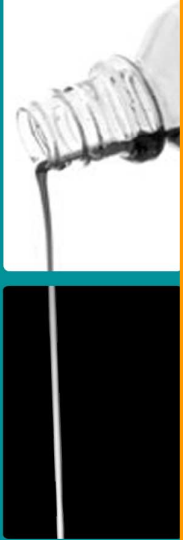




## Add a new step to your open house check list

1. Detail and de-clutter.
2. Lighten up the rooms.
3. Secure all pets.
4. Sell the neighborhood .
- 5. LOCK IT UP!**



# Realtor Alert

One of the fastest growing trends among drug addicts is pilfering prescriptions during open houses.

*Have you advised your clients to be aware and lock up prescription drugs?*

### Quick Tip:

Remind homeowners to make copies of documents so they stay handy, such as **prescription and medical records**, passports, birth certificates, and Social Security cards.

“I never had to deal with drug dealers. I simply watched for an “Open House” sign, walked in, looked around and asked to use the bathroom. It was easy to steal prescription drugs out of the medicine cabinet or from the cabinet next to the stove. Realtors should tell home sellers to lock that stuff up when strangers are coming through.”

Person in recovery from prescription drug addiction.



### Quick Tip:

Remind homeowners to keep their finances, IDs, new house keys, and **prescription drugs** with them on moving day.

