

LOCKING PRESCRIPTION BOTTLE

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What is a locking prescription bottle?

A locking prescription bottle is a medication container with a built-in combination lock or other locking mechanism designed to prevent unwanted access to medications

Why should I use a locking prescription bottle?

- Prevent accidental ingestion by children.
- Reduce the risk of medication misuse or theft.
- Improve medication safety in homes with multiple people.
- Protect medications with abuse potential, such as opioids, stimulants, or sedatives.

Who should consider using a locking prescription bottle?

- Households with children or vulnerable individuals.
- Individuals taking controlled substances.
- Caregivers responsible for another person's medications.
- Households with visitors or multiple generations within the home.

How do I open the bottle?

Most locking bottles require a combination code or special unlocking method. Follow the manufacturer's instructions included with the bottle.

What if I forget my combination?

Refer to the instructions provided with your bottle. Some bottles can be reset, while others may require assistance from the pharmacy or manufacturer.

Are locking prescription bottles childproof?

Locking bottles provide an additional layer of security, but no product is completely childproof. Always keep medications in a secure location.

Where should I store my locked medication bottle?

- In a cool, dry place unless otherwise directed.
- Away from direct sunlight and moisture.
- Out of sight and reach of children and pets.

What should I do with unused or expired medications?

Do not keep unused medications. Safely dispose of them through:

- Community medication take-back events.
- Authorized medication drop boxes.
- Local law enforcement or pharmacy disposal programs.

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