## **Resources:**

Access and Crisis Line (24/7): 888-724-7240

2-1-1 SD or (858) 300-1211

**UP2US.org** 

To learn more about the San Diego Prescription Drug Abuse Task Force and available resources, please visit our website: <u>www.sdpdatf.org</u>



# Safe Medication Disposal







North County San Diego

Safe medication disposal information and locations

www.sdpdatf.org

### North County San Diego Medication Safe Disposal Sites

N. Coastal Sheriff's Station 175 North El Camino Real Encinitas, CA 92024 (760) 966-3500 \*Sharps disposal available at site

Poway Sheriff's Station 13100 Bowron Road Poway, CA 92064 (858) 513-2800

Vista Detention Facility 325 S. Melrose Drive, #200 Vista, CA 92081 (760) 936-0014

San Diego Police Department Northeastern Division 12592 El Camino Rd. San Diego, CA 92130 (858) 538-8000 \*Sharps disposal available at site

Walgreens 10787 Camino Ruiz San Diego, CA 92126 (858) 437-0761

CVS Pharmacy 2510 El Camino Real Carlsbad, CA 92008 (760) 729-8941

4S Ranch Sheriff's Substation 10282 Rancho Bernardo Road San Diego, CA 92127 (858) 521-5200

Borrego Springs Sheriff's Office 571 Palm Canyon Drive Borrego Springs, CA 92004 (760) 767-5656 \*Sharps disposal available at site Vista Sheriff's Station 325 South Melrose Drive, #210 Vista, CA 92081 (760) 940-4551

San Marcos Sheriff's Station 182 Santar Place San Marcos, CA 92069 (760) 510-5200

Carlsbad Police Department 2560 Orion Way Carlsbad, CA 92010 (760) 931-2197 \*Sharps disposal available at site

Escondido Police Department 1163 North Centre City Parkway Escondido, CA 92026 (760) 839-4722

Walgreens 3752 Mission Ave. Oceanside, CA 92058 (760) 722-9409

Oceanside Police Department 4927 Oceanside Blvd. Oceanside, CA 92056 (760) 435-4900

Fallbrook Sheriff's Substation 388 East Alvarado Street Fallbrook, CA 92028 (760) 728-1113 \*Sharps disposal available at site

Kaiser Permanente Pharmacy 400 Craven Road San Marcos, CA 92068 (8330 574-2273 \*Kaiser members only

CVS Pharmacy 318 W. El Norte Parkway Escondido, CA 92026 (760) 489-1505

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#### THE DO'S AND DON'TS OF SAFE DISPOSAL



**DO dispose of unused or expired medications the safe way** by bringing them to an approved collection site.



**DO follow disposal directions** you receive with your medicines.



**DON'T throw away unused or expired medications.** Medications that are thrown in the trash can be misused by others or sold.



**DON'T flush your prescription medications.** Flushed medications end up in our waterways and sewage systems.

#### **Disposal Tips**

Scratch out all identifying information on the prescription drug bottle to make it unreadable. This will help to protect your identify and the privacy of your personal health information.

Unused or expired prescription medications are a public safety issue, leading to potential accidental poisoning, misuse, and overdose. Proper disposal of unused drugs saves lives and protects the environment.