# **Dispose of Medication Properly!**

### **Proper Disposal**



#### **Take-Back Box**

Local police departments or pharmacies may have these- ask them about hours & restrictions



#### **Take-Back Events**

As part of a national campaign, local police departments may host weekend take backs twice every year

## **Improper Disposal**



### **Household Storage**

Accidental ingestion or medication abuse can happen if expired or unneeded medicine is left at home



#### **Toilet**

Flushed drugs can end up in our water because wastewater treatment plants can't always full remove them

You can search for take-back box or event locations on the Drug Enforcement Agency's website. Check what each location accepts-it can vary! Coon Creek Watershed District has information on take-back sites & events in our District.



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