



STATE OF MARYLAND

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Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene

Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr., Governor – Boyd K. Rutherford, Lt. Governor – Van T. Mitchell, Secretary

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*MARYLAND BOARD OF PHARMACY*

**ATTENTION: BALTIMORE CITY PHARMACY PERMIT HOLDERS**

**Date: April 30, 2015**

**Re: Pharmacies Affected by Recent Events in Baltimore City**

Governor Hogan has orders a State of Emergency in Baltimore City in response to the recent destructive events that have occurred there. The Board of Pharmacy (Board) is aware that some pharmacies were vandalized, looted and/or destroyed as a consequence of those events. If your pharmacy has been impacted and is required to temporarily close or relocate, the State of Maryland and Board of Pharmacy are available to provide guidance.

Please notify Vanessa Thomas-Gray, Board Compliance Investigator of the damage incurred to your establishment by fax 410 384-4128 or email [Vanessa.thomas-gray@maryland.gov](mailto:Vanessa.thomas-gray@maryland.gov) and include the following information:

- Name of pharmacy
- Address of pharmacy
- Permit Number
- Type of damage (e.g., looted/vandalized, destroyed)
- Brief summary of operation plans with projected dates (e.g., temporary closure, permanent closure, relocation, etc.)
- Contact Phone number

If you are considering relocating permanently or temporarily, certain notifications must also be provided to the Board, including:

- Address for the temporary location
- Floor Plan (schematic only)
- Alarm System information
- A description of any changes to the information included with the pharmacy's original application on file with the Board (such as, business hours, employee changes, etc.)

Please be advised that a new or temporary pharmacy location must be inspected before any business may be conducted. Please direct questions regarding this information to Ms. Thomas-Gray at 410 764-2493 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.