The Bristol Tennessee Police Department is asking you to dispose of unused or outdated prescription medications responsibly.

The City of Bristol Tennessee citizens will have a permanent way to drop off unwanted prescription medications. The Bristol Tennessee Police Department in cooperation with Sullivan County Anti-Drug Coalition has installed a “Drug Take Back Box” for unused or outdated Medications. The Bristol Tennessee Police hosts several drug take back events each year, but wanted a way the public could dispose of medications on a daily basis. The box will be located in the lobby of the Police Department at 801 Anderson Street, Bristol, Tennessee. Citizens just have to dispose of the medication in the secure box. All the medication will then be incinerated. The hope is to provide a safe, environment friendly location to dispose these unused or outdated medications. Needles or sharp objects should not be deposited. Liquids should be tightly capped and put in a zip-lock bag and labels should be removed or names should be blacked out with a marker. For more information contact Captain Matt Austin or Lt. James at 423-989-5600.