



A Message from Westchester County Executive Robert P. Astorino

Proper disposal of medication is both an environmental and public safety concern. Westchester is dedicated to making medication take-back as easy for residents as possible, with several local options now available. My administration, along with the Department of Environmental Facilities, the Department of Health, and the Westchester County Coalition for Drug & Alcohol Free Youth, wants to ensure the safe disposal of medications.

Prescription drugs are now the second most abused category of drugs in the United States. Medicines that languish in home cabinets are highly susceptible to abuse. Medications that are flushed down the toilet or poured down the drain can taint our local rivers and streams.

Westchester County's Med Take-Back Program provides residents with an opportunity to safely, conveniently, and confidentially dispose of unwanted medications.

How Do I Participate?

- Residents can bring medications to one of the participating locations (see the list below). For additional information, please call the Recycling Helpline at (914) 813-5425.

Other Disposal Options

If residents cannot stop by a participating police station, they can dispose of medications with their household garbage (such as coffee grounds, cat litter or dirt). Please ensure the containers are closed with tape.

THE MEDICATIONS SHOULD NOT BE PUT DOWN THE DRAIN.



The Medication Take-Back Program *Does Not* Accept Medical Sharps and Needles.



For instructions on how to properly dispose of sharps, as well as other household items, visit <http://environment.westchestergov.com/other-household-items> or call the Recycling Helpline at (914) 813-5425.

Westchester County's Recycling Helpline
(914) 813-5425
wctdef@westchestergov.com
Please check our Web site for the most up-to-date information.
westchestergov.com/recycle

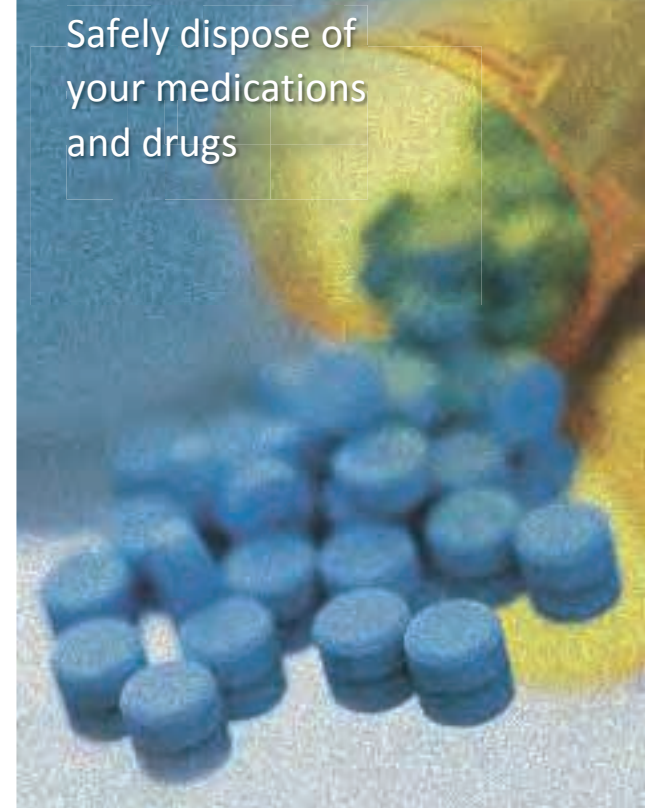


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MEDICATION TAKE-BACK PROGRAM

Safely dispose of your medications and drugs



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Proper Drug Disposal Procedure

For delivery of medications, keep all items in the original container or, if that is not possible, put them in a sealable plastic bag. Liquid medications should be in their containers and inside sealable plastic bags.



Drug Disposal Locations

Ardsey	507 Ashford Avenue	693-1700
Bedford	307 Bedford Road	241-3111
Briarcliff Manor	1111 Pleasantville Road	941-2130
Bronxville	200 Pondfield Road	337-0500
Buchanan	236 Tate Avenue	739-6776
Cortlandt	1 Heady Street	741-4400
Croton	1 Van Wyck Street	271-5177
Dobbs Ferry	112 Main Street	693-5500
Eastchester	40 Mill Road	961-3464
Elmsford	15 South Stone Avenue	592-8383
Greenburgh	188 Tarrytown Road	682-5300
Harrison	650 North Street	967-5111
Hastings	7 Maple Avenue	478-2344
Larchmont	120 Larchmont Avenue	834-1000
Lewisboro	79 Bouton Road	769-2600
Mamaroneck (Town)	740 West Boston Post Road	381-6100
Mount Kisco	Mt. Kisco Library, 100 E. Main Street	241-1100
Mount Pleasant	1 Town Hall Plaza	769-1941
Mount Vernon	2 Roosevelt Square North	665-2500
New Castle	200 So. Greeley Avenue (Chappaqua)	238-4422
North Castle	15 Bedford Road (Armonk)	273-9500
North Salem	66 June Road	669-5540
Ossining Village	88 Spring Street	941-4099
Peekskill	2 Nelson Avenue	737-8000
Pelham Manor	4 Penfield Place	738-1000
Pelham	34 Fifth Avenue	738-2000
Pleasantville	80 Wheeler Avenue	769-1500
Port Chester	350 North Main Street	939-1000
Pound Ridge	177 Westchester Avenue	764-4206
Rye Brook	938 King Street	937-1020
Rye City	21 McCullough Place	967-1234
Scarsdale	50 Tompkins Road	722-1200
Sleepy Hollow	28 Beekman Ave	631-0800
Somers	98 Primrose Street	232-9622
Tarrytown	One Depot Plaza	631-5544
Tuckahoe	65 Main Street	961-4800
Westchester County Office Bldg.	148 Martine Avenue (White Plains)	995-2181
White Plains	77 South Lexington Avenue	422-6400
Yorktown	2281 Crompond Road	962-4141

Before dropping off medications, please call the above numbers for hours of operation (Rev.10/2017)