



## City of Gloucester Medication Disposal Program

***Clean out your medicine cabinets to keep youth safe and protect a clean water supply.***  
The City of Gloucester Medication Disposal Program is a community-wide collaboration of health professionals including physicians, pharmacists, law and drug enforcement officials and community leaders and service agencies.

### **Where to Take Unwanted Medications:**

Scheduled community drop off events and 24/7 drop off in the Lobby of the Gloucester Police Station. All medications received will be destroyed appropriately by the Gloucester Police Department.

### **Items Accepted:**

Prescription and Over-the-Counter Medication  
Narcotics  
Liquid Medications

Medication Samples  
Veterinary Medications  
Vitamins

### **Items NOT Accepted:**

*Syringes*  
*Needles*  
Bloody or Infectious Waste  
Personal Care Products  
Inhalers

Thermometers  
IV Bags  
Empty Containers  
Hydrogen Peroxide

### **Contact Information:**

If you would like more information about the City of Gloucester Medication Disposal Program please call the Gloucester Health Department:

Joan Whitney, Director of Substance Abuse Prevention Services, 866-964-4602 or  
Max Schenk, Manager – Environmental Health Services, 978-281-9771.

### **Sponsored by the Healthy Gloucester Collaborative and partnering agencies:**

Gloucester Health Department, Gloucester Police Department, Drug Enforcement Administration, Addison Gilbert Hospital, Essex County District Attorney's office, Physicians, Pharmacists, Cape Ann Chamber of Commerce, US Environmental Protection Agency, Action, Inc, Golden Living Nursing Home, Wellspring, Pathways, The Rotary Club of Gloucester, Gloucester Council on Aging/TRIAD, Senior Care, Cape Ann Interfaith Commission, Addison Gilbert Primary Care and others.