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Dosher drug drop surpasses 250 households

SOUTHPORT—People discarded more than 7,200 expired or unwanted narcotic pills and nearly 2,900 milliliters of narcotic liquids at Doshier Memorial Hospital's semiannual Operation Medicine Cabinet today. More than 100 vehicles and 10 pedestrians drove or walked by the front entrance to drop off the medications from 256 households.

In addition to 15 Doshier employees, volunteers from Coastal Horizons Center and New Hanover County also helped collect the medications. Doshier thanked the Brunswick Sheriff's Department and Southport Police for onsite law enforcement support.

The next collection of unwanted prescription medications at Doshier is set for Thursday, April 6, 2017.

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(Caption for following photos) Doshier staff members collect unwanted prescription medications and other drugs, and sort them prior to incineration.



