**Public Service Announcement (PSA) Template**

**Provided To:** Local Radio or television stations with the largest audience in the community.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT PODS IN YOUR COMMUNITY**

**DID YOU KNOW?**

Points of Dispensing (POD) sites located throughout the state provide communities with medications during a healthcare crisis such as a disease outbreak or bioterror attack.

POD sites depend on community champions like YOU to volunteer.

What are POD Volunteers saying?

Todd Mellette POD volunteers believe *“The benefit of being a POD volunteer is the knowing that you have your community taken care of if and when the POD is needed.”*

Vermillion POD volunteers say the benefits of a POD is *“Knowing that in the event of an emergency we will not panic, because we have practiced.”*

To learn more about PODs visit the South Dakota Department of Health Public Health Preparedness and Response website at DOH.SD.GOV.

Volunteer today at [Volunteers.sd.gov](mailto:Volunteers@sd.gov) .

This notice was brought to you by *[insert name of POD/community].*