

Participate in Drug Take Back Day at NIH!

The Drug Take Back Day at NIH is on Wednesday, April 24, 2019 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

The NIH frequently pairs with the Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) and local Sheriff's offices to host Drug Take Back events. Participating in a Drug Take Back program provides a safe method for disposing of unwanted, unused or expired drugs, while also reducing water use and drug abuse. Disposing of drugs through sinks and toilets is a growing environmental threat to lakes, streams and rivers.¹ Last year, the NIH collected over 282 pounds of pharmaceutical drugs on Drug Take Back Day, April 28, 2018.

The drop off locations are:

On-campus – Building 31A Lobby.

Off-campus – Neuroscience Center (NSC), 6001 Executive Boulevard, First floor Cafeteria.

Off-campus – NCI Shady Grove, 9609 Medical Center Drive, Lobby.

Baltimore – Biomedical Research Center (BRC), 251 Bayview Boulevard, Suite 200, Lobby Area and Room 02A500

Those who are unable to take advantage of this event at NIH can participate in the [National Drug Take Back Day](#) on April 27, 2019 and locate a [year-round authorized collection](#) site near you.