

Pain

**Drugs like oxycodone, hydrocodone,
they treat all kinds of pain.**

**The pain of being a single mom looking
after a kid. The pain of that person who
who doesn't have a job. The pain of, I'm
20 years old, nobody cares. The pain of
being bullied. The pain of I'm gay.
It treats all of those pains. It's more
about this social angst of there are
no jobs. The economy's crushed.
This is a state that's been
marginalized in so many ways.
Drugs are a solution to that.**

**A Petersburg, West Virginia, doctor
jailed for illegally prescribing pain killers,
quoted in The Guardian, June 19, 2017**