

# Keeping the Community Safe

## *Safe options for household sharps disposal*

If you are trying to dispose of sharps please:

### Package needles and lancets safely

- recap your own discarded sharps
- put the sharps in a rigid, puncture resistant container with a secure lid or cap
- clearly label the container with the words, "biohazard," "infectious waste," or "sharps"



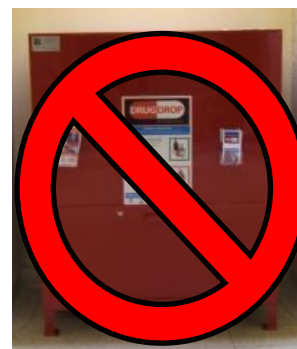
When the container is full, seal it, and dispose of it safely at one of the options listed below

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| Neenah Hometown Pharmacy: 1415 S Commercial St, Neenah | 920-726-4910 |
| Oshkosh Hometown Pharmacy: 321 N Sawyer St, Oshkosh    | 920-426-0763 |
| Pick N Save: 1940 S Koeller Drive, Oshkosh             | 920-236-9494 |
| Pick N Save: 828 Fox Point Plaza, Neenah               | 920-722-1348 |

- Please call the location before dropping your needles off. They may charge a fee.
- Ask your doctor or local clinic as well, sometimes they have sharps collection programs for their patients. You can also use a sharps mail-back program.

If you are trying to dispose of sharps don't:

- Put needles and lancets in the trash
- Keep around kids or pets
- Put needles or lancets in recycling containers
- Take needles or lancelets to medication collections
- Flush needles and lancets down the toilet.



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