

STORAGE OF ADULTERATED DRUGS

Rule 4729-9-17 [Update Effective 01/01/2009]

To prevent their use, adulterated drugs shall be stored in a separate and secure area apart from the storage of drugs used for dispensing and administration.

- (A) Adulterated drugs shall be stored no longer than one year from the date of adulteration or expiration by those holding a terminal distributor of dangerous drugs license or two years by those holding a wholesale distributor of dangerous drugs license only.
- (B) Drugs, other than controlled substances, may be destroyed utilizing proper methods of disposal and following the record keeping requirements noted in rule 4729-9-22 of the Administrative Code, or may be donated to a pharmacy school pursuant to sections 3715.88 to 3715.92 of the Revised Code.
- (C) Drugs that are controlled substances may be disposed of pursuant to rule 4729-9-06 of the Administrative Code.
- (D) Methods of disposal shall prevent the possession of the drugs by unauthorized persons.

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