



Drop off unwanted prescription drugs at five Dayton Police sites

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On Saturday, Oct. 27, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., the Dayton Police Department will participate in the Drug Enforcement Administration National Prescription Drug Take Back Day.

This opportunity gives local residents a chance to help prevent drug abuse and theft by ridding homes of potentially dangerous expired, unused, and unwanted prescription drugs. The drug drop-off is free and anonymous, no questions asked.



Bring prescription drugs for disposal to one of five drop-off sites around the city of Dayton. Please note: Liquids, needles or sharps cannot be accepted; drop off pills or patches only.

Dayton Police Headquarters - 335 W. Third St.
Central Patrol Operations Division - 248 Salem Ave.
East Patrol Operations Division North - 417 East Helena St.
East Patrol Operations Division South - 2721 Wayne Ave.
West Patrol Operations Division - 951 Washington St.

If you can't bring in your unused, unwanted, or expired prescription drugs on Oct. 27, the five Dayton sites have drug drop-off boxes available for use Monday through Friday during business hours (8 a.m. to 4 p.m.).

In April 2018, Americans turned in more than 949,000 pounds (474.5 tons) of prescription drugs on Drug Take Back Day.

For more information on Drug Take Back Day, go to takebackday.dea.gov.

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