

# PRESCRIPTION OPIOID FACTS

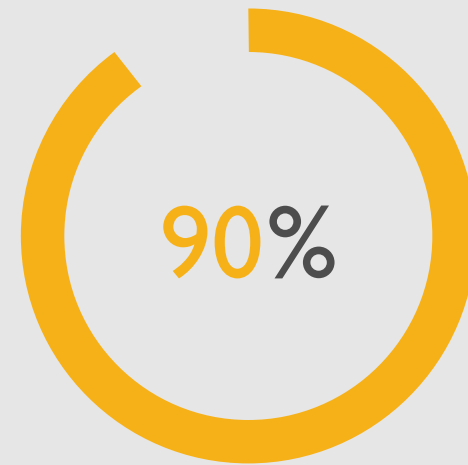
## NUMBER OF USERS



**97.5 million**

people aged 12 or older are users of prescription pain relievers, nearly **one-third of population.**

## UNUSED OPIOIDS



of general surgery patients are given **more opioids than they need.**

## STORAGE SAFETY



**75%**

patients reported that their prescription opioids were **not stored in locked containers.**