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is Free!**

**Friday,
Sept. 30, 2011**

1-3 p.m.

**Macomb Intermediate
School District
Room 202**

**2 Substance Abuse
Contact
Hours Available**

How to Register:

Register online at www.misd.net

- Click "Course Offerings"
- Select "On-line Registration"
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“Preventing Prescription Drug Abuse”

Abuse of some prescription painkillers has nearly doubled since the year 2000. The misuse of other prescription medicines is also increasing. People are stealing from medicine cabinets and robbing pharmacies to get their fix. The amount of accidental overdoses is also on the rise. What can we do about it? How can we prevent it?

During *Preventing Prescription Abuse*, hear from prevention and law enforcement leaders about what we can do to help prevent prescription drug abuse. See how take back programs can help keep drugs from getting into the wrong hands. Find out how prescription drug monitoring programs are working in many states and how a center of excellence is working to improve them.

Key Concepts:

- Discover the overall scope of the prescription drug problem in the United States
- Learn where and how people get their medications
- See how medication takeback programs can help prevent abuse
- Hear how prescription monitoring programs differ
- Find out how education and awareness can help

