



70 % of teens who abuse prescription drugs get them from friends & family.

## Be Aware. Don't Share. A PHARMACEUTICAL TAKE-BACK EVENT Saturday, May 19, 2012

## 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

## **Manhasset Park District Commuter Lot**

(across from Manhasset High School)

Join your community and clean out your medicine cabinet of any prescription or over-the counter drugs that may be expired, unused or unwanted. Discard these items in an environmentally safe manner while protecting your kids!

Instructions:

- Keep all medications in their original containers
- Block out the name for anonymity --- Do not cross out medication information
- Illegal drugs may also be dropped off anonymously

ACCEPTED	NOT ACCEPTED
Prescription medications (controlled & uncontrolled)	Sharps (e.g. needles and Syringes)
All over-the-counter medications	IV bags
Medication samples	Bloody or infectious waste
Pet Medications	Pharmaceutical waste not generated by households (e.g., clinics, pharmacies, hospitals, doctors, etc.)
Vitamins & Supplements	Radioactive pharmaceuticals
Medicated ointments, lotions, creams & oils	Vaccines
Inhalers	
Liquid Medication	

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Homeopathic Remedies	
Suppositories	

## **Protect Your Children Protect Our Environment**

For more information about how to dispose of pharmaceuticals safely call 311 or go to www.northhempsteadny.gov

