occur at the same time.

However, it may also be that those with mental illnesses turn to Fentanyl abuse in a bid to self-medicate. ***By abusing Fentanyl, symptoms of latent medical illnesses might become worse***.

Besides worsening mental illnesses, there are other complications associated with Fentanyl abuse including physical illnesses, psychological problems, and physiological conditions. These complications include ***hepatitis*** which comes through sharing needles, ***job loss, social isolation, withdrawal from family, legal issues and homelessness***.

Importance of Fentanyl Addiction Treatment

Fentanyl users become addicted to it after a short period of use thanks to its potency. Addiction treatment uses a variety of strategies including physiological (detox), physical (exercise and keeping the addict engaged at all times), emotional and spiritual (group and individual therapies). ***Appropriate support and structure are crucial as the patient applies the coping skills and tools necessary for their recovery.***

Irrespective of the underlying causes of addiction, treatment will need medical assistance. ***At Renaissance Recovery Center, we involve family, friends, and community to reach out to the cognitive, emotional and social aspects of the patient to ensure a successful recovery.*** Give us

a call at 480-418-0716 for [Fentanyl addiction treatment in Arizona](#).

Although rarely life-threatening, cutting out fentanyl “cold turkey” can be a miserable process. Those shouldering a fentanyl addiction have likely developed physical dependence on the substance, with ensuing withdrawals taking a painful toll. [Renaissance Recovery Center is a specialized Fentanyl treatment center in Arizona](#) that offers [outpatient resources](#) to help those addicted quit fentanyl.

Fentanyl detox can treat withdrawal and therapy programs can help in long-term recovery.

Fentanyl treatment lasting for a year or longer could help people to build resistance to the urge to abuse this powerful drug.

Treatment for opioid addiction takes time and is done in a series of steps as shown below.

Evaluation: During this stage, the doctor will assess the level of addiction and evaluate whether there are underlying medical problems. After the evaluation process, the doctor will know the best treatment option.

Detox: Fentanyl [detox](#) involves gradually stopping the use of Fentanyl. Because the process results in severe symptoms, medical specialists will help patients get through these symptoms.

Therapy: Depending on the level of addiction, medical specialists will recommend either outpatient or inpatient therapy. During this session, the specialists will include individual, family, group, medication and behavioral therapy. The specialist will also counsel the patient to counter depression, anxiety, and mental challenges.

Rehab aftercare: We carry out an aftercare plan to ensure that patients do not relapse and start using Fentanyl. The patient and the medical specialist will sit and come up with a plan that is convenient for all.

Renaissance Recovery Center Outpatient Fentanyl Treatment Programs in Arizona

We, at [Renaissance Recovery Center](#), offer a holistic program from evaluation to aftercare to ensure that our patients recover fully. ***Our intensive outpatient Fentanyl abuse treatment programs in Gilbert, AZ allow the patient to continue their work, home, and school schedules.*** We offer the following programs when treating Fentanyl addiction:

- **Primary Program** –60 days, Group therapy Monday to Thursday 6:00 – 9:00 PM
- **Aftercare Program** – 90 days, One-night session per week 6:00 – 9:00 PM

Get Your Life Back with Outpatient Fentanyl Treatment and Rehab in Arizona

Fentanyl addiction is life-threatening; you or your loved one may lose their jobs, become isolated and even risk being mentally unstable. ***It's important that you tackle the problem as soon as you realize you have an opioid addiction.***

Renaissance Recovery Center is a Fentanyl abuse and addiction treatment center in Gilbert, AZ. We have customized treatment programs that will help you with addiction recovery. We are a certified and licensed addiction recovery center. Call us today on (480) 525-7738 for a ***free consultation.***