

# Campus Safety: Safe Medication Storage



Young adults entering college face many pressures as they are adjusting to new shared living situations, many with young adults that they may not know. Providing them with practical tools to limit risks in this new environment, including the risk of other students accessing their medications, is an important priority in orientation and other student life programs.

Despite the risks of medication misuse for focus, sleep, anxiety, depression, or even recreational purposes, **ONLY 8%** of college and university students practice safe storage of medications.

Ohio State University's College Prescription Drug Study further reported

**3.1M** students misused  
stimulants

**1.9M** students misused  
sedatives

**1.8M** students misused  
painkillers

## Safe Rx Locking Pill Bottles

(Grant Funding Eligible)

- Limit medication misuse on/off campus
- Personal safety for students
- Teaches students positive behaviors and habits surrounding medication use and storage
- Deterrent for self-harm ("Pause for Thought")
- Customizable 4-digit combinations
- Cost efficient for practical giveaways (\$3.60 or less per bottle)
- Optional custom label with health department information, emergency services and crisis hotline
- Potential to limit diversion



ADHD



Anxiety



Depression



Pain

### Encoding Kit Option

encoding device to set custom codes



### Retail Product Option

Fixed, pre-set 4-digit code



Safe Rx locking pill bottles were purchased to provide students with an option to lock their medication as a way of means restriction surrounding suicide and as a way to increase safe storage practices. Students have enjoyed this product as they can create their own code which can be filed with Safe Rx in case the code is forgotten while being stored safely.

- Jessie Mineer, Health & Wellness Coordinator, S. Utah University

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