

## Rx Awareness Radio Transcript

**Candidate: Mike**

**Length: 30 seconds**

*Narrator:* Prescription opioids can be addictive and dangerous.

*Mike:* I was given a prescription opioid pain medication, and within only a few months, I was completely addicted. I lost everything. I had to leave school, and stop playing sports in college. And I started to watch my life slip away. I want people to know that these drugs are addictive. One prescription can be all it takes to lose everything.

*Narrator:* Prescription opioids: It only takes a little to lose a lot. Visit [CDC.gov/RxAwareness](https://www.cdc.gov/RxAwareness).