

# YOU CAN HELP PREVENT PRESCRIPTION DRUG MISUSE

by keeping your medications safe!

**89%** of Missouri college students **did not misuse prescription drugs**  
in the past year.



## HOW TO KEEP YOUR MEDS SAFE

### Use as Directed

Taking a higher or more frequent dose than prescribed can be dangerous. If you have concerns about your prescription, talk to your doctor.

### Keep Medications on the down-low

Don't be ashamed of using medications, but keeping your medication on the down low can prevent theft and pressure to share.

### Store out of Sight

Store your medications in a locked box or cabinet. You can get a **FREE** medication locking cap by ordering from [rx.missouri.edu](http://rx.missouri.edu) under "Med Safety"

### Don't Share with Anyone

Medications prescribed to you are for you alone and can have very dangerous effects on those you share with! It is also illegal to share your medications with others.

### Properly Dispose

Take old and unused medications to your local drop-box or take-back event. You can also receive a **FREE** supply of medication disposal bags and find more information about local resources at [rx.missouri.edu](http://rx.missouri.edu) under "Resources"

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