## Drug Disposal Guideline

- Remove the drugs from their original containers and mix them with something undesirable, such as used coffee grounds, dirt, or cat litter. This makes the medicine less appealing to children and pets and unrecognizable to someone who might intentionally go through the trash
- looking for drugs.

  2. Put the mixture in something you can close (a resealable zipper storage bag, empty can, or other container) to prevent the drug from leaking or spilling out.
- 3. Throw the container in the garbage.
- Scratch out all your personal information on the empty medicine packaging to protect your identity and privacy.
- 5. Throw the packaging away.

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