

Location: _____ Date: _____

MEDICATION MISUSE SIDEWALK SURVEY FOR ADULTS

Time 1 **Time 2**

Misuse – Using a prescription or over-the-counter medication for a purpose other than the reason it was prescribed/instructed, or taking a medication not specifically prescribed/intended for that person.

Please circle your answer for each question:

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| 1) | Do you think that medication misuse is a problem in your community? | Yes | No |
| 2) | Are you aware of any permanent safe medication disposal sites for prescription or over-the-counter drugs in your community? | Yes
(if yes, go to 2 a & 2.b) | No
(if no, go to question 3) |
| 2a) | Have you used the medication disposal site? | Yes | No |
| 2b) | How did you hear about the medication disposal site? _____
_____ | | |
| 3) | Do you think it is OK to share your medications with others? | Yes | No |
| 4) | Do you think it is OK to give your old medications to others? | Yes | No |
| 5) | If you knew of a safe and legal way to dispose of your medications, would you do it? | Yes | No |
| 6) | Have you seen (such as flyers/posters) or heard (such as on radio or TV) messages encouraging you to talk with your kids about alcohol and drugs? | Yes | No |
| 7) | What do you do with old medications? | | |
| 7a) | I flush them down the toilet | Yes | No |
| 7b) | I throw them in the trash | Yes | No |
| 7c) | I keep them in case I need them later | Yes | No |
| 7d) | I contact my pharmacy to find out what to do | Yes | No |

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| 7e) | I drop them off at the Police Department or other disposal location | Yes | No |
| 7f) | I put them back in child-proof bottle, wrap in plastic, and put in trash | Yes | No |

Demographics:

Age range:

- 18 – 20
- 21-24
- 25-44
- 45-54
- 55-64
- 65+

What is your race?

- African American
- Asian
- Multi-racial
- Native American
- Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
- White
- Other please describe:

What is your ethnicity?

- Hispanic or Latino
- Not Hispanic or Latino

What is your sex?

- Male
- Female

THANK YOU!
Your responses are greatly appreciated!

