



HC DrugFree: Keeping Howard County *in the KNOW!*
...knowledge is power, so just say KNOW

**Howard County Virtual Town Hall:
Meet Your Child's New Drug Dealer
TONIGHT at 7 p.m.**



Join HC DrugFree and the Howard County PTSA Collaborative Parent Education Group TONIGHT Monday, October 24 at 7 p.m. for a Virtual Town Hall for **parents, guardians and grandparents of middle and high school students** to discuss teen substance misuse in Howard County. Learn what drugs students are using, how they are getting them, and what we can do to prevent it. There will be a Q&A at the end of the presentation.

Registration closes at 6 p.m. on Monday, October 24. [Register here](#)

**Adult and Medically-Trained Volunteers Needed
for Saturday, October 29**



Our twice-a-year medication & sharps disposal event is quickly approaching

and **we are in need of volunteers!** Be part of our team on Saturday, October 29 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Volunteers start as early as 9:15 a.m.

Volunteer positions are flexible, so we have jobs ready for YOU. Can't stand too long? Bring a lawn chair! If you would lend us an hour (or four), we'd be so grateful.

[Adult Volunteers and Medically-Trained Volunteers - Register Here](#)

Students: Earn Community Service Hours!



We are in need of **Teen Volunteers** for our Medication & Sharps Disposal event coming up on Saturday, October 29 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Student volunteers can earn community service hours while making a difference in our community!

Register Now: [Student Volunteer Registration](#)

Free Gifts & More during our Medication & Sharps Disposal

Free Medication Lockbox Giveaway!

We are giving away 100 aluminum medication lockboxes (\$42 value) at our drive-thru [medication & sharps disposal event](#) on **Saturday October 29 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.** Come early to claim yours! Make sure your home is ready for holiday guests by safely storing all prescription and over-the-counter medication.



First come, first served. No holds. Limit 1 per vehicle.

Young children may mistake pills for candy, while older children and teens may incorrectly think that because it's "medicine" it can't be harmful. Older family members may have difficulty remembering if they have taken their medications and may unintentionally take too much. Help keep your family safe by locking prescription and over-the-counter medications in a lockbox.

Follow and Like Us

Join our social media community for more content and easy ways to share important and potentially life-saving information with your friends and network.

Remember: **Knowledge is Power** and together we can help keep our community informed, safe, and **In the KNOW**.

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Your Support Keeps Us Standing Together



Make your donation today to become a [Friend or Sponsor of HC DrugFree](#). We depend upon the generosity of individuals, organizations, and businesses to support our free services. Please make a gift of any size today.

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Additional Resources



Thoughts of Suicide?

Mental Health Crisis?

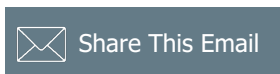
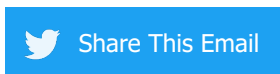
Substance Use Crisis?

**Call or Text
988**

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