

NO DRUGS DOWN THE DRAIN



Safely dispose pharmaceutical wastes:

1. **Ask your pharmacy to take them back.**
2. **Go to a pharmacy with a take-back program** (see list on back).

OR

3. **Follow the White House Drug Policy for disposing medical wastes in the trash:** Remove the medicines from the original container and mix them with an unpleasant waste material, such as used kitty litter, ashes or coffee grounds. Then place the mixture in an impermeable container such as a sealable bag before discarding in the trash.



For more information: www.nodrugsdowndrain.org

Or <http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/HomeHazWaste/PharmWaste/>

"Changing Wastewater To Safe Water"

Monterey Regional Water Pollution Control Agency
5 Harris Ct., Bldg D, Monterey CA 93940
(831) 372-3367 (831) 422-1001 www.mrwPCA.org

Drop off Locations & Pharmacies with Take-Back Programs

Monterey Peninsula:

CSUMB- Health Center
100 Campus Cntr, Seaside
582-3965

Carmel Drug Store
Ocean & San Carlos, Carmel
624-3819

Central Avenue Pharmacy
15th and Central Ave., Pacific Grove
373-1225

Ordway Pharmacy
499 Alvarado St., Monterey
372-2512

Salinas Area:

Alisal Drug Store – Bob Souza's
(Pharmacy customers only)
323 N. Sanborn Rd., Salinas
424-7321

All Care Pharmacy
331 Main St., Salinas
424-8053

A & O Clinic Pharmacy
(Pharmacy customers only)
610 Romie Ln., Salinas
758-0976

*NOTE: This is not a complete list of available locations. More may be available in your area.
Others offer mail back envelopes for a small fee.*

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