



# Attorney General Doug Peterson

# News Release

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On Saturday, April 30th, the Omaha Division of the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), the Nebraska State Patrol and the Nebraska Attorney General's Office will host National Prescription Drug Take Back Day in Lincoln to reduce the amount of prescription-controlled drugs available for misuse.

There will be two sites available for safe, convenient, and anonymous disposal:

### **Nebraska State Capitol**

1445 K Street, Lincoln, NE 68508  
12-2 p.m.  
Curbside on the north side of the building  
Hosting: DEA & Attorney General's Office

### **Hy-Vee**

5010 O Street, Lincoln, NE 68510  
10-2 p.m.  
Hosting: DEA & Nebraska State Patrol

The DEA successfully hosts National Prescription Take Back day twice every year. This April marks the 22<sup>nd</sup> National Take Back Day. Last year, the DEA successfully collected and disposed of over four thousand pounds of medication in Nebraska, details are available on their [website](#). If you miss this DEA National Prescription Take Back Day, many pharmacies will take unused medications year round. To find a disposal location near you, visit: <https://www.nebraskameds.org>

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