

Got Drugs?



Third National Prescription Drug Take Back Day

October 29, 2011

10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

For local collection sites see below

Turn in your unused or expired prescription and non-prescription medications for safe disposal.

Proper disposal of unused prescription and over-the-counter medications is important to protect both people and the environment. Unused prescription and over-the-counter medications that remain in the home can cause serious harm to people if they are taken accidentally, intentionally misused or inappropriately given to someone else. Studies show that a majority of abused prescription drugs are obtained from family and friends, including the home medicine cabinet. Unused medications that are flushed down the toilet or poured down the sink can enter the water supply, harming fish and other wildlife and posing a potential risk to people.

If you have unused medications to get rid of, bring them to a local collection site on Saturday, October 29th between 10:00 AM and 2:00 PM.

Albany Police Department South Station

126 Arch Street
Albany, NY 12202

Crossgates Mall

Overflow parking lot across from Ruby Tuesday's (Drive-thru)
1 Crossgates Road
Albany, NY 12202

Watervliet Police Department

2-15th Street
Watervliet, NY 12189

For more information and to find additional collection sites in the area go to:

www.albanycounty.com/health
www.nationaltakebackday.com

Do not bring hazardous wastes, sharps such as used needles, or illegal drugs.