

**FRIDLEY CITY CODE**  
**CHAPTER 17. DRUGS AND PARAPHERNALIA**  
(Ref. 527)

**117.01. POSSESSION OF DRUGS RESTRICTED**

No person shall possess, sell, distribute, administer, dispense, furnish, use or prescribe any cocaine or opium or any of their derivatives, or any cannabis indica or cannabis sativa or marijuana, or any of their derivatives (hereinafter called "drugs"), except as provided in Section 117.02.

**117.02. DOCTORS TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW**

Any manufacturer, wholesaler, apothecary, physician, dentist, veterinarian, public or private hospital, sanitarium or institution maintained or conducted in whole or in part for the treatment of disability or disease or inebriety or drug addiction, may purchase, receive, possess, sell, distribute, prescribe, administer or dispense such drugs provided all the provisions and requirements of the Act of Congress of December 17, 1914, known as the Harrison Narcotic Law, as the same exists and may be amended, have been complied with.

**117.03. POSSESSION OF INJECTION IMPLEMENTS**

No person, except dealers in surgical instruments, apothecaries, physicians, dentists, veterinarians, nurses, attendants and interns of hospitals, sanitariums or any other institution in which persons are treated for disability or disease, shall at any time have or possess any hypodermic syringe or needle or any instrument or implement adapted for the use of cocaine or narcotic drugs by subcutaneous injections and which is possessed for that purpose, unless such possession be authorized by the certificate of a physician issued within a period of one (1) year prior to any time of such possession.

**117.04. POSSESSION OF OPIUM-SMOKING PARAPHERNALIA PROHIBITED**

No person shall use, possess or have under his or her control for use any stem, bowl, lamp, yeh hock or other opium-smoking paraphernalia or accessories used for smoking or inhalation of opium.

**117.05. DISTRIBUTORS EXCEPTED**

The provisions of Sections 117.01, .02, .03 and .04 shall not apply to common carriers or persons engaged in the business of operating a warehouse or their employees engaged in lawful distribution or storage of the drugs and materials mentioned in said sections, or to public officers or employees while engaged in the performance of their official duties, or to the temporary incidental possession thereof by employees or agents of persons lawfully entitled to such possession.

**117.06. MENACE TO PUBLIC WELFARE**

Any possession, sale, distribution, prescription, administration, dispensation or use of such drugs, injection implements, or opium-smoking paraphernalia contrary to the provisions of this Chapter is hereby declared to be dangerous to the public health and a menace to the public welfare.

**117.07. FRAUDULENT RECEIPT OF DRUGS**

No person shall fraudulently obtain any such drugs by any deceit, misrepresentation, subterfuge or concealment of material fact or the use of a false name or address in order to obtain treatment in the course of which such drugs may be prescribed.

**117.08. PENALTIES**

Any violation of this Chapter is a misdemeanor and is subject to all penalties provided for such violation under the provisions of Chapter 901 of this Code.