

Benchmarks for Unused & Expired Medicines Project

- 2002 Maine Benzodiazepine Study Group
- 2003 LD1826, state legislation of Maine, an enabling house bill to support drug take-back programs
- 2005 Creation of the National Unused & Expired Medicines Registry
- 2006 LD411, state legislation of Maine to secure funds to develop and implement drug take-back programs;
Get Rid of Unused Pharmaceuticals (GROUP) Campaign with Manual of Procedures
- 2007 The Athens Declaration
First U.S. federal guidelines for consumer drug disposal
Annual survey of drug take-back program in the U.S.
- 2008 The National Directory of Drug Take-Back and Disposal Programs, First Edition
- 2009 The Istanbul Declaration; second U.S. federal guidelines for consumer drug disposal; Northport Declaration
- 2010 First annual national drug take-back event sponsored by U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration
The Secure and Responsible Drug Disposal Act
- 2011 HB2056, state legislation of Illinois to fund drug take-back program with an additional fee for drug offenses
HB3090, state legislation of Illinois to permit authorized dispensers of prescription medicines to receive those unwanted medicines
The National Directory of Drug Take-Back and Disposal Programs, Second Edition