## NDQuits reduces the harms of nicotine dependence by helping North Dakotans quit



NDQuits is North Dakota's tobacco and nicotine treatment quitline. Anyone in North Dakota can call NDQuits (1-800-QUIT-NOW) or sign up online for free treatment services, including phone counseling, NRT (nicotine patches, gum, or lozenges), and other resources. The U.S. Surgeon General reported, "Since the 1990s, a large body of clinical literature had consistently demonstrated the effectiveness of tobacco quitlines." \*

- Participating in multiple sessions of phone counseling makes you 1.4 times more likely to guit
- Combining counseling with NRT (as you can in NDQuits) is the "gold standard" in treating tobacco and nicotine dependence.

\*Office of the Surgeon General: https://www.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/2020-cessation-sgr-full-report.pdf

	Phone	Web
Enrollment	<ul> <li>Enroll by calling 1-800-QUIT-NOW or text start to 300500</li> <li>Eligible to re-enroll every 60 days after last contact</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Enroll at <a href="https://hhs.nd.gov/ndquits">hhs.nd.gov/ndquits</a></li> <li>Lifetime enrollment</li> </ul>
Counseling calls	5+ calls with North Dakota quit coaches	Can be accessed by adding the phone program
Web portal	Can be accessed by adding the phone program	Online access to quit resources
NRT benefits	If you do not have insurance or you	r insurance does not cover NRT:
(Nicotine replacement therapy)*  *Individuals insured by Medicaid may be eligible for additional NRT	For NDPERS members, up to 16 weeks of patches, gum, or lozenges, or combination NRT (patches and gum or lozenges)	For NDPERS members, up to 16 weeks of patches, gum, or lozenges
Available add-ons	<ul><li>Printed quit guide</li><li>Emails</li><li>Texts</li></ul>	<ul><li>Online quit guide</li><li>Emails</li></ul>



The American Indian Commercial Tobacco Program and the Pregnancy/Postpartum Protocol each offer additional counseling calls than the general NDQuits program. Both programs have specially trained coaches and a tailored treatment and recovery guide.

Note for these programs, quit coaches may not be located in ND.

NDQuits also offers My Life, My Quit, a program specially tailored for youth under age 18 who want to quit.

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