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Inland Empire Utilities Agency Supports National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day

Inland Empire, California – On Saturday, April 26 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. facilities throughout the community will open their doors to receive unwanted or unused prescription medication during National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day. The event allows community members a venue to safely dispose of expired, unused, and unwanted prescription drugs. Only pills or patches will be accepted. The service is free and anonymous.

Following is a list of drop-off locations in the Inland Empire:

- CVS Pharmacies (Check locations)
- City of Chino Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
5050 Schaefer Avenue, Chino 91710
- San Bernardino County Sheriff – Chino Hills Police
14077 Peyton Drive, Chino Hills 91709
- City of Ontario Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
1430 S. Cucamonga Avenue, Ontario 91761
- City of Upland Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
1370 N. Benson Avenue, Upland 91786
- City of Fontana Household Hazardous Waste
16454 Orange Way, Fontana 92335
- City of Rancho Cucamonga Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
8794 Lion Street, Rancho Cucamonga 91730
- Kaiser Permanente Medical Center
2295 South Vineyard Avenue, Ontario 91761

For more information on available locations, please visit http://www.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/drug_disposal/takeback/

The Inland Empire Utilities Agency supports the “No Drugs Down the Drain” campaign. The campaign informs California residents about the problems associated with flushing unused, unwanted, and expired medications down the toilet or drain. The program provides safe and proper disposal choices. Safely disposing of unused medications helps protect the environment and water supply. To learn more about safely disposing of prescription medication, please visit <http://www.nodrugdownthedrain.org/index.html> or www.ieua.org.

The Inland Empire Utilities Agency covers 242-square miles, distributes imported water, provides industrial/municipal wastewater collection and treatment services, and other related utility services to more than 850,000 people. The Agency’s service area includes the Cities of Chino, Chino Hills, Fontana, Montclair, Ontario and Upland, as well as the Cucamonga Valley Water District, Monte Vista Water District, and Fontana Water Company.

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