

Proper Disposal In Your Hands

Disposal Locations:

DEA Collection Location Search Tool
AwareRX | DisposeMyMeds |
Rx Drug Drop Box

Walgreens Pharmacy Kiosk Program
Walgreens and Law Enforcement Agencies
have drop boxes.

Note: Always contact a collection site
prior to visiting to confirm its drug
take-back program is active and for
hours of operation.

If you or a loved one is concerned about
prescription drug abuse, resources are
available.

Contact:

JTNN for Resources
jtnn.org or 775-324-7557

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About

Drug Disposal

The National Prescription Drug Take Back Day
addresses a crucial public safety and public
health issue. According to the 2019 National
Survey on Drug Use and Health, 9.7 million
people misused prescription pain relievers, 4.9
million people misused prescription stimulants,
and 5.9 million people misused prescription
tranquilizers or sedatives in 2019. The survey also
showed most misused prescription drugs were
obtained from family and friends, often from
the home medicine cabinet.

<https://www.dea.gov/takebackday>

Contact for Further Information

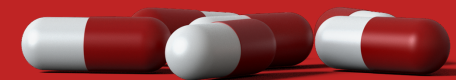
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505 S. Arlington Ave. Ste. 110
Reno, NV 89509
775-324-7557



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Proper Prescription Disposal

Washoe County



National Prescription Drug Take Back Day

One Spring and one Fall event every year hosted in partnership with law enforcement, Washoe County, the Nevada National Guard, the Retail Association, and other community partners.

Locations and dates vary so please visit jtnn.org to find the location nearest you.



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Syringe Disposal:

CVS Complete System:



Check your local
CVS Pharmacy for
a Drop Box near you:



Visit the DEA Drug
Drop Box Locator:



Deterra Bags

Deterra Bags are an at home disposal system for prescription medication. They act to deactivate substances and can be thrown in the regular garbage after deactivation. Pick up yours for free today at Join Together Northern Nevada!

At Home Disposal

Take the remaining pills and place them with cat litter, dirt, or coffee grounds directly into a strong plastic or metal container with a tight cap or lid. When the container is full and tightly sealed with heavy-duty tape, throw it out in the trash. Do not put this container in your recycling bin.

Drug Drop Boxes

***No Liquids, Needles, or Inhalers**

Washoe County Sheriff's office
911 Parr Blvd.
Front vestibule area, accessible
24 hours/ day*

Reno Police Department:
455 E. 2nd St.
M-Sat 8:00 am-5:30 pm

Sparks Police Department
1701 E. Prater Way
M-F 8:00 am-6:00 pm

Reno-Sparks Indian Colony
1715 Kuenzli St.
M, T, Th, Fri 8-5 pm
Wed 1-5 p.m.
Eligibility:

<https://www.rsic.org/rsic-services/eligibility/>

Sharps Disposal

After you use a syringe or a lancet, put it directly into a strong plastic or metal container with a tight cap or lid. When the container is full and tightly sealed with heavy-duty tape, throw it out in the trash. Do not put this container in your recycling bin.

Change Point Harm Reduction

For additional sharps disposal requests, please reach out to Change Point - a mobile syringe exchange program.

775-997-7519
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