

How do I dispose of prescription drugs?

Take unused, unneeded, or expired prescription drugs out of their original containers and throw them in the trash

Mix prescription drugs with an undesirable substance, such as coffee grounds or kitty litter, and then put them in impermeable, non-descript containers, such as empty cans or sealable bags.

The following are the only drugs you can safely flush down the toilet only :



- Actiq (fentanyl citrate)
- Daytrana Transdermal Patch (methylphenidate)
- Duragesic Transdermal System (fentanyl)
- OxyContin Tablets (oxycodone)
- Avinza Capsules (morphine sulfate)
- Baraclude Tablets (entecavir)
- Reyataz Capsules (atazanavir sulfate)
- Tequin Tablets (gatifloxacin)
- Zerit for Oral Solution (stavudine)
- Meperidine HCl Tablets
- Percocet (Oxycodone and Acetaminophen)
- Xyrem (Sodium Oxybate)
- Fentora (fentanyl buccal tablet)

How do I dispose of syringes?

Safer Ways to Dispose of Your Syringes



Used syringes should be put into plastic soda bottles, laundry bottles, coffee cans or any container that cannot be penetrated.

- **Sticker** - Label the empty container "**DO NOT RECYCLE**"
- **Store** - Carefully put each of your used syringes into the container
- **Seal** - When the container is full, put duct tape over the closed bottle cap or cover
- **Safe Disposal** - Dispose of the filled container in your household trash

Now your syringes are safely held in a container that protects people from needle sticks and is unlikely to break open on its way to the landfill.