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## [National Prescription Drug Take Back Day ~ October 26, 2024](#)

### **Drug Take Back Day**

Encourage Your Patients and Families to Participate in National Drug Take Back Day on October 26th!

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Turn in unneeded  
medication for safe disposal.

Keep them safe. Clean them out. Take them back.

Visit [DEATakeBack.com](https://www.deatakeback.com) for a collection site near you.

They can dispose of unused or unneeded prescription medications during the DEA National Drug Take Back Day on Saturday, October 26th from 10am to 2pm.

**Visit the [DEA website](https://www.dea.gov), type in your zip code and find the closest collection site.**

Click [HERE](#) to download and print other posters, pamphlets and materials to help promote National Drug Take Back Day.

If you or someone you care for has been prescribed a narcotic or opioid, it is extremely important to use and dispose of these medications safely. Use one of the links below to watch a short Mind Your Meds video and learn what you can do to address the Opioid Crisis.

Click [HERE](#) to watch the video if you are in **Virginia**.

## **Resources**

### ▶ [\*\*TIPS FOR PROPER DISPOSAL OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS\*\*](#)

### ▶ [\*\*Mind Your Meds: Safe Opioid Medication Use and Disposal\*\*](#)

Learn how to safely dispose of opioids and other pain medication in this guide for caregivers and older adults.

### ▶ [\*\*DEA Take Back Day Resources\*\*](#)

For more information about:

- DEA Collection Site Locator
- Public Service Announcements (PSAs)
- Year-Round Drug Disposal
- Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT)
- Naloxone

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