

Pharmacy:

Dear Dr. _____

Please be aware that our pharmacy is participating in the “Patch for Patch” Community Safety Initiative to reduce the misuse of fentanyl patches.

This program works to prevent diversion by limiting dispensed quantity to a 30 day supply (10 patches based on usual direction of every 72 hours) and requesting patients to return all used patches before getting new patches.

In an effort to instigate this collaborative effort, we strongly suggest the following points on written prescriptions:

- 1. Part-fill should be clearly indicated, i.e. RELEASE 10 PATCHES EVERY 27 TO 30 DAYS.**
- 2. USED Patches MUST be returned to the pharmacy.** Pharmacy will only dispense/honour another part-fill if patient returned all used patches affixed on a standard form.

We look forward to your support of this program as we continue to work toward preventing narcotic diversion in our community.

Thank You,

Signature:

Date: