

Medication Drop-Off Site at Iowa County Sheriff's Department— Get Rid of Unused Prescription Drugs

Med Drop Box continues to be available at the Iowa County Sheriff's Department at 1205 North Bequette Street in Dodgeville. Enter the Jail entrance on the south side of the building near the flagpole 24 hours a day, 7 days per week to drop off your unused or unwanted prescriptions or medications.

Unwanted, unused prescriptions and over-the-counter medicines can be found in every household in the county. We know that it's not safe to keep unneeded medicines in the house – children and others can accidentally take them. But you've also heard that you shouldn't flush medicines down the toilet or put them in the trash. We now know that these medicines are bad for our environment – our water, our lakes and the animals in them.

What you can get rid of at Med Drop:

- ◆ Prescription medicine (pills, liquids and creams)
- ◆ Over the counter medicine (pills, liquids and creams)
- ◆ Medications for pets
- ◆ Vitamins
- ◆ Nebulizer solution
- ◆ Medication samples



How to Use Med Drop

To dispose of medications in the Med Drop boxes, please bring your unused or expired medication and place it in the drop box.

Place pills or capsules in a bag, without the container. Dispose of the container after you have removed and destroyed the label. There is no limit to the amount of drugs that can be brought and no questions will be asked of whoever brings them. If you have liquids, gels or creams, please leave those in their original containers and place them in a seal plastic bag.

All drugs are properly disposed.

Do Not Bring to Med Drop:

- ◆ IV bags
- ◆ Oxygen tanks
- ◆ Nebulizer machines
- ◆ Thermometers
- ◆ Inhalers
- ◆ Sharps, Epi-pens or anything with a needle or lancet

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