

Got Drugs?

Turn in your unused or expired medications for safe disposal.

Saturday, April 28, 2012
10 am - 2 pm

Roanoke Civic Center • Salem at the K-Mart on Main Street
Botetourt County - at the Daleville Kroger
Roanoke County - at the Tanglewood Kroger
Roanoke County Public Safety Building - Cove Road
Roanoke County Fire Station #1 - Hershberger Road
Vinton - at the Hardy Road Kroger



Participating in this drug take-back event instead of leaving medications unsecured in your home or flushing them down the toilet will help prevent drug abuse and protect our valley's waterways.

No appointment is necessary - the public is welcome. Simply bring your medications to this event where they can be safely collected and destroyed by local law enforcement and DEA agents.

Rates of prescription drug abuse in the U.S. are increasing at alarming rates - especially among teens who get prescription drugs from their friends and family's medicine cabinets.

Every day 2,500 youth age 12 to 17 abuse a pain reliever for the very first time, and more teens abuse prescription drugs than any illicit drug except marijuana.*

(*Source: U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration)

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