

The Problem

66% of teens

get their prescription drugs
from friends and family, not
street pushers.*

They think these drugs are
"safe."

But in the wrong hands,
they're not.

At 12, he started with his
dad's pain relievers. At 14,
he graduated to heroin.

* Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration
– National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2014

The Solution

Educate and inspire individuals
to take action by securing and
taking regular inventory of
their medication.

The Lock Your Meds® campaign
asks adults to:

- * secure their medication
- * regularly take inventory of their
medication to ensure nothing is
missing
- *safely dispose of unused or
expired medication and
- *spread the word to family and
friends.

Help us get the word out.
Join us in delivering this
important message.

The Benefit

Saving lives. Prescription drug
abuse is a preventable epidemic.

Our children have the right to grow up
drug free - and we have the responsibility
to make that happen.

For more information visit:
www.LockYourMeds.org

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The Advantage

LOCK YOUR MEDS™

is a national, multimedia
campaign to prevent
prescription drug abuse.



If we make people
aware, they won't share..

The Suppliers

His best hits are from
his mom's purse.

An alarming trend is emerging
in the U.S.

**More than
1,700 children**

begin experimenting
with prescription and
over-the-counter drugs
every day.*

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– National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2014. Calculated from
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She gets her hair
from her mom.

Her eyes from her dad.

And her drugs
from her home
medicine cabinet.