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Notice to Covered Drug Manufacturers and Organizations Intending to Submit a Proposal to Operate a Drug Take Back Program in New York State

Any covered drug manufacturer (individually or jointly with others) or organization who intends to submit a proposal to the Department to operate a Drug Take Back Program in New York State pursuant to Public Health Law §§290-294 shall first submit a letter of intent by July 5, 2019. The letter of intent shall provide the following:

- 1. the name(s) of the manufacturer(s) or organization that intends to submit a proposal to operate a drug take back program;
- 2. the name, address, telephone number and working e-mail address of a responsible contact person on behalf of the interested manufacturer(s) or organization; and
- 3. the names, to the extent that they are known, of the covered drug manufacturers on whose behalf the manufacturer(s) or organization intends to operate the drug take back program.

The letter of intent may be e-mailed to dtb@health.ny.gov. Please put "Letter of Intent" in the subject heading of the e-mail. E-mailed letters of intent shall be sent by July 5, 2019.

The letter of intent may also be mailed to the Department at the following address:

New York State Department of Health Bureau of Narcotic Enforcement Drug Take Back Program 150 Broadway, 6th Floor Albany, New York 12204

Letters of intent that are mailed to the Department shall be postmarked no later than July 5, 2019.

Additional information on the proposal application, including its form and instructions on how to submit it, will soon be available online at:

https://www.health.ny.gov/professionals/narcotic/drug_take_back.htm.

Questions may be e-mailed to dtb@health.ny.gov.