



MED-Project

Medication Education & Disposal

SAN MATEO COUNTY SAFE MEDICINE DISPOSAL ORDINANCE

- Establishes an industry-funded product stewardship model to collect and safely dispose of unwanted household medicines from residents
- Defines a service convenience goal for residents
- Prioritizes collection through kiosk placement in pharmacies, hospitals and clinics with onsite pharmacies, and law enforcement agencies

See San Mateo Safe Medicine Disposal Ordinance here:

http://www.smchealth.org/sites/main/files/file-attachments/20150428_final_safe_medicine_disposal_ordinance.pdf



ABOUT MED-PROJECT

MED-Project is a pharmaceutical product stewardship organization that is financed by the pharmaceutical producers operating in several jurisdictions. The mission of MED-Project is to implement an accessible, convenient, and comprehensive program for the collection of household-generated pharmaceutical waste.

Our mission is to ensure compliance with legislation by:

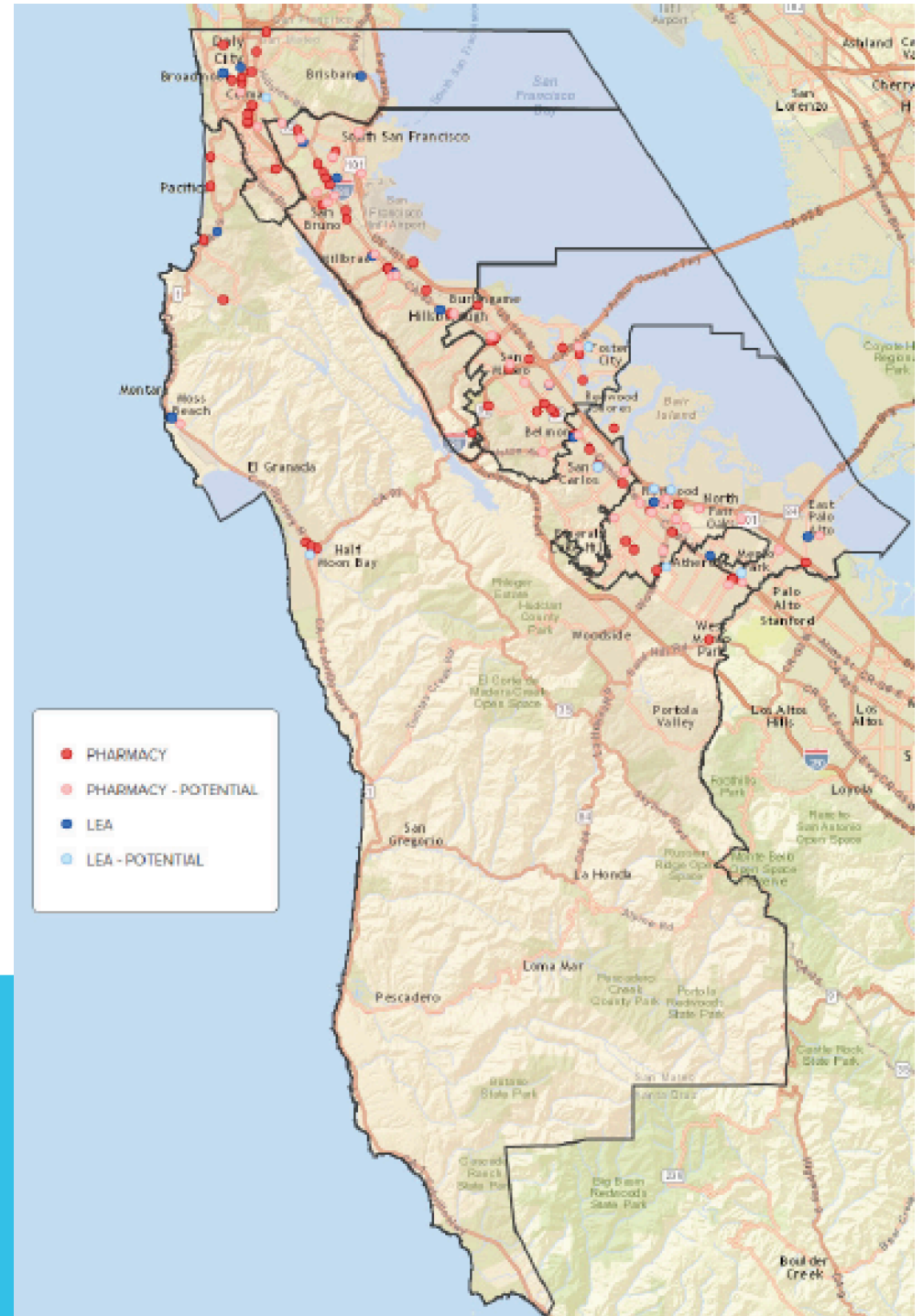
- Installing secure disposal kiosks throughout the County
- Providing safe and secure disposal of collected medicines
- Providing mail-back services for the differentially-abled and home-bound
- Conducting outreach and education
- Conducting take-back events, as needed





MED-PROJECT PRODUCT STEWARDSHIP PLAN

- Approved by the San Mateo County on September 13, 2016
- Meets the requirement for convenient placement of kiosks throughout the County (7 to 8 kiosks minimum per District for 5 Districts)
- Provides Mail-Back Services for differentially-abled and/or home-bound residents
- Proposes periodic Take-Back Events, as needed and as a stop-gap while kiosks continue to be placed



MEDICATION RETURN KIOSKS



Features and Benefits:

- DEA & ADA Compliant
- Heavy-duty construction
- 4 stainless steel wedge anchors included for fastening to floor

Security Features:

- 2 brass works registered locks on access door
- 1 brass works registered lock above hopper opening
- Double bitted keys (keys that cannot be copied)
- Industrial hinged door
- Anti-Tamper Protection: closes off access to interior of cabinet when open

Key Specs:

- Outside Dimensions: 19" x 20" x 47" tall
- 33-gallon capacity
- Brushed Stainless Steel material

Delivery Hopper:

- Maximum hopper opening is 6" diameter bottle that is 12" tall
 - Easy to use tilt-and-slide access
 - Soft close functionality
 - Lockable delivery hopper
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COLLECTION WHEN KIOSKS ARE FULL

- Reverse distributor arrives at pre-scheduled time
- Two site employees open kiosk and witness process
- Kiosk contents transferred to reverse distributor
- Kiosk contents sealed, weighed, and tamper-evident tags are applied
- Shipping document is generated for transport
- Kiosk contents are transported to incineration facility for disposal



HOW TO BECOME A KIOSK COLLECTION SITE

- Review MED-Project Program
- Sign Kiosk Hosting Agreement
- MED-Project conducts pre-installation site visit
 - Install location is determined
 - Installation & training timeframes are agreed upon
 - Brief overview of collection, transfer, and disposal is given
- Kiosk is installed (~30 minutes)
- Site training is conducted
- Host modifies DEA Registration to become a DEA Registrant Authorized Collector
- Kiosk is open to the public

