

Help protect our kids, environment, and community

# Household Medication Disposal

Washington County residents can dispose of their unused and expired medications at year-round collection drop boxes.

## Why are unused medications a problem?

Unused medicines in your home pose a risk for accidental poisoning, theft, and drug abuse. Medication put in the trash or flushed can pollute water, and harm fish and wildlife. You can help. Bring unwanted medications to a drop box for secure storage and disposal by a licensed incinerator.



## No Medications from Businesses Accepted

### Accepted at Drop Box

Household prescription, over-the-counter, and pet medication.

- » Pills & capsules
- » Blister packs
- » Creams & gels
- » Unused Epipens
- » Inhalers & patches
- » IV bags and vials
- » Liquids/powders and sprays

### NOT accepted at Drop Box

- No needles, used Epipens, syringes, lancets or thermometers
- No liquid chemotherapy drugs

*Items above accepted at the  
**Environmental Center**  
4039 Cottage Grove Drive  
Woodbury, MN, 55129*

### Preparing for drop-off

- No need to cross off your name—drop-off is anonymous (no ID required)
- Keep medications in original container
- If you don't have the original container, place in small bag

## Drop Box Locations

**Open: Mon-Fri (8am – 4:30pm)**

### COTTAGE GROVE

**Washington County Service Center**

13000 Ravine Pkwy S  
Cottage Grove, MN 55016

### FOREST LAKE

**Washington County Service Center and Library**

19955 Forest Rd N  
Forest Lake, MN 55025

### STILLWATER

**Law Enforcement Center (LEC)**

Sheriff's Office  
Main Lobby  
15015 62<sup>nd</sup> St N  
Stillwater, MN 55082

### WOODBURY

**Woodbury Service Center**

2150 Radio Drive  
Woodbury, MN 55125



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