

What You Need to Know About the Dextromethorphan Sales Restriction



To help prevent teens from abusing over-the-counter (OTC) cough medicine containing the active ingredient dextromethorphan (DXM), Nevada law (effective as of October 1, 2017) prohibits the sale of these medicines to minors.

HOW DO I KNOW IF A PRODUCT CONTAINS DXM?

- Check the Drug Facts label for the active ingredient DXM
- Check the packaging for the Stop Medicine Abuse icon

| Drug Facts | |
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| Active Ingredient (in each 15 mL tablespoon) | Purpose |
| Dextromethorphan HBr 15 mg | Cough suppressant |
| Use temporarily relieves cough due to minor throat and bronchial irritation | |

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You can learn more about teen DXM abuse and what you can do to help prevent it at www.StopMedicineAbuse.org.