

Press Release

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Fall Medication Drop Off Scheduled for November 2012

The La Crosse County Prevention Network has scheduled the fall Medication Drop Off for November 3rd. The Medication Drop Off program was initiated in 2010 as a response to the rising problem of prescription drug abuse and has been very successful collecting well over 2000 pounds of prescription and over-the-counter medications since its inception.

Sgt. Jasson Jobe of the Onalaska Police Department has been working with the La Crosse County Prevention Network coordinating the drop off events since 2010

"This program has been hugely successful," said Sgt. Jobe, "we've had great turnouts at every scheduled drop off. The volunteers do an outstanding job making the collection smooth and seamless."

La Crosse County residents wishing to drop off prescriptions or over-the-counter medicines have a choice of four locations on November 3rd, Onalaska Police Department at 415 Main St, Viterbo Fine Arts Parking lot at 929 Jackson St in La Crosse, La Crosse County HHM at 6500 State Road 16 in La Crosse and CESA 4 in West Salem at 923 Garland St SE. The West Salem location was added this year.

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Medicines may be dropped off between the hours of 9am and 12pm.