



# State of Louisiana

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
DRUG POLICY

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## PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

The Office of Drug Policy announces the following meeting to which all members of the public are invited to attend.

**Subject:** Drug Policy Board meeting

**Meeting Date:** Thursday, April 27, 2023

**Meeting Time:** 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

**Meeting Location:** LA State Capitol Building, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Press Room, 900 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St.

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### AGENDA

*Call to Order*

*Welcome and Introductions*

*Old Business*

- Review and approve minutes from previous meeting

*New Business*

- A. Presentations with Open Discussion: *The Latest Potent Drug Threats: ISO, a Horse Tranquilizer, and a SE Asian herb and Solutions to Address*
  - *Isotoniazene, a dangerous new synthetic opioid drug* by George Singletary, MD, MPH, Assistant Professor of Addiction Medicine, Tulane University
  - *Xylazine: The Horse Tranquilizer Being Used to Cut Fentanyl and Heroin* by Shayla Polk, DSW, LCSW Prevention Systems Manager, Office of Drug Policy
  - *Kratom aka "Gas Station Heroin"* by Shayla Polk, DSW, LCSW Prevention Systems Manager, Office of Drug Policy
  - News Article: *FDA approved selling naloxone without a prescription*
- 2023 Legislative Session: Tracking drug policy related bills

*Other Business*

*Public Comments*

*Upcoming Meetings*

*Adjournment*