### Sites for Sharps Disposal

New York State requires hospitals and nursing homes to accept sharps\* from the community and dispose of them.

The hospital or nursing home may require you to register for this service.

They may also require you to use their sharps containers.

Hospitals and nursing homes may pass on the cost of sharps containers, but cannot charge for the collection or disposal of sharps.

Open this brochure to see when and where to dispose of sharps in Westchester County.

\*needles, syringes and lancets only

# For information on household hazardous waste disposal call:

**Westchester County** 

Recycling HelpLine (914) 813-5425

www.westchestergov.com/recycle
Department of Health
(914) 813-5000



George Latimer, Westchester County Executive



Department of Environmental Facilities

## Proper Disposal of Sharps Prevents Needlesticks and Other Accidents

Many people use sharps (needles, syringes, and lancets) as part of their home medical care.

Proper disposal of sharps is important to the safety of the sharps user and to workers who handle trash.

Follow the guidelines in this brochure to keep yourself and others safe.

At home use a container that is:

- · leak proof
- shatter proof
- and puncture proof with a screw top.

Good choices are durable plastic bottles such as:



Bad choices are:

- glass containers
- · aluminum containers
- · metal cans with flimsy lids
- any cardboard containers

Place lancet or needle and syringe in the container IMMEDIATELY after using.

#### DO NOT:

- recap needles
- bend needles
- · or break lancets.

"Biohazard," etc.

Secure the screw top on the container.

Label the container "SHARPS."

DO NOT label it "Medical Waste,"



When the home container is full, make sure the top is screwed on securely. Then apply tape around the top and the neck of the container.

The preferred method for final disposal is to:

• take the properly labeled and taped container to a hospital or nursing home. Open this brochure for a list of disposal sites.

#### OR

 put the sharps container in your trash to be discarded.

Do not include sharp items with your recyclables.

Never put Sharps Containers in a Recycling Bin!



## **Sharps Disposal Site List**

Municipality	Facility Name	Address	Telephone	Location	Times Accepted
Briarcliff Manor	Brandywine Nursing Home	620 Sleepy Hollow Road, Briarcliff Manor, NY 10510	914 941-5100	Reception Area	Wed. 2-3
Bronxville	Lawrence Hospital Center	55 Palmer Avenue, Bronxville, NY 10708	914 787-3056	Receiving Loading Dock	M-F 1-3
Cortlandt	Cortlandt Healthcare, LLC	110 Oregon Road, Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567	914 739-9150 x226	Main Lobby	M-F 9-12 and 1-3
Cortlandt Manor	Field Home/Holy Comforter	2300 Catherine Street, Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567	914 739-2244	Front Desk	M-F 8-2
Cortlandt Manor	Hudson Valley Hospital Center	1980 Crompond Road, Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567	914 737-9000	Front Desk	M-F 8-4
Croton-on-Hudson	Skyview Health Care Center	280 Albany Post Road, Croton On Hudson, NY 10520	914 271-5151	Main Entrance	9-12, 1st Mon. of the month only
Dobbs Ferry	St. Cabrini Nursing Home, Inc.	115 Broadway, Dobbs Ferry, NY 10522	914 693-6800	Nursing Office	Wed. 1:30-4:30
Harrison	St. Vincent's Medical Center	275 North Street, Harrison, NY 10523	914 925-5359	Main Lobby Security	12-2, 1st Thu. of the month only
Hastings-on-Hudson	Andrus on Hudson	185 Old Broadway, Hastings-on-Hudson, NY 10706	914 478-3700	Main Entrance	Wed. 7-12
Hawthorne	Rosary Hill Home	600 Linda Avenue, Hawthorne, NY 10532	914 769-0114	Receptionist in Admissions Office	Tue. 10-11
Mamaroneck	Sarah Neuman Center for Healthcare and Rehabilitation	845 Palmer Avenue, Mamaroneck, NY 10543	914 698-6005	Main Entrance Reception Desk	Tue. 11-12
Mohegan Lake	Northern Westchester Restorative Center	3550 Lexington Avenue, Mohegan Lake, NY 10547	914 528-2000	Main Lobby	Wed. 9-11
Montrose	New York State Veterans Home at Montrose	2090 Albany Post Road, Montrose, NY 10547	914 788-6000	Entrance at Front Desk	Wed. 12-1
Mount Kisco	Northern Westchester Hospital	400 E. Main Street, Mount Kisco, NY 10549	914 666-1879	Emergency Room Security Desk	7 days a week, 8-8
Mount Vernon	Mount Vernon Hospital	12 North 7th Avenue, Mt. Vernon, NY 10550	914-664-8000 ext. 3000	Emergency Room	24/7
Mount Vernon	The Wartburg Home	Building #10, Wartburg Place, Ossining, NY 10552	914 699-0800	Main Lobby Outpatient Health Service	M-F 9-3, except holidays
Mount Vernon	Urban League of Westchester County	100 Stevens Avenue, Mt. Vernon, NY 10550	914 667-1010	Inside Door	M-F 9-5
New Rochelle	Bayberry Nursing Home	40 Keogh Lane, New Rochelle, NY 10805	914 636-3947	Rear Entrance	7-10am, 1st Wed. of the month only
New Rochelle	Dumont Masonic Home	676 Pelham Road, New Rochelle, NY 10805	914 632-9600	Main Lobby	Tue. 10-3
New Rochelle	Glen Island Care Center for Nursing	490 Pelham Road, New Rochelle, NY 10805	914 636-2800	Front Desk	Tues. 10-12
New Rochelle	Sound Shore Medical Center	16 Guion Place, New Rochelle, NY 10801	914 632-5000	Ground Floor of Nursing Home	M-F 8-4
New Rochelle	Sutton Park Center for Nursing and Rehabilitation	31 Lockwood Avenue, New Rochelle, NY 10801	914 576-0600	Lobby	8-12, 1st Wed. of the month only
New Rochelle	United Hebrew Geriatric Center	391 Pelham Road, New Rochelle, NY 10805	914 632-2804	Front Desk	M-F 9-5
Ossining	Bethel Nursing Home Company	19 Narragansett Avenue, Ossining NY 10562	914 941-7300	Reception Area	Tue. 9-12
Ossining	Cedar Manor Nursing Home	32 Cedar Lane, Ossining, NY 10562	914 762-1600	Lobby Reception Area	Wed. 9-12
Ossining	Sunshine Children's Home and Rehabilitation Center	15 Spring Valley Road, Ossining, NY 10562	914 333-7060	Nurses Station	Tue. 10-12 - except holidays
Ossining	Victoria Home	25 N. Malcolm Street, Ossining, NY 10562	914 941-2450	Service Entrance on Matilda Street	Mon. 9-3
Peekskill	West Ledge Health Care Facility	2000 Main Street, Peekskill, NY 10566	914 737-8400	Main Lobby	M-F 9-4
Port Chester	Port Chester Nursing & Rehabilitation Centre	1000 High Street, Port Chester, NY 10573	914 937-1200	1st Floor Storage Area	Fri. 9-3
Purdys	Waterview Hills Nursing Center	539 Route 22, Purdys, NY 10578	914 277-3691	Main Entrance	Thr. 2-3
Scarsdale	Sprain Brook Manor Nursing Home	77 Jackson Avenue, Scarsdale, NY 10583	914 472-3200	Main Entrance	Call for details
Sleepy Hollow	Phelps Memorial Hospital	701 North Broadway, Sleepy Hollow, NY 10591	914 366-3340	Center Entrance	M-F 9-5
Somers	Somers Manor Nursing Home, Inc.	189 Route 100, Somers, NY 10589	914 232-5101	Main Entrance Reception Desk	7 days a week, 8-8
Tarrytown	Tarrytown Hall Care Center	28 Woods Court, Tarrytown, NY 10591	914 631-2600	Main Lobby	2-4 - 1st Mon. of the month only
Valhalla	Blythedale Children's Hospital	95 Bradhurst Avenue, Valhalla, NY 10595	914 592-7555	Laboratory	M-F 8-10am
Valhalla	Hebrew Hospital Home of Westchester, Inc.	61 Grasslands Road, Valhalla, NY 10595	914 681-8400	Main Lobby	Wed. 1-3
Valhalla	Westchester Meadows	55 Grassland Road, Valhalla, NY 10595	914 989-7800	Front Security Desk	24/7
Valhalla	Westchester Medical Center	100 Woods Road, Valhalla, NY 10595	914 493-8303	Basement	M-F 8-4
White Plains	Beth Abraham - Schnurmacher Nursing Home	12 Tibbits Avenue, White Plains, NY 10606	914 287-7200	Main Entrance	M-F 9-5
White Plains	Burke Rehabilitation Hospital	785 Mamaroneck Avenue, White Plains, NY 10605	914 597-2318	Rear Loading Block of Alexander Building	Tue. 8-10 - 4th Tue. of the month only
White Plains	New York Presbyterian Hospital - Westchester Division	21 Bloomingdale Road, White Plains, NY 10605	914 997-5717	Building Services	Wed. 9-2
White Plains	White Plains Center for Nursing Care	220 West Post Road, White Plains, NY 10606	914 686-8880	Main Entrance	Sat. 4-6
White Plains	White Plains Hospital Center	41 East Post Road, White Plains, NY 10601	914 681-1097	Emergency Room or Security Office	7 days a week, 9-5
Yonkers	Michael Malotz Skilled Nursing Pavilion	120 Odell Avenue, Yonkers, NY 10701	914 964-3333	Main Lobby	7 days a week 8-4
Yonkers	New Sans Souci Nursing Home	115 Park Avenue, Yonkers, NY 10703	914 423-9800	Front Desk	Mon. 9:30-10am - 1st and 3rd Mon. of the month only
Yonkers	St. Johns Riverside Hospital (Andrus Pavillion)	967 North Broadway, Yonkers, NY 10701	914 964-4206	Main Entrance	7 days a week 8-8
Yonkers	St. Johns Riverside Hospital (ParkCare Pavillion)	2 Park Avenue, Yonkers, NY 10703	914-964-7340	Main Entrance	24/7
Yonkers	St. Joseph's Hospital Nursing Home	127 South Broadway, Yonkers, NY 10701	914 375-3206	Lobby	Wed. 1-4:30