



## Hawaii Medication Take Back Program

Hawaii residents can bring their unused or expired medication for safe, anonymous disposal.

For more information on the next scheduled Hawaii Medication Take Back Program:

**Call (808) 837-8470**

### Why Should We Care?

- Prescription drug abuse rates in the U.S. are high. Approximately 6.8 million Americans abuse prescription drugs rather than abusing heroin, LSD, and inhalants.
- Most prescription drug abusers get pills from family and friends.
- Hawaii is 1 of 29 states where drug overdose deaths exceeded vehicle accident deaths.

### State of Hawaii

#### Prescription Drug Disposal Law:

- Hawaii pharmacies, hospitals, clinics, physicians are **not allowed** to take back your unused medications.
- You can turn in your unused or expired medication at a Hawaii Medication Take Back Program.



# KUPUNA ALERT PARTNERS

Kupuna Alert Partners (KAP) is a multi-agency partnership that offers presentations and information to the community on:

- Medicare Fraud
- Prescription Drug Misuse
- Securities Fraud
- Top 5 Scams in Hawaii

FREE presentations statewide upon request.

For more information, please contact:  
Department of the Attorney General **(808) 586-1487**  
Executive Office on Aging **(808) 586-7281**



**Department of the Attorney General**  
**Crime Prevention & Justice Assistance Division**  
**Community & Crime Prevention Branch**

The Community and Crime Prevention Branch provides information and conducts presentations and trainings on Identity theft, Frauds and Scams, Internet Safety, Alcohol and Substance Abuse Prevention, Community Mobilization and more.

To request an informational exhibit or to schedule a presentation:

Call us at **(808) 586-1487**  
 Visit us online at **ag.hawaii.gov/cpja/ccp/**



**Department of Commerce & Consumer Affairs**  
**Office of the Securities Commissioner**

The Investor Education Program conducts statewide outreach, providing investor protection information and presentations on topics such as Ponzi Schemes, Affinity Fraud, How to Spot a Con Artist, Predatory Tactics, and more.

For free investor education materials, to request an informational exhibit, or to schedule a presentation:

Call us at **(808) 587-7400**  
 Visit us online at **investing.hawaii.gov**  
 Follow us on social media at    **/HISecurities**



**Department of Health**  
**Executive Office on Aging**  
**Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP Hawaii)**

The Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP Hawaii) protects seniors, family members, caregivers, and the Medicare program from Medicare scams, fraud, and billing errors through free presentations, counseling, and community education.

For educational material, request an informational exhibit, or schedule a presentation:

Call us at **(808) 586-7281**  
 Call us Toll Free at **1-800-296-9422**  
 Visit us online at **smphawaii.org**



**Department of Public Safety**  
**Narcotics Enforcement Division**

The Narcotics Enforcement Division (NED) is a statewide law enforcement agency that serves and protects the public by enforcing State laws pertaining to controlled substances and regulated chemicals. NED participates in the following programs; Hawaii Medication Take Back Program, DEA National Take Back Initiative, "iChooseMe" drug awareness education, college internship programs, and more.

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