Medical Sharps Collection Program

Step 1 – Put sharps in a strong plastic container

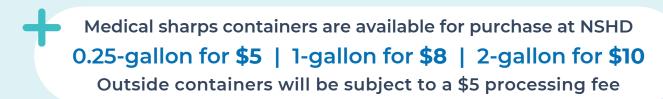
We accept containers made of sturdy plastic with a tight-fitting, sealable, & punctureresistant lid, such as laundry detergent bottles or medical sharps containers.

Not accepted: soda or water bottles, milk jugs, glass containers, or plastic bags.



Step 2 – Bring your container to North Shore HD

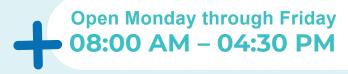
Accepted during office hours only. We are open Monday to Friday from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM and we are closed on most federal holidays. No appointment necessary.

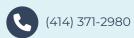


Step 3 – Never put medical sharps into the trash, recycling, toilet, or medication collection boxes

Improper disposal of sharps is illegal. Examples of sharps include needles (even retractable or very small ones), syringes, lancets, auto-injectors such as epinephrine pens, infusion sets, and connection needle sets used for home hemodialysis.

Limit: One drop-off per household per month (up to 2 gallons). Commercial or institutional waste will not be accepted.







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Medical Sharps Collection Program Pricing Guide

0.25-gallon for \$5



1-gallon for \$8



2-gallon for \$10



\$5 processing fee

for all outside containers including detergent bottles & sharps containers



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