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Oakland County Sheriff's Office
Sheriff Michael J. Bouchard

and



## Partner Community Coalitions

Alliance of Coalitions for Healthy Communities Birmingham Bloomfield Community Coalition Clarkston Coalition for Youth Clawson Community Coalition Farmington Hills Call to Action Coalition Greater West Bloomfield Community Coalition Holly Area Youth Coalition Huron Valley Community Coalition Madison Heights Community Family Coalition North Oakland Community Coalition Rochester/Auburn Hills Coalition Royal Oak Community Coalition Southeast Oakland Coalition Southwest Oakland Coalition Tri-Community Coalition Troy Community Coalition Waterford Coalition for Youth Oakland County Families Against Narcotics (FAN)

## Partner Law Enforcement Agencies

U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration Auburn Hills Police Department Berkley Public Safety Department Beverly Hills Department of Public Safety Birmingham Police Department Bloomfield Hills Public Safety Department Bloomfield Township Police Department Clawson Police Department Farmington Hills Police Department Franklin-Bingham Farms Police Department The Village of Holly Police Department Huntington Woods Department of Public Safety Keego Harbor Police Department Lake Orion Police Department Madison Heights Police Department Oak Park Public Safety Department Rochester Police Department Royal Oak Police Department Southfield Police Department Troy Police Department West Bloomfield Police Department White Lake Police Department



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Oakland County Sheriff's Office, Genisys Credit Union, and the Alliance of Coalitions for Healthy Communities (ACHC) Celebrate Earth Day with the Expansion of Operation Medicine Cabinet<sup>TM</sup>

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

April 23, 2015 (Pontiac, Mich.) - In conjunction with Earth Day, Sheriff Michael J. Bouchard, along with representatives from Genisys Credit Union, the Alliance of Coalitions for Healthy Communities (ACHC), and the Oakland County Health Division joined together to kick-off the newest Operation Medicine Cabinet<sup>TM</sup> prescription drug drop-off location in Oakland County at the Sheriff's substation in the City of Pontiac.

Additionally, the remaining five Sheriff's Office substations in Addison Township, Lyon Township, Oakland Township, Oxford Township, and Springfield Township are also now Operation Medicine Cabinet<sup>TM</sup> drop-off sites thanks to the support of our generous sponsors Genisys Credit Union, North Oakland Community Coalition, and the ACHC.

Operation Medicine Cabinet<sup>TM</sup> now has a total of thirty-two law enforcement prescription drug drop-off sites around Oakland County, thirteen Sheriff's Office locations, and nineteen other law enforcement agencies sites, all authorized by the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA). For a full list of Operation Medicine Cabinet<sup>TM</sup> drop-off sites and the hours for drop-off times, please go to <a href="https://www.oaklandsheriff.com">www.oaklandsheriff.com</a>.

"We remain committed to the safety of our seniors, our young people, and the environmental implications of improper disposal of prescription drugs," said Sheriff Bouchard. "Operation Medicine Cabinet provides a convenient way to dispose of expired or unused medications safely. We encourage everyone to use this service who wishes to dispose of medications to get them out of the hands of unauthorized users as well as out of our water supply."

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