

Addressing Complex Problems as a Community

Takeback Survey Results

**Youth Advisory Committee
2018**



Grundy County Rx Drug Takeback Bin Locations

Grundy County Coroner's Office

1320 Union St., Morris

Coal City Pharmacy,

175 S. Broadway, Coal City

Coal City Police Dept.

5455 S. Broadway, Coal City

Morris Police Dept.

200 East Chapin St., Morris

Minooka Police Dept.

121 East McEvilly Road, Minooka

Channahon Police Dept.

24555 S. Navajo Drive,

Channahon



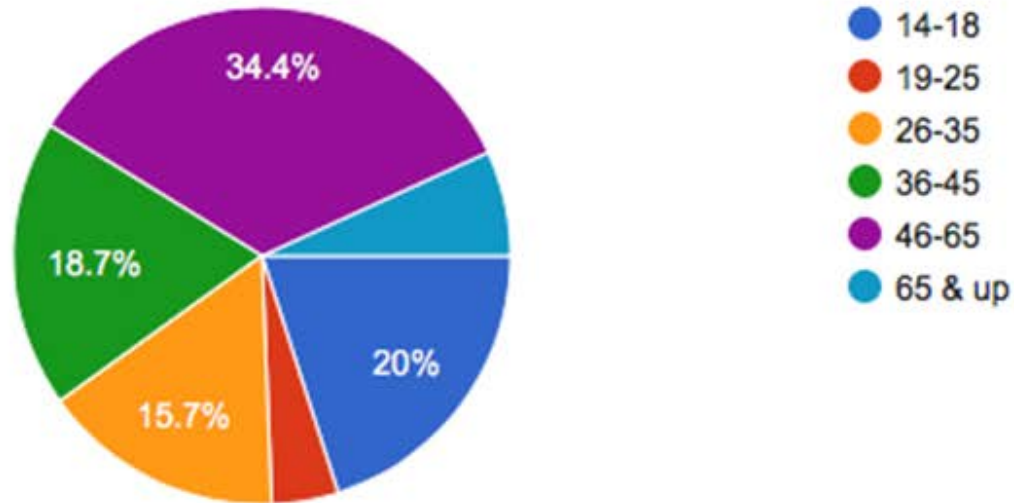
Grundy County Takeback Survey

- Ran from December 14, 2017, to January 31, 2018
- Online Google Survey with link circulated widely by students and community members
- 439 people responded
- Part of the purpose of the survey was to increase awareness of Grundy County Takeback Bins

Who took the survey?

What is your age range?

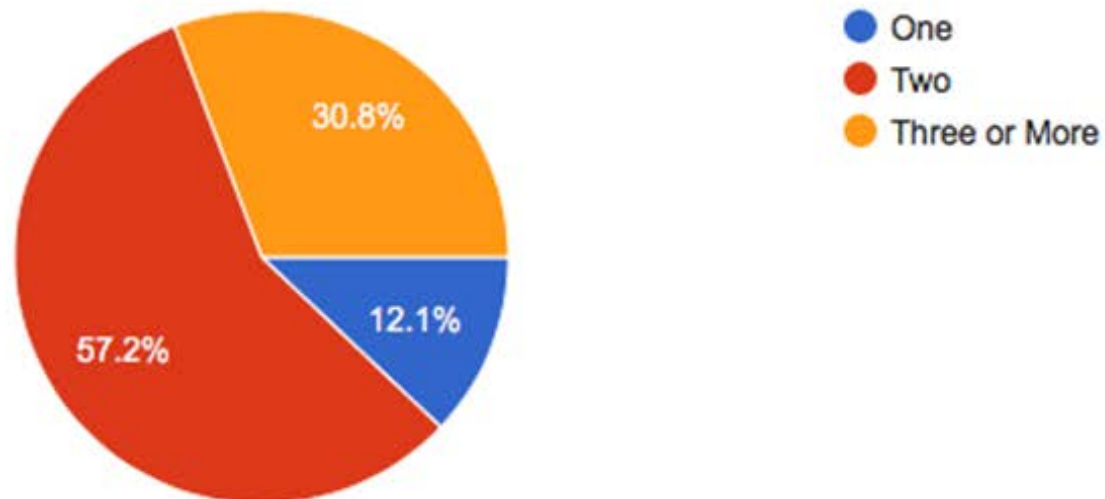
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Who took the survey?

How many adults, including yourself, (18 & up) live in your household?

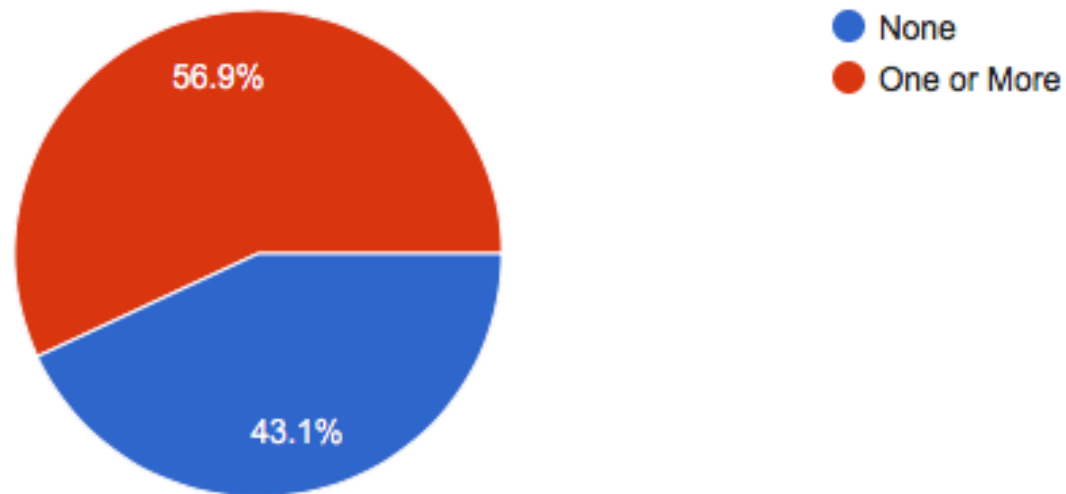
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Who took the survey?

How many children below the age of 18, including yourself, live in your household?

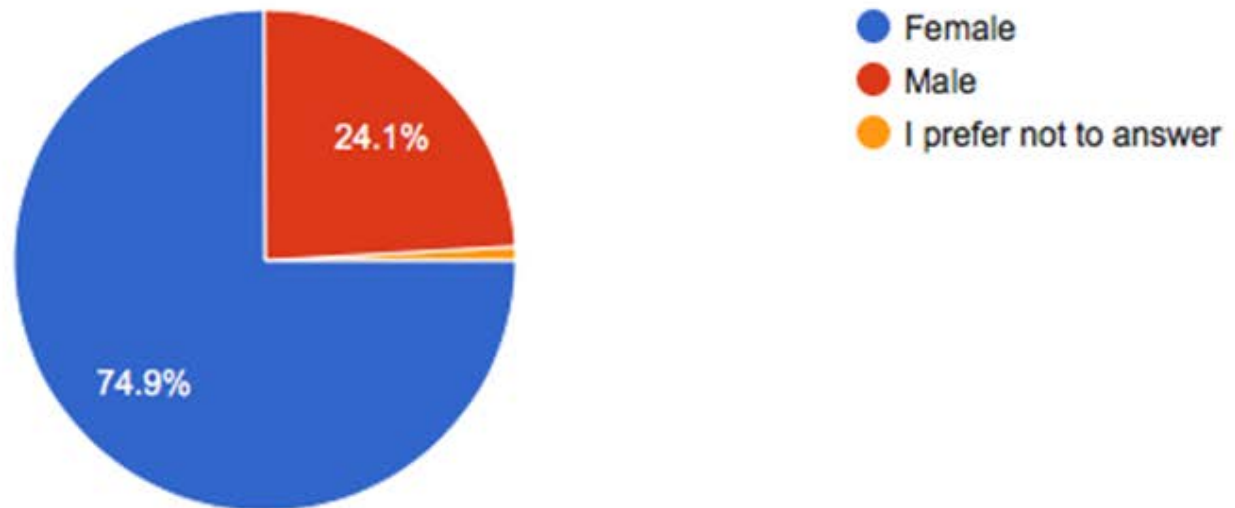
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Who took the survey?

What is your gender?

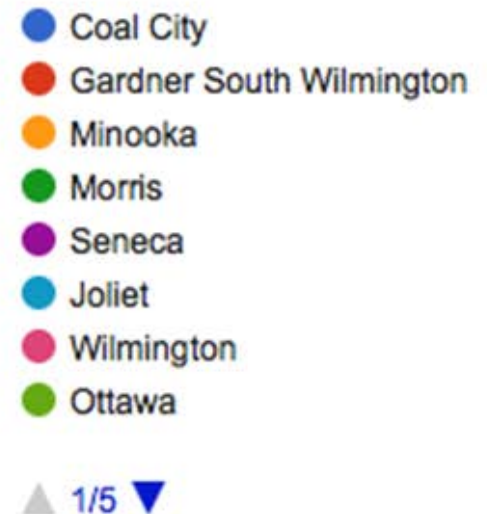
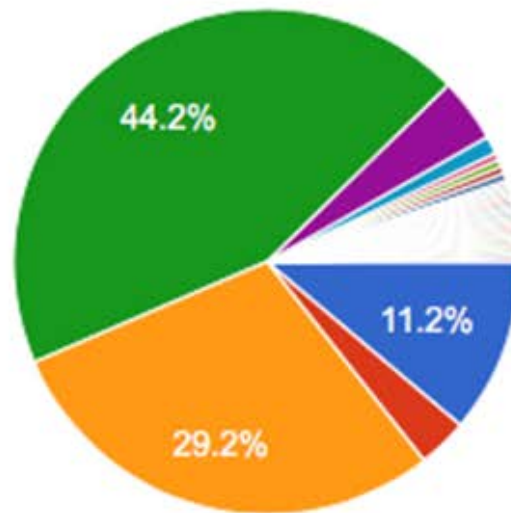
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Who took the survey?

What high school district do you live in?

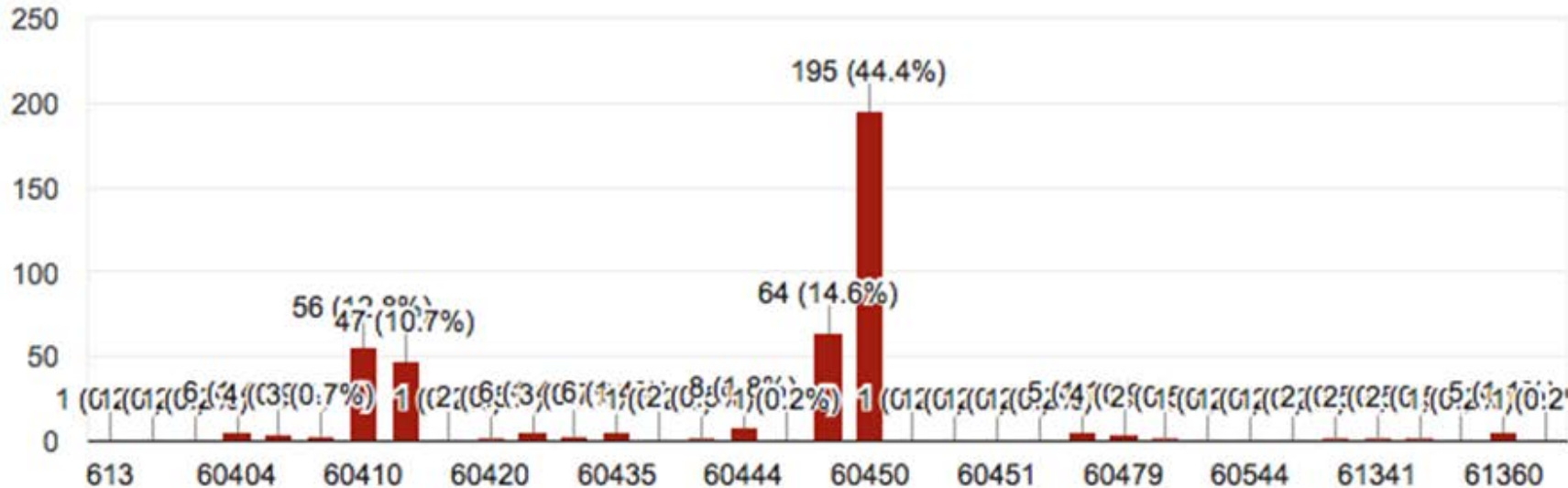
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Who took the survey?

What zip code do you live in?

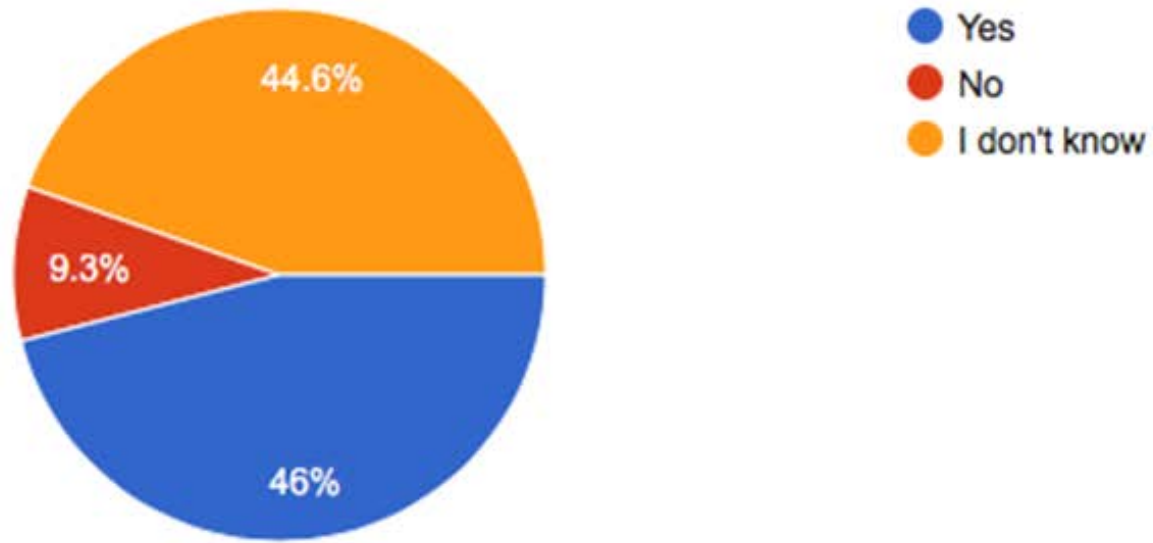
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Perception of Rx Medication Misuse

Is prescription medication misuse a problem in your community?

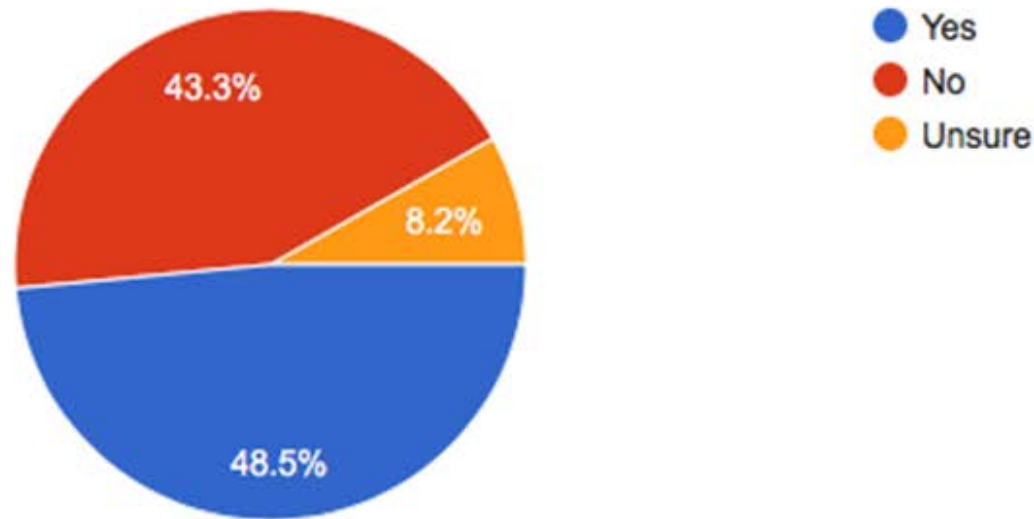
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Extent of Unneeded Rx Medication

Do you currently have prescription medications that you no longer need/use, are expired or unwanted in your home?

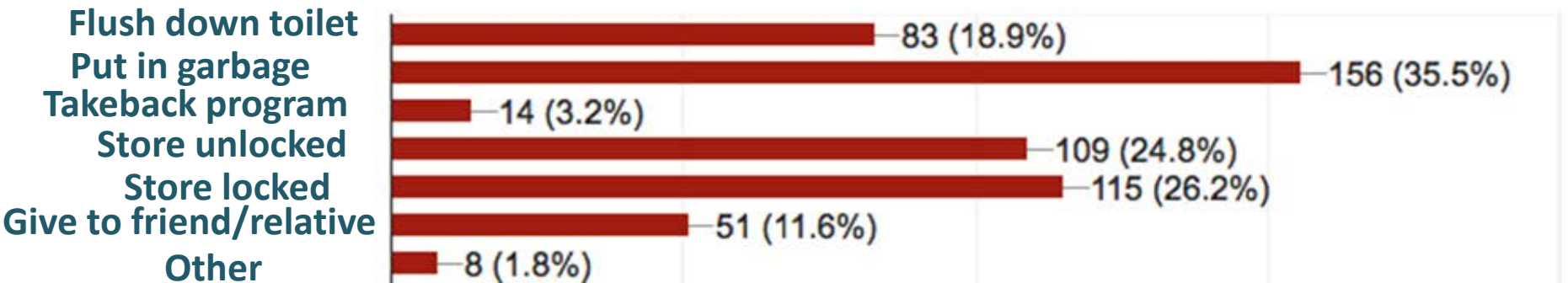
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Current Disposal Methods

How do you currently dispose of your unused, expired, or unwanted prescription medications? Please choose all that apply.

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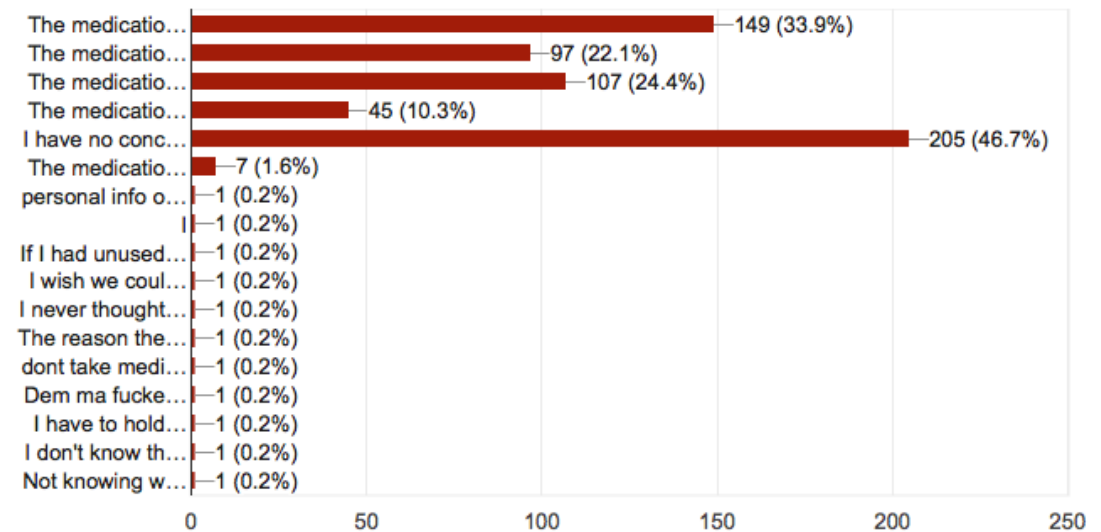


Top Concerns about Current Disposal

1. No concerns (46.7%)
2. Contaminate water supply/environment (33.9%)
3. Ingested by children (24.4%)
4. Taken from garbage by someone not prescribed to (10.3%)
5. Meds will be stolen (1.6%)

What are your top 2 concerns regarding your current method of disposal of prescription medications? Please choose no more than 2.

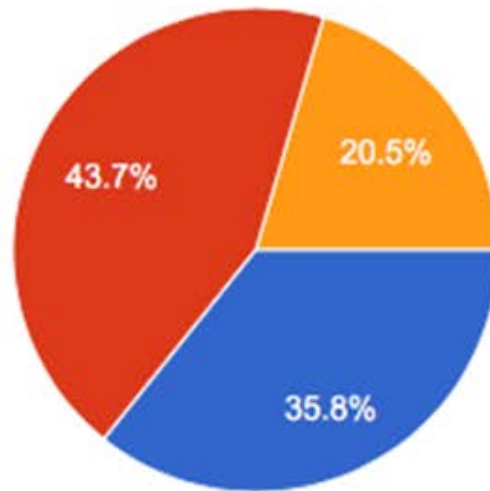
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Awareness of Takeback Locations

Are you aware of the prescription medication take back locations in Grundy County maintained by the Coroner's Office?

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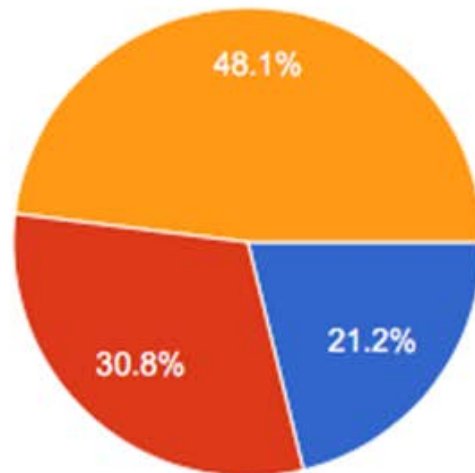


- Yes I am aware of this program
- No I am not aware of this program
- No, but I would like to hear more about it

Use of Takeback Locations

Have you used any of the prescription medication take back programs in Grundy County?

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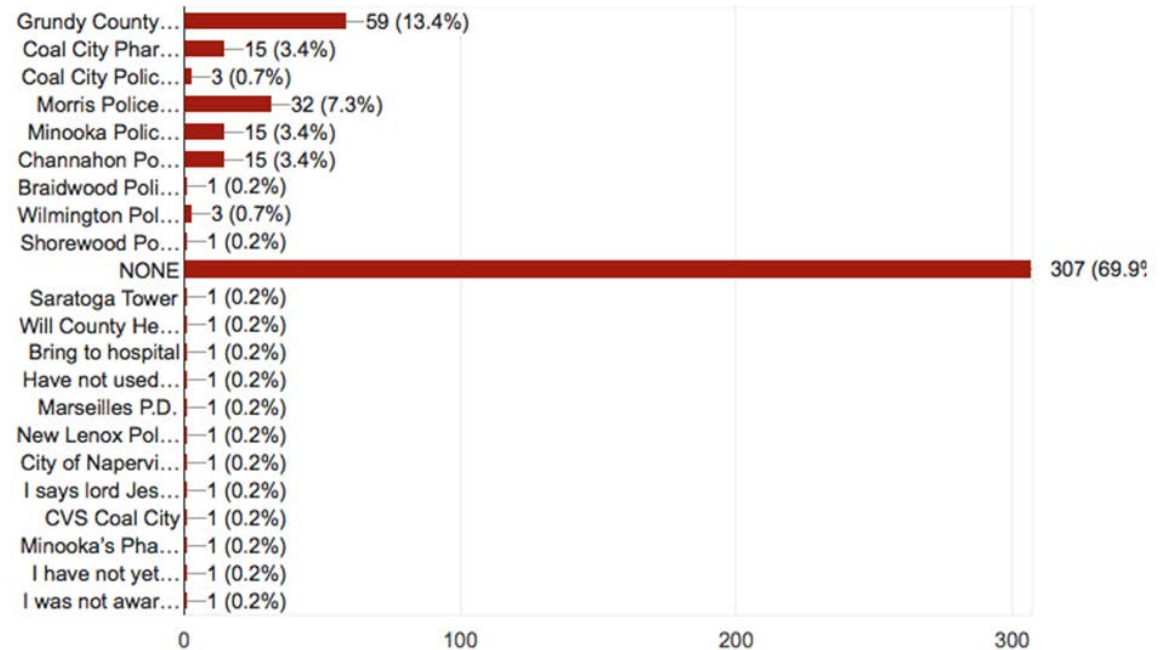
- Yes, I have used one or more of the Grundy County bins to dispose of medications
- No, I have not taken medications to Grundy County take-back locations before and I probably will not in the future
- No, but I will now

Use of Grundy Coroner Locations

1. Used no Grundy Takeback locations (69.9%)
2. Grundy Coroner, 1320 Union St., Morris (13.4%)
3. Morris Police Dept. (7.3%)
4. Minooka Police Dept. (3.4%)
5. Channahon Police Dept. (3.4%)

Which of the following locations have you used to safely dispose of unwanted medications? (Choose all that apply)

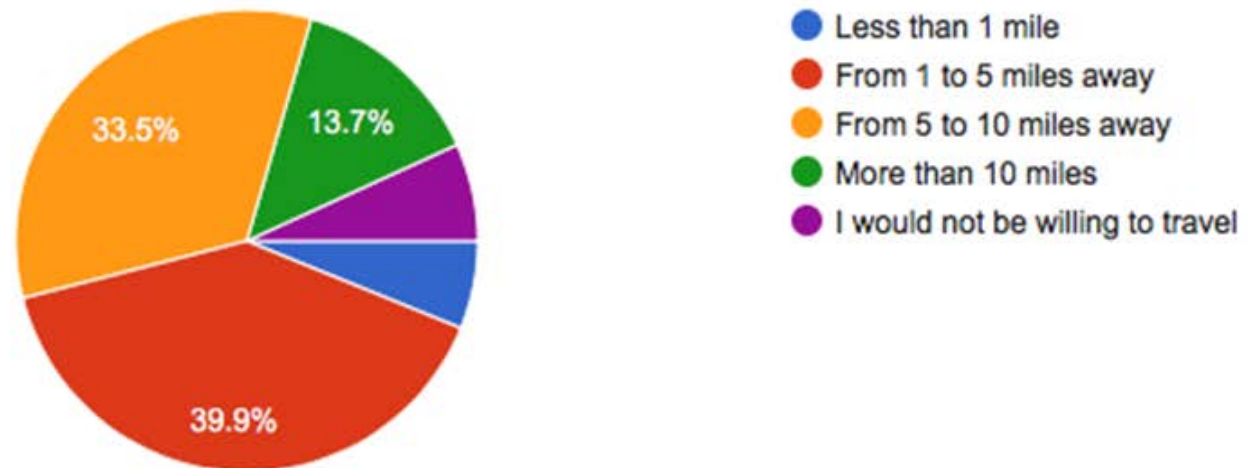
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Willingness to Travel to Takeback

What is the farthest distance you are willing to travel to properly dispose of your unused, expired, or unwanted prescription medications?

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Importance of Access to Takeback

How important is it for communities to offer take back locations, programs and events to reduce the amount of medications available for diversion and misuse?

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