



POSTER CONTEST

Sponsored by *Safe Communities Coalition of Hunterdon/Somerset*
in collaboration with the *Somerset County Sheriff's Office* and *EmPoWER Somerset*

WHERE TO SAFELY DISPOSE OF UNUSED RX MEDICATIONS IN SOMERSET COUNTY

Rx drug abuse is prevalent in Somerset county. Most people who abuse Rx drugs get them from friends or family or someone's medicine cabinet. Safe disposal can prevent Rx drug abuse.



Contest Rules: Submit an artistic and informative poster by May 29, 2013. Poster must educate Somerset County residents about the need to safely dispose of expired/unused Rx medications and the location of Rx "drop-boxes" in Somerset County. *Include your name, name of your school, grade level, email address and phone # with your poster submission.*

This contest is for all Somerset County high school students, grades 9-12.

Hand-made posters must be 11" x 17" in size and should be mailed to: Bruce Yellin, Program Coordinator, Safe Communities Coalition, Raritan Valley Community College, P.O. Box 3300, Somerville, NJ 08876.

Computer-generated posters must be in PDF format and should be emailed to: Bruce Yellin at byellin@raritanval.edu.

Submissions will be judged by a review committee comprised of members of the Safe Communities Coalition of Hunterdon/Somerset. By entering this contest, you agree to allow the Safe Communities Coalition to distribute and display your poster at various venues in Somerset County and the poster becomes the sole property of the Coalition. The reviewers may disqualify any submission if the content is inappropriate for a public audience. The winner, as well as his/her school principal, will be notified by Friday, June 14th and the gift card will then be mailed to the student. The winners will be announced through a press release.

Prizes: Two \$100 gift certificates will be awarded as prizes for the top 2 posters!

Poster submissions must include:

- Brief information/statement about why the safe disposal of Rx medications is important
- **Please leave space on poster for inclusion of Safe Communities Coalition logo and picture of Rx medication drop-box (see images above) (The Coalition will insert the above images, on submitted poster, where indicated)**
- The three locations that must be listed on the poster are:
 - Somerset County Administration Building, 20 Grove Street, Somerville, NJ 08876, (908) 526-2500
 - Hillsborough Police Department, 379 South Branch Road, Hillsborough, NJ 08844, (908) 369-4323
 - Bernards Township Police Department, 1 Collyer Lane, Basking Ridge, NJ 07920, (908) 766-1122
- Link to the Safe Communities Coalition website for further information and location of additional drop-boxes

Posters must be received by May 29, 2013 and must meet all entry requirements to be entered into the competition.