



COMPASS MARK

SCIENCE-BASED ADDICTION PREVENTION

SAFELY DISPOSE OF UNUSED & EXPIRED MEDICATION FROM YOUR HOME

Compass Mark invites you to participate in our new initiative to get Deterra bags out into the Chester County community. Deterra bags provide a safe, convenient, and permanent disposal of unused, expired, or unwanted medications at home. Compass Mark is offering this easy to use product as a free resource to community organizations.

HOW IT WORKS

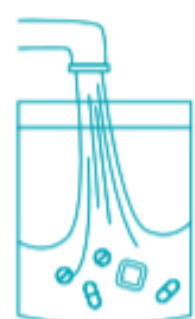
Deterra® is a simple and safe medication disposal system that can be used at home or in a clinical setting. It protects our environment and prevents drug abuse by immediately and permanently deactivating and disposing of unneeded pills, patches, liquids, creams and films.¹

The patented three-step Deterra Drug Deactivation System is powered by proprietary organic activated carbon to render drugs inert and safe for disposal in the household trash.



1

Tear open pouch – do not remove inner pod(s). Place unused medications inside.



2

Fill pouch halfway with warm water and wait 30 seconds for air to release. Some foaming may occur.



3

Seal pouch tightly, gently shake and dispose of in normal trash.

¹To deactivate and dispose of transdermal patches, attach sticky side of the patch to a facial tissue and insert into Deterra pouch.

SAFELY DESTROY DRUGS - NOT THE ENVIRONMENT.

Deterra® is the only independently tested, safe and environmentally sound solution to permanently destroy prescription and over the counter medication from the comfort of home.

Why is safe drug disposal important?

- Opioid abuse is a national epidemic
- Destroying medications with Deterra ensures they won't be stolen, abused or misused
- Proper disposal keeps children, pets and others safe from accidentally ingesting unused or expired drugs
- By deactivating drugs, Deterra ensures dangerous medications won't contaminate our ecosystem

Deterra is:

- Proven to permanently destroy active ingredients, so they can't be accidentally ingested, stolen, abused or leaked into our ecosystem
- Made from environmentally sound, non-toxic materials
- Prevents misuse, abuse, accidental ingestion and environmental harm
- Convenient and can be thrown in the normal household trash



Learn more at [DeterraSystem.com](https://www.DeterraSystem.com)

Please contact Laura Wiechecki at lwiechecki@compassmark.org to request Deterra bags or find out more information

Compass Mark's mission is to prevent addiction through education, skill-building, and community mobilization. To learn more about Compass Mark's services, please visit our website at www.compassmark.org