

WISCONSIN DRUG DONATION AND REPOSITORY PROGRAM

OVERVIEW

- ▶ What is the Wisconsin Drug Donation/Repository Program?
 - ► A program that allows individuals to donate used prescription medications to a pharmacy or medical facility. The donated medications will be used by people who need them but have no other means to obtain the medications.

QUALIFYING MEDICATIONS

- ► For medications to be donated to the program, the medication must:
 - ► Be accompanied by a completed drug repository donor form that is signed by the donor or that person's authorized representative.
 - Not be adulterated or misbranded.
 - ► Not expire until at least ninety days after the donation is made.
 - ▶ Be in its original, unopened tamper-evident packaging.



QUALIFYING MEDICATIONS

- Commonly-donated medications
 - Unit-dosed medications (e.g., blister-packaged or in manufacturer packaging, even if partially-used)
 - ► Inhalers, injectables (e.g., enoxaparin)
- ▶ What cannot be donated through the Drug Repository Program?
 - Controlled substances
 - Drugs that do not meet the previously mentioned criteria
 - Drugs that require FDA registration by the patient
 - Drugs repackaged by a pharmacy (e.g., in a typical amber vial)



QUALIFYING MEDICATIONS

- ► Supply items are also eligible for donation if:
 - ► They are not adulterated or misbranded.
 - ► They are in their original, unopened, sealed packaging.
 - ► They are accompanied by a completed drug repository donor form that is signed by the donor or that person's authorized representative.



PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

- Pharmacy Participation
 - Compliance with federal laws, state laws, and administrative rules
 - ► Notice of participation: Form F-62643 (located on DHS website)
 - Withdrawal from participation: Form F-62643 (located on DHS website)



PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

- Donor Participation
 - Individuals 18 years of age or older
 - ► A pharmacy, medical facility, manufacturer, or distributor, if the donated drugs have not been previously dispensed or administered
 - ▶ In-state or out-of-state donations may be accepted
 - ► Use of Donation Record F-62645B (located on DHS website)



PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

- ▶ Patient/Recipient Participation
 - Any Wisconsin resident
 - Order of priority:
 - Uninsured individuals
 - 2. Individuals who currently receive or are eligible to receive Medicaid, Medicare, or other government-based healthcare
 - 3. All other individuals



DISPENSING REQUIREMENTS

- Dispensed by licensed pharmacist
- ► Inspected for adulteration, misbranding, and date of expiration prior to dispensing
- Recipient Form 62645 (located on <u>DHS website</u>)
- Oral notification that drug or supply may have been previously dispensed



DISPENSING REQUIREMENTS

- Handling fees
 - Repository may charge recipient no more than 300% of Medicaid dispensing fee for each drug (currently \$15 per drug)
 - Participating pharmacy may choose not to charge recipient for dispensing drug



RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS

- Donor and recipient forms
 - Donation Record Form F-62645B
 - ► Recipient Record Form F-62645
- Destruction of donated drugs or supplies
 - Destruction Record Form F-62645C
- ► Transfer of drugs or supplies
 - Transfer Record Form F-62645A
- Dispensing repository maintains forms for at least 5 years
- Required forms are located <u>here</u>



FREQUENTLY-ASKED QUESTIONS

- ► Is there a centralized inventory for drugs and supplies used within the Wisconsin Drug Repository Program?
 - No, currently there is not a centralized inventory system. Patients will need to contact <u>participating pharmacies and facilities</u> individually to determine which medications are available.
- Why would a pharmacy withdrawal from the Wisconsin Drug Repository Program?
 - ► The most common reasons for pharmacies to withdraw include: 1) The pharmacy had a change in ownership, and the new owner no longer wishes to participate; and 2) the pharmacy is unable to dispense enough of the most-commonly donated medications.



FREQUENTLY-ASKED QUESTIONS

- What pharmacies are currently participating in the Wisconsin Drug Repository Program?
 - ► Please find a list of currently-participating pharmacies here.
- ► What should I do if a drug is donated that is subject to an FDA-mandated restricted distribution program?
 - ▶ Pharmacies participating in the Drug Repository Program may not redistribute these types of drugs. If you run into this situation, please contact the drug manufacturer directly, as often the manufacturer has return policies in place for any unused medications.



FREQUENTLY-ASKED QUESTIONS

- Can I accept drug or supply donations from a non-Wisconsin resident?
 - ► Yes, out-of-state donations can be accepted by participating pharmacies and medical facilities.
- Can I dispense donated drugs or supply items to a non-Wisconsin resident?
 - No, recipients of donated medications and supply items as part of this program must be residents of the state of Wisconsin.



HELPFUL LINKS

- Required forms are located <u>here</u>
- Additional frequently-asked questions are located <u>here</u>
- ► A list of participating pharmacies is located here





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Please contact Danielle Womack (dwomack@pswi.org)
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Repository Program.

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