

DRUGS | MEDICINES PHARMACEUTICALS



Is your medicine cabinet filled with drugs or medications you no longer use?
Do you have excess, inherited, or expired prescription or over-the-counter drugs?

Proper disposal of medicines protects you and the earth by preventing:

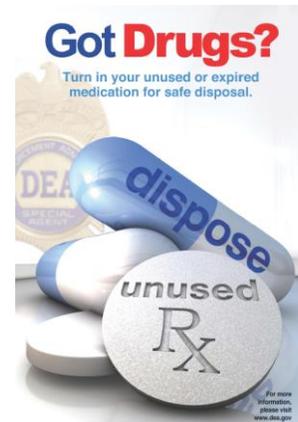
- Poisoning of children or pets
- Misuse of medication can lead to serious health concerns
- Medicines from entering streams and rivers

How to Dispose of Medicines Properly?

Do not give medications to anyone else other than the person prescribed. Doctors prescribe drugs based on a person's specific symptoms and medical history. A drug that works for you could be dangerous for someone else. When in doubt about proper disposal, talk to your pharmacist.

September 26, 2015, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day

Participant	Collection Site	Address	Zip
Travis County Constable - Pct 5	Travis County Constable - Pct 5	1003 Guadalupe St	78701
University of Texas Police Dept	University of Texas Student Services Building	100 West Dean Keaton	78712
Austin Police Dept	Cornerstone Church	1101 Reinli	78723
Austin Police Dept	Austin Household Hazardous Waste Facility	2514 Center Dr	78744
DEA & UT College of Pharmacy	Barton Creek Square Mall Parking Lot	2901 South Capitol of Texas Highway	78746
Bee Cave Police Dept	Bee Cave Police Dept Best Buy Parking Lot	12909 Shops Parkway	78738



Home Disposal (if drop-off or mail-back is not practical)

1. Follow directions on the label or ask your pharmacist.
2. Otherwise, empty drug containers into a sealable bag or a disposable container with a lid.
3. Mix the drugs with an undesirable substance, such as used coffee grounds or cat litter.
4. Conceal or remove any personal information, including Rx number, on the empty containers.
5. Place empty drug containers in the blue recycling cart
6. Place the sealed container with the drug mixture in the trash cart.

For more information, visit: www.AustinTexas.gov/Drugs