

The DEA presents

Drug Diversion: "What it Means and How to Prevent It"

April 19th-FREE admission

6:00 PM in the H.S. Library

Hosted by OROVILLE CARES

Ricardo Quintero, of the DEA Office of Diversion Control, will be discussing the Opioid Epidemic in its many forms. This is a 'DEA 360 Strategy' Presentation

Goals are: 1. To stop the deadly cycle of heroin and opioid abuse by eliminating drug trafficking organizations; to stop the cycle of addiction in our communities. 2. To partner with the medical community and others to raise awareness of the dangers of prescription opioid misuse and the link to heroin. 3. To strengthen community organizations best positioned to provide long-term help and support for building drug free communities.

The DEA Office of Diversion Control consists of agents, investigators, chemists, pharmacologists, and analysts who work together to maintain the balance of medications between availability to meet legitimate medical and scientific needs of the public, while ensuring that none of these products are diverted to illegal usage. They deal with the diversion of controlled pharmaceuticals and the diversion of controlled chemicals.