



RECYCLING UPDATE 2019

Updates for Senate Bill 212 & DHCS Grant

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Why did we form CPSC in 2007?





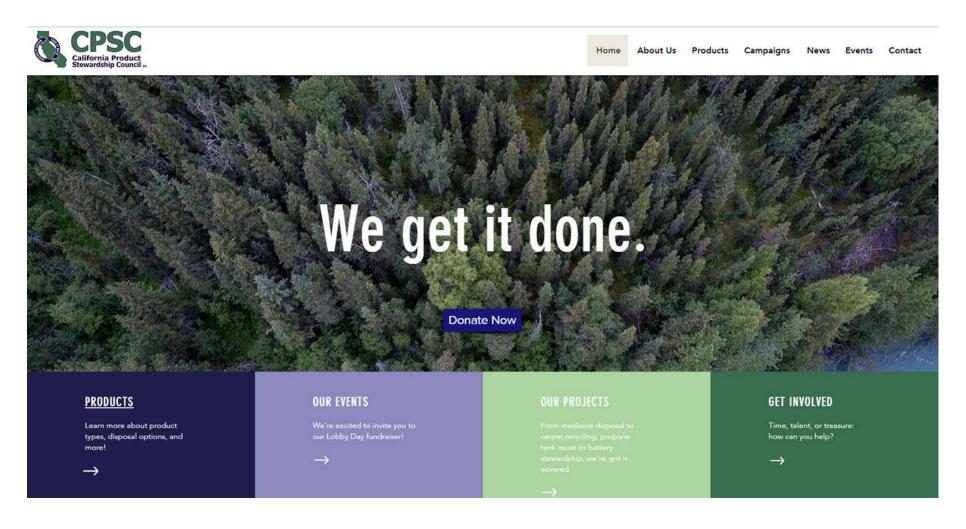
DISPOSAL BANS WITHOUT MANAGEMENT PLANS!

- DTSC banned CRTs, batteries, Hg lamps, and sharps without any plan or funding to manage them.
- Local governments were fed up they reached the first 50% but need producers and retailers to help reach zero waste.

Our new look!



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We have to get to the source of product waste...the producers!

Types of Stewardship

- Product Stewardship: Voluntary or Mandatory
 - Usually a visible fee
 - Requires significant oversight
- Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR):
 - **Typically Mandatory**
 - Costs imbedded in price of product
 - Minimal oversight



WHAT IS EPR? Funding and Structures Vary Widely!

EPR/Product Stewardship Spectrum

Thermostats
Ag Pesticide Containers
Recalled Products
Pharmaceuticals & Sharps

Rechargeable Batteries (Call2Recycle)

CA Bottle Bill

Carpet
Paint
Mattresses

Tires eWaste

1 Lb Refillable Propane Cylinders

Producers, Retailers, & Local Government

Retailers, Facilities, Local Government, & Consumers

Extended Producer Responsibility

Product Stewardship

100% Industry Funded Very Little (if any) Industry Funding

California EPR & Product **Stewardship Legislation**



True EPR

Ag Pesticide Containers Recycling (2008)

California Department of Pesticide Regulation

Mercury Thermostats (2008)



SB 212 Meds and Sharps (2018)



Product Stewardship

- Beverage Container Recycling Act (1986) CalRecycle 7
- Tire Recycling Act (1996)
- Ewaste Recycling Act (2003) 3.
- Product Recall Safety & Protection Act (2008)
- Paint (2010)
- Carpet (2010 and 2017)
- Mattresses (2015)















SB 212 Path:

- Introduced February 1, 2017 by Senator Jackson
- Critical Votes:
 - 08/31/18 Assembly Floor: 72 "Ayes", 5 "Noes", 3 "NVR" (90% Aye Votes)
 - 08/31/18 Senate Floor: 39 "Ayes", 0 "Noes", 1 "NVR" (97.5% Aye Votes)

Votes showed Bi-Partisan support for this important law!



Left: Senator Bob Wieckowski testifying on the Senate Floor in support of SB 212, August 31, 2018



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What SB 212 does:

- Convenient Meds Disposal Establishes a statewide comprehensive, producer-funded take-back program to provide safe and convenient disposal options for homegenerated pharmaceutical drugs and sharps waste.
- Aids in Prevention Gets excess drugs out of people's homes, helping in the prevention of accidental poisonings and abuse, which has one of the main contributors fueling the opioid epidemic.



Bin at CSU, Sacramento Pharmacy

- Free Safe Needle Disposal Requires distribution of <u>free</u> safe disposal sharps containers with every needle sold. Local jurisdictions with HHW facilities get reimbursed for disposal costs of sharps waste.
- Protection Helps protect solid waste, parks, hotel, wastewater, sanitation, and other workers, river and beach clean-up volunteers, and the public from accidental needle stick injuries.
- Preemption Preempts future local ordinances or those adopted on or after April 18,
 2018 to ensure consistency and predictability for manufacturers.
- Enforcement Regulation and enforcement by CalRecycle. CalRecycle to adopt regulations no later than January 1, 2021.





In the Interim...

SB 212 Regulations & Stewardship Plan:

- Regulations promulgated by CalRecycle by January 1, 2021
- Up to six months for Stewardship Plan (Plan) submittal after Regs adoption (by June 30, 2021)
- CalRecycle has 30 days for completeness review (July 31, 2021)
- 90 days for review/approval of Plan from submittal date (September 28, 2021)
- Full implementation of Plan within 270 days of Plan approval (June 28, 2022)
- 1st Informal Workshop for the regulations was held on January 30, 2019.

Best case timeline:

~3.5 years from January 30th!







Options for Counties

- 1. Wait the 3.5 years until the program is rolled out (Do Nothing!)

 (County can't require manufacturer takeback or funding)
- 2. Use political influence to encourage retail pharmacies and hospitals to voluntarily offer takeback
- 3. Pass an ordinance requiring mandatory pharmacy participation
 - a) Pharmacy Funded
 - b) County Funded
 - c) Hybrid Funding
 - d) Grant Funded
 - i. Regional Grants Such as Confluence Regional Partnership Program
 - ii. State Grants Possibly CalRecycle HHW or DPH Funding
 - iii. Special Grants CPSC won the DHCS #18-95372 Grant for \$3M over a 2-Year period. CPSC still looking and applying for other funding!
- 4. Relocate bins from those being taken offline Disposal costs need to be covered
- 5. Offer more DEA style events with Law Enforcement
- 6. Heavily publicize existing bins (white board videos)



CPSC is here to help!



Senate Bill 212 (Regulations)

CalRecycle Informal Rule Making Workshops

- Workshop No. 1 Draft Regulatory Concepts
 - January 30, 2019
 - ~ 60-70 Stakeholders in attendance
 - Articles 1-3 Discussed
 - Article 1 Definitions
 - Article 2 Covered Entities and Stewardship Organizations
 - Article 3 Stewardship Plans
- Workshop No. 2 Draft Regulatory Concepts
 - February 27, 2019
 - ~10 Stakeholders in attendance
 - Articles 4-7 Discussed
 - Article 4 Reports, Budgets, & Reports
 - Article 5 Financial Provisions
 - Article 6 Enforcement
 - Article 7 Miscellaneous Provisions
- Next workshops Draft Regulatory Text
 - May 17, 2019 & June 17, 2019



https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/epr/pharmasharps/

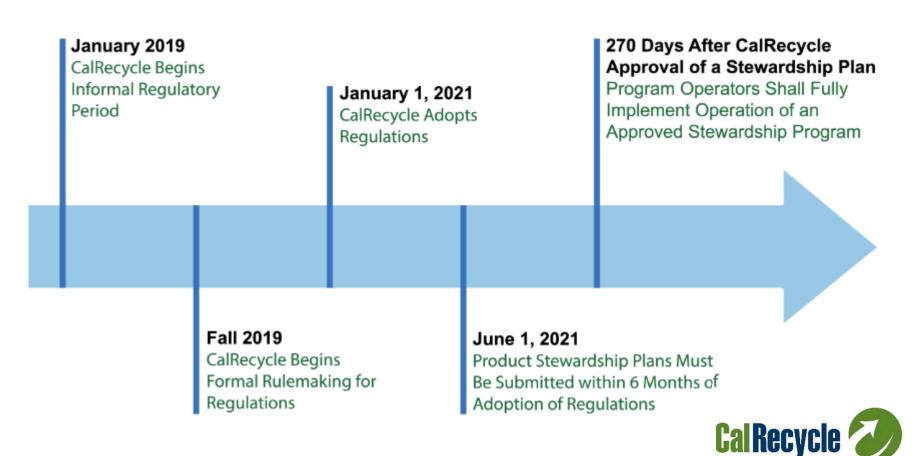






CalRecycle Timelines

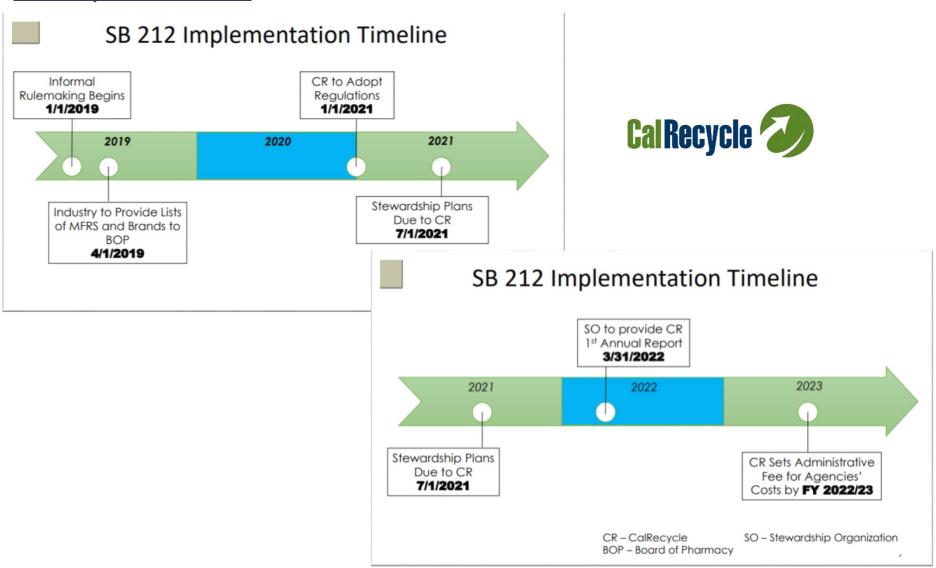
Anticipated Timeline of Major Activities





Senate Bill 212 (Regulations cont'd)

CalRecycle Timelines





Case Study

<u>Cost Example (Case Study for Sacramento County)</u>

Estimated Costs for Sacramento County using SB 212 Minimum Standards

- 1. SB 212 requires one bin for every 50,000 people, or minimum 5 bins per county AND opt-in for any location that wants a bin can get a bin within 90 days!
- 2. Population in 2018: 1.5M people
- 3. That's 30 bins in Sacramento County (including cities)
- 4. Cost is ~\$5,000/bin for purchase, delivery, install, recruitment, and basic public outreach
- 5. \$150K in startup costs
- 6. Bin service costs \$150/service (frequency varies significantly)
- Assuming twice/week service = ~\$468K/year (probably worst case)



Above: Med bin at the Ione Police
Department

DHCS Grant 18-95372



Grant Details

- Awarded November 8, 2018
- \$3M total grant award as part of Federal Grant of \$140M to combat Opioid Crisis
- Grant project and funding ends September 30, 2020
- Install approximately 270 safe disposal receptacles statewide
- Only in the 49 Counties without a Take-Back Ordinances
- Two Phase Application process for hosts
- Placement Priority based on set criteria
 - Minimum of 1 receptacle per county
 - Opioid Overdose Rate
 - Existing receptacles from other programs
 (Rose Grants, Law Enforcement, Chain Pharmacies, etc.)
 - Convenience for consumers
 - Ability to carry servicing costs after August 15, 2020
 (From August 15, 2020 to roughly June 2022, when SB 212 should take over)









California Department of Public Health



California Opioid Overdose Surveillance Dashboard

(https://discovery.cdph.ca.gov/CDIC/ODdash)

California Quick Stats

2,196

All Opioid Overdose Deaths, 2017 429

Fentanyl Overdose Deaths, 2017 4,281

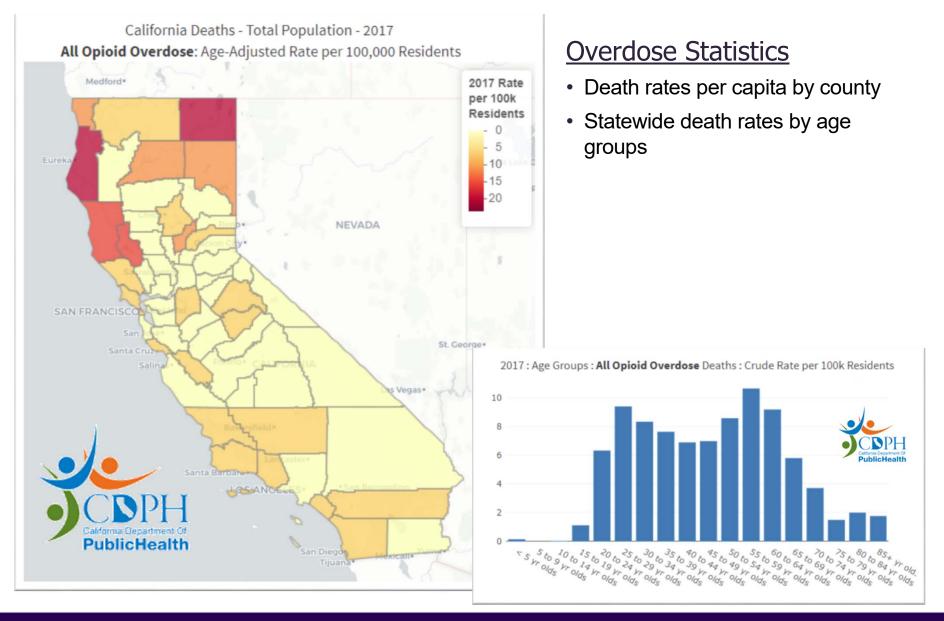
Opioid (excl Heroin) Overdose ED Visits, 2017 21,787,042

Opioid Prescriptions, 2017

Welcome to the California Opioid Overdose Surveillance Dashboard

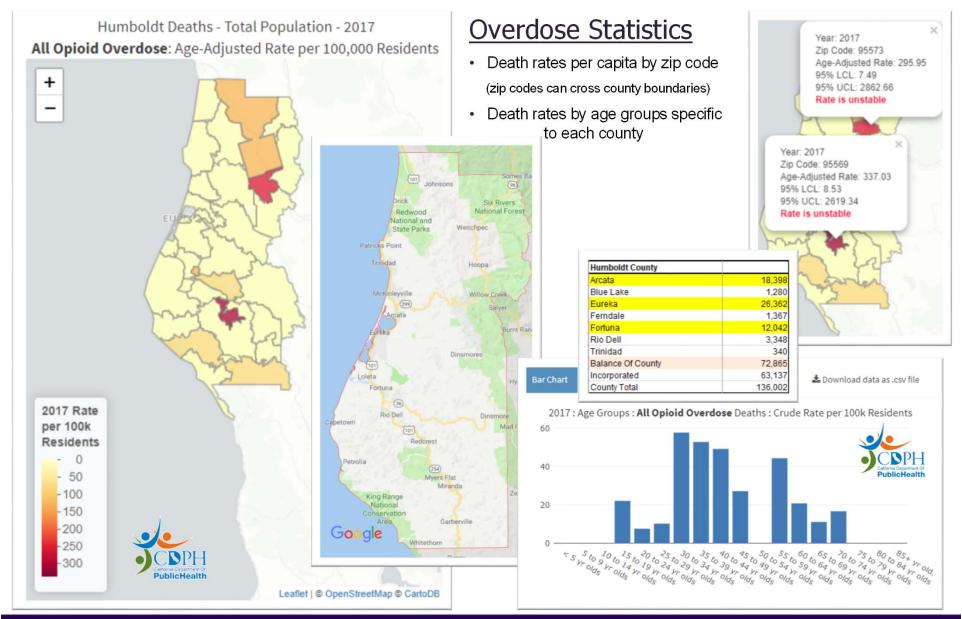


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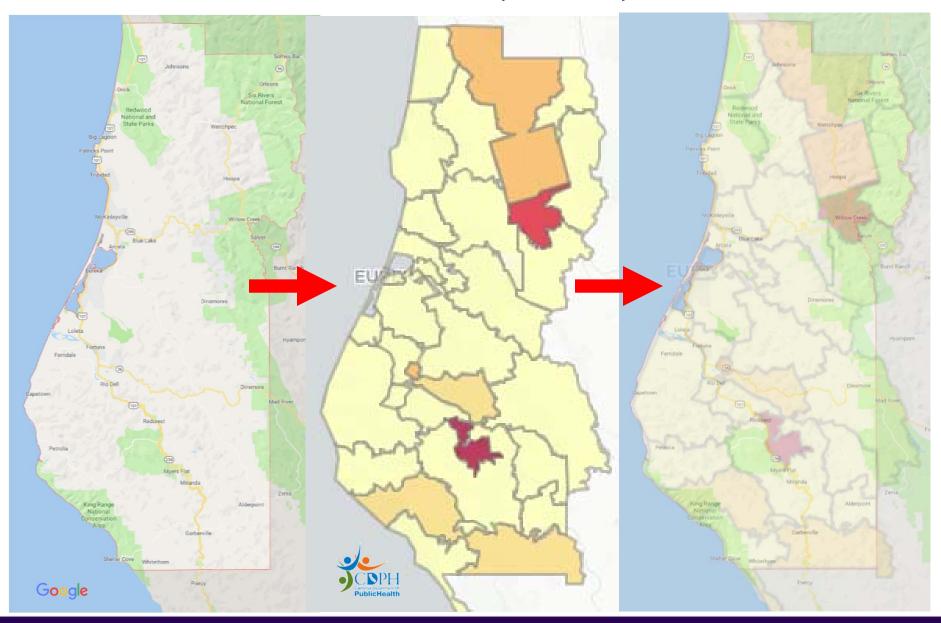








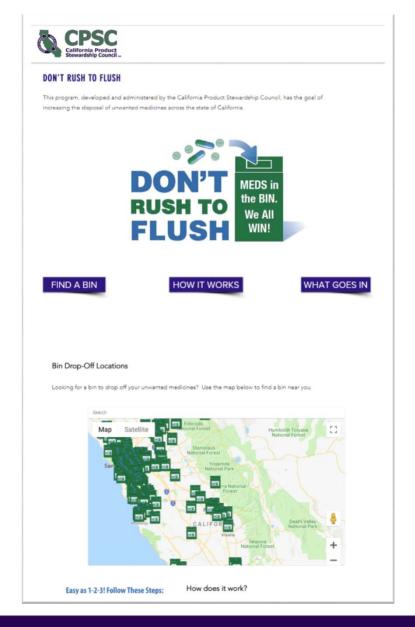
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Receptacles & Finalized Graphics

Finalized Graphics for Receptacles awaiting DHCS approval.



Will share more when program is fully running!

What Can We Do Together?

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Partner with CPSC!



- 1. Fund CPSC to continue to do this good work!
- 2. Partner with CPSC for grants and projects
- 3. Adopt a Producer Responsibility Resolution
- 4. Put Producer Pays in Legislative Platform
- 5. Include take-back in Procurement Policies
- Put Producer Pays in Zero Waste and Solid Waste Planning Documents





Questions?

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