



# Medication Disposal Program



**We ask residents to follow these procedures when disposing of medications:**

## **Non-Controlled or Over the Counter Medication Disposal**

Bring to the Household Hazardous Waste Facility located at 225 W. 2<sup>nd</sup> Street in Winona. Open hours are Monday-Friday from 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Common examples include: high blood pressure, cholesterol, antibiotics, heart & diabetic medications, blood thinners, aspirin/ibuprofen, skin ointments, cold & allergy, eye drops. **Vitamins/Supplements are trash.**

- Please leave medications in the original container.
- Blacken or scratch out names and other personal information.
- Drug name **must** be left intact.
- Do not mix or remove drugs from their original container—unidentified medications cannot be accepted.



## **Controlled Substance Disposal**

DEA strongly encourages all controlled substances be taken directly to the drop box located in the lobby of the Law Enforcement Center at 201 W. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street in Winona prior to bringing any non-controlled or over the counter medications to our facility.

Common examples of DEA controlled substances include: Ambien, Codeine (including cough syrups), Tramadol, Oxycontin, Oxycodone, Fentanyl (usually patches), Lorazepam, Diazepam, Zolpidem, Clonopin, Clonazepam, Morphine, Percocet, Vicodin, Xanax, Adderall, Lunesta or their generic versions.

For a complete list of DEA controlled substances, refer to the link in the Household Hazardous Waste section of our webpage.

If you are unsure whether you have a controlled substance, bring all medications to the Household Hazardous Waste facility and staff will assist you in identification.

Questions?? Please contact Kim Nelson at 507.457.6462 or Ross Dunsmoor at 507.457.6402 or visit our website at [www.co.winona.mn.us](http://www.co.winona.mn.us)