Welcome to the Pharmaceutical Disposal Advisory Group Meeting, April 22nd, 2010

We will begin promptly at 9:00am.

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Today’s Agenda

- 9:00 – 9:15: Welcome and introductions
- 9:15 – 9:45: Summary & Clarification from Past Meetings
- 9:45 – 10:15: Pharmaceutical-Related Legislation Passed or Proposed in Other States (Charlotte Smith)
- 10:15 - 11:00: Alternative Methods of Disposal/Management of Unused Pharmaceuticals – Health-Care Industry (Charlotte Smith and Eric Beller)
- 11:00 – 11:15: Break
- 11:15 – 12:15: Alternative Methods of Disposal/Management of Unused Pharmaceuticals – Consumers (Jeff Gloyd and all stakeholders)
- 12:15 – 12:30: Open Discussion
Re-cap of SB1757 Objectives

(1) the methods currently used in Texas (by consumers, health care providers, and others);

(2) alternative methods used, including methods used in other states; and

(3) the effects on public health and the environment of the various methods used for that purpose.

(4) The report must also provide an analysis of the feasibility of implementing the recommended disposal methods on a statewide basis.
Items for Clarification

- Pharmacies can choose to take back prescription drugs from consumers for the purpose of disposal, but not controlled substances, and not for re-sale.

- DEA Policy clarifications (Controlled Substance Act)

- Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) clarifications
Next Meetings

- May 27\textsuperscript{th}: (corrected since April 22\textsuperscript{nd} meeting)
  - Feedback/summary from surveys
  - Discussion time

- June 24\textsuperscript{th}:
  - All discussion time
Closing

- Minutes on website by **May 13th**. (amended since April 22nd meeting)

- Questions/comments to Jessica
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