Colleagues - This will review the results from the first “principals meeting” (March 18, 2010 – at ONDCP) on the issue of preventing prescription drug diversion and prescription drug overdoses.

In that context please suggest ways in which ONDCP could be helpful to this effort.

Attendance
Drug Enforcement Agency – Michelle Leonhart & Joe Ranizizi
Food and Drug Administration – Janet Woodcock & Josh Sharfstein
Centers for Disease Control – Tom Frieden (Not able to attend)
Health and Human Services (Public Health) – Howard Koh (participating by phone)
Office of National Drug Control Policy – Gil Kerlikowske, Regina LaBelle, Tom McLellan, Arnie Moorin, Keith Humphreys

Background Work of the Agencies Represented

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Problems With Existing Agency Controls – At the meeting all agencies reported one of more problems with existing efforts to reduce prescription drug diversion and overdose: