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Media Release

Search Warrant/Prescription Drug Investigation

Zanesville, Ohio (Muskingum County) - On September 18, 2012, the Ohio State Board of Pharmacy in conjunction with the Central Ohio Drug Enforcement Task Force (C.O.D.E.), Zanesville Police Department and the Muskingum County Sheriff's Office, served a search warrant in the 100 block of Sally Road, in the City of Zanesville, Ohio.

The search warrant yielded evidence that was seized. The investigation is a result of complaints from pharmacies within the Muskingum County area, and is in regards to questionable prescribing of controlled substances by the veterinarian who was operating out of the Sally Road address.

"This is an excellent example of the collaboration between state and local agencies efforts to eliminate prescription drug diversion," said Ohio State Board of Pharmacy Director Kyle Parker.

The suspect has not been arrested and the case continues to be investigated. The investigation will be presented to the Muskingum County Prosecutor's Office.