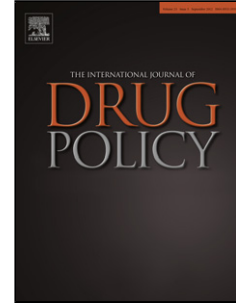


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**Highlights**

- Automatic dispensing machines (ADMs) are a cost effective needle distribution method
- Implementation has been limited and met with apparent community concern
- A survey of local residents and businesses was conducted in the vicinity of an ADM
- In contrast to media reports, 60% of participants supported ADMs locally

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