

## **Afterschool Heals Tennessee**

Each year more than 60,000 young kids visit an emergency room because they got into medicines when parents or caregivers were not looking. In 2017, more Tennesseans died from drug overdoses than car crashes.

It is important for parents and caregivers to safely store and dispose prescription medications to prevent accidental consumption among young kids and avoid misuse by Tennesseans of all ages.

#### **Nearby Drop Off Locations for Unused Prescription Drugs**

(other locations may be found at <u>www.CountItLockItDropIt.org</u>)

Organization

Location

Days and Hours of Operation

### The Tennessee REDLINE

Need help finding free or state funded addiction treatment and recovery services in Tennessee?

The Tennessee REDLINE connects Tennessee residents with state funded, addiction treatment and recovery services.

# Call 1-800-889-9789

#### Sources:

- 1. Count It! Lock It! Drop It. <u>www.CountItLockItDropIt.org</u>.
- 2. Tennessee Association of Alcohol, Drugs, and other Addiction Services (TAADAS). www.taadas.org.
- 3. Tennessee Department of Health <u>https://www.tn.gov/health/news/2018/8/20/tennessee-deaths-from-drug-overdoses-increase-in-2017.html</u>
- 4. Up & Away is an initiative of PROTECT in partnership with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). <u>https://www.upandaway.org/</u>