

# ADDRESSING AMERICA'S

**PAIN**

**&**

**OPIOID  
ADDICTION**

## PROBLEMS



**REQUIRES A BALANCED APPROACH**



Access to medications that resist misuse



Policies that address both pain treatment and substance abuse or addiction



Health plans that cover multimodal and integrated pain treatments



Treatments to help patients recover from addiction



Keeping practitioners and patients in charge of treatment decisions



Safe use and disposal practices for medications

