

Drug Enforcement Administration National Prescription Drug Take Back Day

The National Prescription Drug Take Back Day addresses a crucial public safety and public health issue. According to the 2016 National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 6.2 million Americans misuse controlled prescription drugs. The study shows that the majority of misused prescription drugs were obtained from family and friends, often from the home medicine cabinet.

The DEA's Take Back Day events provide an opportunity for Americans to prevent drug addiction and overdose deaths.

Law Enforcement Participation

To participate, a new law enforcement partner will need to locate their Drug Enforcement Administration National Prescription Take Back point of contact by using the following link: https://www.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/drug disposal/takeback/poc.htm.

The LE partner will need to reach out to their DEA POC and obtain a NTBI database username and password, to access the following link: https://www.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/NTBI.

Once logged in to the NTBI database, select "New Registration," and submit the required information.

After completing the initial registration, and upon acceptance by DEA, the LE partner will receive a separate email that contains their "Participant ID."

The LE partner will be required to log back into the NTBI system using the same username and password and enter their "Participant ID." The LE partner will then register each of their proposed NTBI sites. An approved LE partner must maintain at least one active NTBI site in the database.

Once the law enforcement agency has successfully registered their Take Back sites, DEA will provide the partner law enforcement agency with the appropriate Take Back Day supplies (collection boxes, collection bags, sealing tape, and advertising posters). The DEA will also provide partner law enforcement agencies with guidance regarding advertising and the use of social media.

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Keep them safe. Clean them out. Take them back.





