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Dear Registrant:

The Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) recognizes the growing problem of pharmaceutical controlled substance diversion throughout the United States. This diversion stems from various sources. In addition to pharmacy robberies and thefts, pharmaceutical controlled substances are often diverted by way of forged prescriptions, doctor shoppers, and illegitimate prescriptions from rogue practitioners.

The DEA cannot effectively combat this diversion alone. We rely on the diligence of DEA registrants in complying with the Controlled Substances Act and its implementing regulations, as well as their vigilance in identifying and preventing diversion. As dispensers of controlled substances, pharmacists and pharmacy employees are uniquely positioned to prevent diversion activity. In an effort to assist pharmacy personnel in identifying and preventing diversion, the DEA will be hosting a Pharmacy Diversion Awareness Conference which is designed for pharmacists, pharmacy technicians, and loss prevention personnel. Upon completion, pharmacists and pharmacy technicians will be eligible to earn continuing pharmacy education credits. Please visit our website at www.DEAdiversion.usdoj.gov for more information.

The one-day conference is scheduled for Saturday, August 27, 2016, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The conference will be located at the Radisson Hotel Harrisburg, 1150 Camp Hill Bypass, Camp Hill, Pennsylvania 72201. There will not be a registration fee for this conference; however, all attendees will be responsible for their own transportation, lodging, and meal expenses.

Conference registration must be completed through www.DEAdiversion.usdoj.gov. Click on "Meetings & Events" and then click on "Pharmacy Diversion Awareness Conferences." Look for the Pennsylvania conference under "Upcoming Conferences." You will need to have the DEA registration number of the pharmacy you are representing to complete the registration process. Should you have any questions regarding the conference, please e-mail ODLL@usdoj.gov, or you may contact the Liaison Unit at (202) 307-7297.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Louis J. Milione". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping "L" and "M".

Louis J. Milione
Deputy Assistant Administrator
Office of Diversion Control

PHARMACY DIVERSION AWARENESS CONFERENCE

hosted by the
Drug Enforcement Administration

Designed for Pharmacists, Pharmacy
Technicians, and Loss Prevention Personnel

Saturday, August 27, 2016

Location:

**Radisson Hotel Harrisburg
1150 Camp Hill Bypass
Camp Hill, Pennsylvania 17011**

Time:

**Check-in: 7:00am – 8:00am
Conference: 8:30am – 5:00pm**

Complete conference information and registration is
available at www.DEAdiversion.usdoj.gov



**Continuing Education Credits Available for
Pharmacists and Pharmacy Technicians**

Pharmacy Diversion Awareness Conference



AGENDA

Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

August 27, 2016



8:30 AM - 10:00 AM

Drug Trends/

Drugs, Drugs, and More Drugs

(0.325CEUs – 3.25 contact hours)

10:00 AM - 10:15 AM

BREAK

10:15 AM – 12:00 PM

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12:00 PM – 1:00 PM

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The Pharmaceutical Diversion Awareness Conference is solely sponsored and funded by the United States Drug Enforcement Administration. There is no financial interest or association with any other entity.



NABP and the NABP Foundation is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE) as a provider of continuing pharmacy education (CPE). ACPE Provider Number:

205. Participants may earn ACPE-accredited CPE credit by completing a Statement of Continuing Pharmacy Education Participation online and submitting it to NABP. Full attendance and completion of the program evaluation and learning assessment for each session are required to receive CPE credit and a Statement of Continuing Pharmacy Education Credit.



Pharmacy Diversion Awareness Conference

AGENDA

Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

August 27, 2016



1:00 PM – 1:45 PM

Pennsylvania Board of Pharmacy

(0.075 CEUs – 0.75 contact hours)

Pennsylvania Board of Pharmacy Member

1:45 PM – 2:30 PM

CMEA Requirements for Retail Distributors

(0.075 CEUs – 0.75 contact hours)

2:30 PM – 2:45 PM

BREAK

2:45 PM – 5:00 PM

Diversion Issues

(0.225 CEUs – 2.25 contact hours)

HHS Representative

Office of Inspector General

US Department of Health and Human Services

Drug Theft and Robbery

Pennsylvania Law Enforcement Representative

DEA Representative

DEA Office of Diversion Control