

## What is involved?

This event is a free, easy, drive-thru drop off. You won't be asked to provide your name.

Please keep your unused or expired medication in the original container.

If you want, you can cross off your name and address, but please do NOT cover up the name of the medication. All medications and their containers will be destroyed at the end of the event and will be properly handled to ensure patient confidentiality.



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When you arrive you will be asked to participate in a quick survey. The questions to be asked are:

- How did you learn about this event?
- What would you have done with these medications if this event had not taken place?
- Why do you want to get rid of these medications?
- What city, town, or village do you live in?

You will drive to the drop off area and be handed a tray. Place your medications on the tray and pass them out to an event staff member or volunteer.

### **You Can Get Rid Of:**

Prescription Medicine (pills, liquids, powders, creams, inhalers, etc.)

Over-the-Counter Medicine (pills, liquids, powders and creams)

Medications for Pets

Vitamins

Nebulizer Solution

Medication Samples

Inhalers

IV Bags

### **Do Not Bring:**

Medical waste

Oxygen Tanks

Nebulizer Machines

Thermometers

Mercurochrome

Household hazardous waste

Needles/Sharps

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