

# *Meth Fact Sheet*

## *Hotel / Motel Owners*

Illegal drug labs are commonly discovered in rented hotel/motel rooms and property owners are ultimately responsible for cleanup costs. Taking the following steps may help prevent costly problems.

*At the time of registration, be aware of guests who...*

- Pay with cash
- Carry no photo identification or credit cards
- Are area residents
- Appear to be intoxicated or under the influence of drugs
- Have unusual luggage or storage containers
- Seem to have no vehicle or provide inaccurate license information

*Some simple security measures...*

- Require visitors to use the main entrance when checking in
- Perform daily room checks
- Train employees to be aware of chemical odors
- Cancel lost keys immediately
- Occasionally walk the halls and building perimeter
- Check with local police and other area hotels if suspicious about a guest

**If you discover or suspect an illegal drug lab DO NOT ENTER THE ROOM OR BUILDING. Call your local police immediately at 911 or:**

Prairie du Chien Police (608) 326-2421

Clayton County Sheriff (563) 245-2422

Crawford County Sheriff (608) 326-8414