

****Princeton Police Department Installs “Project Medicine Drop”
Box to Help Residents Dispose of Unused Medications, Prevent
Prescription Drug Abuse*****



Princeton – The Princeton Police Department in conjunction with Corner House and Princeton Alcohol and Drug Alliance today announced that it has joined the New Jersey Attorney General’s “Project Medicine Drop” initiative, and has installed a Project Medicine Drop box at police headquarters.

Today’s announcement makes it easier and more convenient than ever for Princeton residents to take an active role in the fight against the nationwide epidemic of opiate and heroin abuse, which often is fueled by the abuse of prescription painkillers.

The department’s new Project Medicine Drop Box is located at Princeton Police Headquarters, 1 Valley Road. Residents may visit the Police Department at any time, 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year, to dispose of their unused or excess medications. The police department will also be engaged in off-site events where a mobile disposal unit will be brought to those who are unable to travel.