

## **Allen County, Indiana**

**Program Overview:** TRIAD is a partnership between law enforcement and senior citizens' associations to promote the safety of seniors. The Allen County TRIAD cooperates with Walgreens pharmacies to organize periodic medicine collections. In 2006, collections were held in April and September.

**Sites:** Medicines were accepted at five drugstore sites and at four police and sheriff's offices in the county.

**Key Motivation:** TRIAD organizations aim to protect senior citizens- a major goal of this project is to reduce the chances of accidental misuse of medicines by older people who may have numerous medications in their homes. The project also provides information on safe use and storage of medicines and informs participants of donation options to local clinics.

**Organizing Body:** Allen County TRIAD

**Partners:** Walgreens Drug Stores

**Level of Implementation:** County

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