

SafeDrop™ Restroom Sharps Disposal Program

Stericycle's Safe Community Solutions offers safe sharps disposal for your employees and customers.



The use of self-injected medications to treat chronic illnesses such as diabetes, allergies, migraines, and obesity has sharply increased in recent years. Today, more than 3 billion injections are administered outside of healthcare facilities by 9 million medical sharps users.* When managing these conditions outside of the home, patients most often seek the privacy of restrooms to discreetly and safely inject their medication.

The widespread use of self-injected medications, coupled with an unwavering commitment to employee and customer safety, has prompted many companies to seek solutions to reduce the risk of needlestick injuries in their facilities.

ORGANIZATIONS THAT CONSIDER RESTROOM SHARPS PROGRAMS IMPORTANT*:

52% say that occupational health and employee safety as well as compliance with regulatory guidance were primary drivers of program adoption

61% state their worker's compensation insurance carrier provides recommendations or premium credits associated with the adoption of restroom sharps programs

48% strongly believe that self-injectable medication use is more prevalent today than 5 years ago

CUSTOMERS THAT CONSIDER RESTROOM SHARPS PROGRAMS IMPORTANT:**

75% say they would use a sharps disposal container in a public space or establishment if they saw one

42% say that a lack of safe disposal options in public spaces is the biggest challenge they face when it comes to disposal

38% who have disposed of used sharps in a public trash can said they did so because there were no safe disposal containers nearby and they had no other choice

Stericycle's SafeDrop Sharps Disposal Solutions are utilized in restrooms across a wide variety of organizations across the country:



Retailers



Restaurants



Offices



Hospitality & Recreational Facilities



Airports



Education

We offer a variety of disposal solutions to help you responsibly manage sharps waste in your organization.

We help reduce risk so you and your employees can focus on serving your customers.

As the leading provider of medical waste services in the United States, Stericycle has been delivering innovative business solutions that protect people and brands, promote health and well-being, and safeguard the environment, for over 30 years.

*Stericycle 2023 Public Restroom Sharps Study

**Stericycle National Consumer Diabetes Survey 2019: Access to Care and Sharps Disposal in the Diabetes Community, September 2019



We protect what matters.

Stericycle's SafeDrop Sharps Disposal Solutions at a Glance

Stericycle offers sharps containers in a variety of sizes, which can be securely mounted to restroom walls. Our most popular option, a stainless-steel wall cabinet, is a sleek, space saving unit that fits a 1.4 quart sharps container.

Our service includes a sharps mail back kit containing everything needed to collect and dispose of sharps. Once full, customer personnel swap out and package containers, then ship using the pre-paid USPS return box.

We also offer customizable branding options for our cabinets and spill kits.



KEY BENEFITS:

- Promote a safe, healthy, and positive environment for your employees and customers
- Protect your staff from accidental needlestick injuries when cleaning restrooms and removing trash
- Safeguard your community and the environment through responsible disposal, ensuring that sharps are disposed of properly in accordance with all applicable laws
- Elevate your company's brand image by demonstrating your commitment to social and environmental responsibility

Using Stericycle's Mail Back Program is Easy!



1 Open the box and pull out the sharps container



2 Place sharps container in stainless steel cabinet



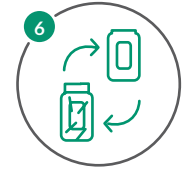
3 Employees and customers fill the container with used injector pens and/or syringes



4 Place the full sharps container into the provided bag and into the shipping box



5 Ship sealed box back via USPS



6 Replace new container in cabinet*

*Auto-replenishment option is available for easy re-ordering

To learn more about a SafeDrop sharps disposal solution tailored to your business needs, contact your local representative.



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