

ATTENTION HOME SELLERS

Protect Your Meds



FACT: Prescription drugs ARE being stolen from homes for sale, sometimes during showing appointments, sometimes at open houses.

HOW THEY DO IT: Typically a team (perhaps as a couple, a family, or as friends) poses as prospective buyers. As one person keeps the REALTOR® busy with questions, others look for easily accessible prescription drugs to steal.

WHAT CAN YOU DO: Here are three easy steps you can take to prevent drug theft while your house is for sale.

- 1 Secure medications in the same way that you would a wallet, checkbook, and credit cards.
- 2 Place prescription drugs in a locked container, hide them in a location that it would take a significant amount of time to find.
- 3 Remove all controlled substance prescriptions such as: pain medications, anti-anxiety drugs and all medications used for the treatment of ADD and/or ADHD.



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