

Public Works Department: Recycling Center

Jon A. Reisenbuechler, Operations Manager

jonreisenbuechler@co.manitowoc.wi.us

PO Box 351 • 3000 Basswood Road • Manitowoc WI 54221-0351 Phone: 920.683.4333 • Fax: 920.683.5030

For Immediate Release

Date: 04/09/2018

Media Contact:

Jon Reisenbuechler 683-5031 jonreisenbuechler@co.manitowoc.wi.us

Manitowoc County Drug Disposal - Spring Event

Do you have old medications that you need to dispose of? If so, do your part to keep our communities safe and clean by participating in this Manitowoc County Drug Disposal Program. Residents may bring unwanted drugs and medications to this program free of charge. This collection is being offered as part of the Healthy Kids Day at the YMCA on April 21st from 9am to Noon.

April 21, 2018

9am - Noon Healthy Kids Day YMCA 205 Maritime Drive Manitowoc, WI

Acceptable Items:

- -Prescription Medications
- -Over the Counter Drugs
- -Veterinary Medications
- -Controlled Substances
- -Supplements

YES





Guidelines:

- Place pills in a "ziplock" style bag that is quart size or less. Liquids, cremes, powders, and medical inhalers can stay in their original container with caps tightened.
- Pill bottles and boxes are NOT accepted. Cross out your personal information and dispose or recycle them at home.
- Needles, sharps, lancets, mercury devices, chemical waste, electronic glucose monitors, non-medical inhalers, and personal care products like cosmetics and shampoo will NOT be accepted.
- Do NOT bring medications to drug disposal events before or after the listed times.
- If you cannot make the event then bring your unwanted medications to a Drug Drop Box located at the Manitowoc County Sheriff's Office, City of Manitowoc Police Department or City of Two Rivers Police Department. Make sure to follow these guidelines.
- Households only. Businesses should call 920-683-4333 for disposal information.
- Practice safe storage by keeping your medications in a secured location.
- Practice reduction by consulting with your physician about your medication needs.

For information on this or other programs call the Recycling Center at 920-683-4333 or vis Manitowoccounty.com/recyclingcenter						