

## Unused Medication *Disposal*

**TakeAway Environmental Return System™** is a secure, convenient, turnkey solution for proper disposal of unused patient medications – **excluding controlled substances.**

**TakeAway Environmental Return System™ increases interaction between the Pharmacists and their patients.**

**Two Convenient Methods for Disposal:**

**TakeAway™ Envelopes: 11" x 8" (USPS), 15" x 11" (UPS)**



USPS Envelope (11" x 8")



UPS Envelope (15" x 11")

The TakeAway™ envelope is a unique method for disposal of unused patient medications from the home environment. Simply, follow the instructions for use – *fill it, seal it, and return it for assured destruction.*

**Also available: TakeAway™ Display Kit**  
( includes 25 envelopes)



TakeAway™ Display Kit

### TakeAway™ Drop-Off Systems

The TakeAway™ drop-off systems are designed for use in participating pharmacies and other facilities. These systems are available in three convenient sizes: 10, 20 and 40 gallon containers.



TakeAway™ 10, 20, and 40 Gallon Systems

### TakeAway™ Advantages

- Includes shipping and regulated disposal
- Accepts both medication cards and vials
- Processed by law enforcement officials
- Witnessed and assured destruction
- Offers online tracking via MedsTracer™
- Complies with applicable regulations
- **Environmental and health risks**  
Wastewater treatment plants are not designed to remove pharmaceuticals from water supplies. For this reason, the Office of National Drug Control Policy advises against flushing medications down the toilet.
- **Unintended-use risks**  
Intentional or accidental ingestion of left over medications by children, pets, or others can occur from improper storage and trash disposal of medications.

### TakeAway Environmental Return System™ Products:

- TakeAway™ Envelope** ( Size: 11" x 8"- USPS )
- TakeAway™ Envelope** ( Size: 15" x 11"- UPS )
- TakeAway™ Display Kit** ( Size: 8.75" x 15" x 5" )
- TakeAway™ 10 Gallon** ( Size: 14.125" x 14.125" x 12.5" )
- TakeAway™ 20 Gallon** ( Size: 14.125" x 14.125" x 24" )
- TakeAway™ 40 Gallon** ( Size: 21.5" x 24.5" x 19.5" )

**For more information please call 800.772.5657,  
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