

Walmart Pharmacy & DisposeRx™

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A Novel Partnership

“The health and safety of our patients is a critical priority; that’s why we’re taking an active role in fighting our nation’s opioid issue – an issue that has affected so many families and communities across America.”

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Why Does Proper Opioid Disposal Matter?

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Protecting Family and Friends



2/3 of teens who report prescription abuse get the medicines from friends, family and acquaintances.

1 in 4 teens has misused or abused a prescription drug at least once in their lifetime.¹

825 children died and 116,000 were treated in the ER for drug poisoning in 2009.²

Preserving Health



Expired drugs aren't just ineffective, they can also be harmful to take.

Defending the Environment



Most waste-water treatment facilities can't filter out many drugs.³

¹ Partnership for Drug-Free Kids, <https://drugfree.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/07/PATS-2013-FULL-REPORT.pdf>

² Partnership for Drug-Free Kids, <https://drugfree.org/download/safe-drug-disposal/>

³ The Scientist, <https://www.the-scientist.com/?articles.view/articleNo/43615/title/Drugging-the-Environment>



DisposeRx™



01 Open vial



02 Add warm tap water until vial is 2/3 full



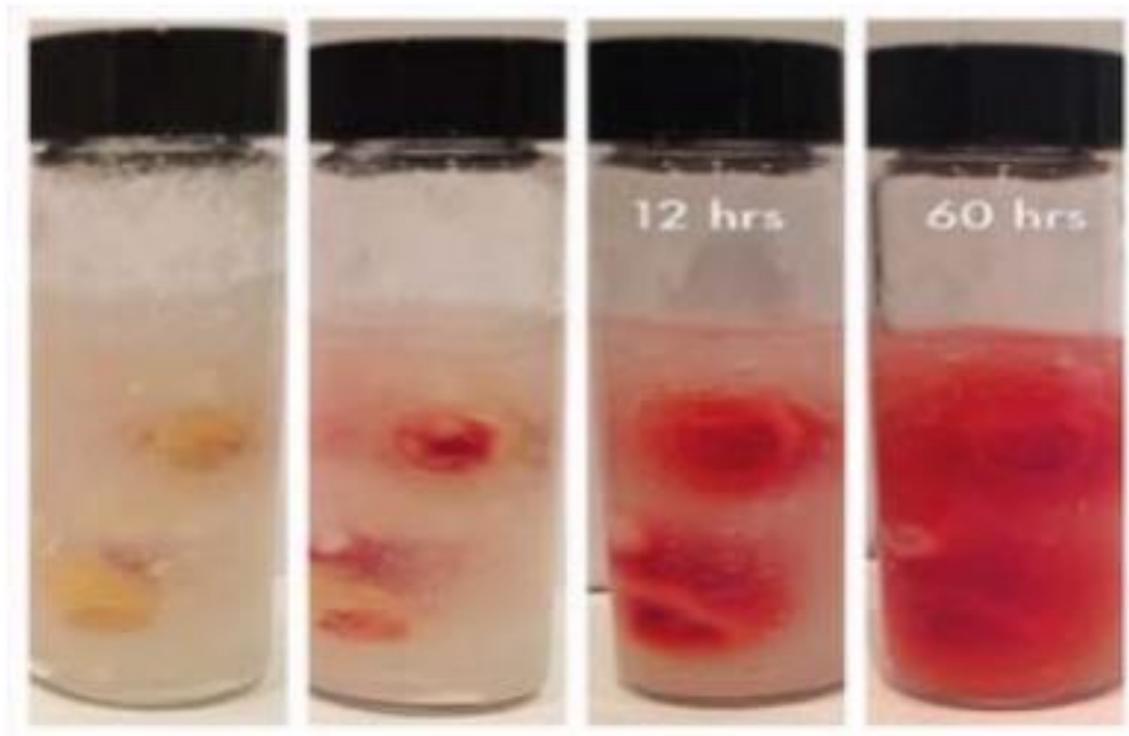
03 Add DisposeRX Powder & shake for ~30 seconds, contents solidifies in <10 min.

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DisposeRx formulated its products to be compliant with evolving recommended governmental standards including DEA guidelines. According to the DEA (Dec. 21, 2012, 21 CFR Subpart C, 1317.90): The method of destruction shall be consistent with the purpose of rendering all controlled substances to a non-retrievable state in order to prevent diversion of any such substance to illicit purposes and to protect the public health and safety. DisposeRx complies with this DEA guideline.

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A Proactive Approach



- * Patients filling a new opioid prescription will receive a free DisposeRx™ packet and an opioid safety information brochure.
- * Patients with chronic opioid prescriptions will be offered a DisposeRx™ packet every 6 months.
- * Customers can request a free DisposeRx™ packet from Walmart Pharmacies

A Novel Solution

“While this issue requires many resources to solve, we are confident this unique, easy-to-use disposal solution, DisposeRx™, will make a meaningful impact on the lives of many. Walmart is incredibly proud to fund this initiative that provides our patients with an opioid disposal solution they can access nationwide, at no cost.”

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