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Landscape of Counterfeit Drugs Worldwide
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Marv Shepherd, Ph.D. has been conducting research on drug importation, counterfeit medications and drug diversion for over 15 years. He is currently the president of the Partnership for Safe Medicines an organization dedicated to combating counterfeit pharmaceuticals. His research and expertise on drug importation and drug counterfeiting has been featured on *CNN News*, *NPR Radio: First Edition*, *Newsweek*, *Wall Street Journal*, *Money Magazine*, *Time Magazine*, *Prevention Magazine*, *US News and World Report*, *New York Times*, *USAToday*, *Washington Post*, plus many other national newspapers, magazines and television and radio news broadcasts.

He has testified before the U.S. House of Representatives Energy and Commerce Committee on the drug importation, prescription drug diversion and counterfeit drugs in 2001 and again in 2002. He testified in 2004 before the Health and Human Services Task Force on Drug Importation and the U.S. Senate Subcommittee on Investigations. It was his research that documented the extent Rohypnol (the date rape drug) was entering the U.S. from Mexico which lead to the U.S. banning of the product in 1997.