

EMERGENCY ALERT

District agencies are alerting residents to a **potentially fatal batch of K2**.
Smoking or ingesting K2 or Spice may lead to overdose or death.

WHAT IS K2?

K2, also known as “Spice”, is a dangerous synthetic drug that is often packaged as potpourri or incense.

STAY HYDRATED

Not drinking enough water in warm weather can make an overdose from K2 more likely. If you do not have access to water, you can request water delivery by calling the DHS Shelter Hotline at **202-399-7093**.

FIND RESOURCES

Seek substance use disorder treatment:
Call the Assessment and Referral Center
(The ARC) at **202-727-8473**

Get connected to behavioral health services:
Call the 24/7 Access HelpLine at **1-888-793-4357**

Contact an outreach worker:
202-442-4634 (DHS) or **202-673-9124** (DBH)

SEE SOMETHING? SAY SOMETHING!

If you see signs of an overdose, **call 911**.
Overdose signs include collapse, unconsciousness,
vomiting, and physical aggression.

