

# Negative Societal Impact Due To Opioid Addiction-21Nov2017 Rev

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### Flawed study published on pain management



Dr's Portenoy/Foley study initially states chronic use of opioid painkillers is safe and effective

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Opioid producers reinforce 1986 study

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### Pain management becomes higher priority



Health care facilities pushed to track pain levels as a vital sign like blood pressure, heart rate and temperature

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VA literature states pain to become 5th vital sign

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Dr's start ramping up opioid prescriptions

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JCAHO recommends treating pain more aggressively with opioids

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Opioid OD's start ramping up (~1/2 of all drug related OD deaths)

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JCAHO makes pain management a higher priority

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### ACA reduces Medicare payments to hospitals with low outpatient scores



Pain management continues to be scored on outpatient surveys

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JCAHO changes position on Opioids and pain management

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Opioid OD's account for ~58% of drug related deaths

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### Opioid OD's account for nearly 2/3 of drug related deaths

<https://www.drugabuse.gov/related-topics/trends-statistics/>

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President Trump declares Opioid addiction a national emergency

