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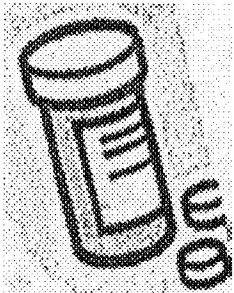
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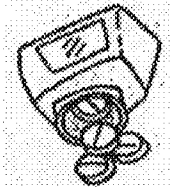
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- NEVER flush down the drain, it leads to drinking water contamination
- NEVER put in trash, they can end up anywhere leading to death or illness
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- NEVER take medicines for someone else, it could kill you
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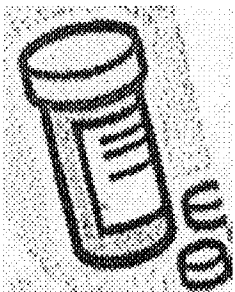
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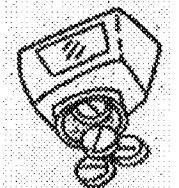
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