

Drug Take Back Day

October 23, 2021



Drug Take Back Day helps us keep our communities safe by preventing access to potentially addictive or dangerous medications. Thanks to community members across Rhode Island, Drug Take Back Day 2021 was a success!



**Total Boxes:
144**

144 boxes of unused or expired medications were collected across Rhode Island.



**Total Pounds:
3,580**

In total, we collected more than 3,500 pounds of unused or expired medications!

PARTICIPATING DEPARTMENTS

There were 36 police departments across Rhode Island that participated in Drug Take Back Day 2021, helping to make safe disposal sites accessible throughout communities statewide.

WE COULD NOT HAVE DONE IT WITHOUT YOU!

Thank you to every community member who helped to prevent access to potentially dangerous or addictive medication by taking the time to drop off expired and unused medications at safe disposal sites across the state. Thanks to our collective efforts, more than 3,580 POUNDS of medication was safely removed from homes!



To learn more about other efforts to prevent access to potentially dangerous or addictive medications, click [here](#).



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