

Take It Back

POINTS DE COLLECTE · SMECTOM DU PLANTAUREL

**The shop that
sold it takes it
back.**

Shops, pharmacies and charities collect these free of charge. No bin, no déchèterie trip needed.

Put it in

Letter codes are SMECTOM's own:

A association · P pharmacy · M shop · ES specialist firm.

PHARMACY **P**

- Leftover medicines capsules, syrup — opened
- Syringes & needles
- Thermometers

SHOP TAKE-BACK **M**

- Light bulbs & tubes
- Batteries (small)
- Car batteries
- Gas bottles
- Aluminium coffee capsules
- Ink cartridges
- E-cigarettes
- Screens & phones
- Sports & leisure kit
- Shopping bags (worn-out cabas)

SHOP OR CHARITY **M+A**

- Sofas
- Fridges
- Toys & games

CHARITY **A**

- Leather goods bags, belts, wallets

SPECIALIST FIRM **ES**

- Asbestos
- Dead animals

Goes elsewhere

The colour shows which stream.

OR THE DÉCHÈTERIE

Most of the shop take-back items are also accepted at the déchèterie — bulbs, batteries, screens, cartridges, e-cigarettes, sofas, fridges, toys. Whichever trip you are making anyway.

TEXTILE BANK

Clothes, shoes and linen go to the textile bank rather than a charity shop counter — even when worn out.

NEVER THE BIN

Batteries, bulbs, medicines and syringes must never go in general waste — they are hazardous and they injure the people who sort our waste.

YELLOW BIN

Empty pill strips and empty medicine packaging go straight in the yellow bin. Only unused or part-used medicine goes to the pharmacy.

**BEFORE YOU
DROP IT IN**

Take it on the next trip. Keep a box by the door for shop take-back items.

Medicines: no packaging. The pharmacy wants the medicine, not the box.

Item list from **SMECTOM du Plantaurel — Mémo Tri 2026**. Handling rules are the national French sorting instructions.

Colours match **our bin lids** — yellow recyclables, green trash, blue glass — not the mémo's own legend, which colours glass green and paper blue.

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