

# WHAT'S IN YOUR MEDICINE CABINET?

## Over-the-Counter (OTC) and Prescription (Rx) Drug Use In Adolescents



Today, teenagers are not using as much cocaine, crack, LSD, and ecstasy as the teenagers of the 1960's. Kids have found other ways and means to get high; over the counter medications and prescription drugs are being abused at record levels. This upcoming generation of teens has been given the name "Generation Rx." For the first time, national studies show that today's teens are more likely to have abused a prescription painkiller than any illicit drug. Please join us in learning and understanding the warning signs of drug abuse in adolescents and what we can do to support our community's youth.

### ***FREE WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS AND EDUCATORS***

**WHEN:** Thursday, June 17, 2010 5:30 – 7:30 pm

**WHERE:** The New York Foundling Vincent J. Fontana Center for Child Protection  
27 Christopher Street, New York, NY 10014

\*on the corner of Waverly Place

\*Subway Stops: West 4<sup>th</sup> Street (A, C, E, F or V Trains) or Christopher Street (#1 Train)

**PRESENTED BY:** Audrey Freshman, PhD, LCSW, CASAC.

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*(Due to space restrictions, participants will be accepted on a first come, first served basis)*

\*Refreshments will be served.

