

# Do you have old or unused prescriptions?

Saturday,  
April 27th, 2013  
is National  
Prescription Drug  
Take-back day!



Medications  
will be  
collected from  
10am to 2pm!

## Why Dispose of Old and Unused Medications?

- Many Americans are not aware that medicines in their home medicine cabinets are highly at risk of being misused and abused.
- **A majority of abused prescription drugs are obtained from family and friends, including from the home medicine cabinet.**
- Many Americans do not know how to properly dispose of their unused medicine, often flushing them down the toilet or throwing them away – both potential safety and health hazards.

## The Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) needs our help!

DEA will be collecting potentially dangerous expired, unused, and unwanted prescription drugs for destruction at sites nationwide on **Saturday, April 27th from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. local time**. The service is free and anonymous, no questions asked.

Old/Unused medications can be dropped off at:

**Gorham Police Department**  
**20 Park Street**  
**Gorham, NH**  
**10am-2pm**

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