

Container Installation Date:

**May 14 - May 16**

Stericycle's Reusable Sharps Container program implemented by:



Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre

## Waste Disposal Guidelines

### SHARPS

Sharps are any objects that are contaminated or have the potential to be contaminated with an infectious substance and are capable of penetrating skin or packaging materials

#### Examples of items that CAN Be Disposed:

- Needles
- Syringes
- Scalpels
- Broken glass
- Broken capillary tubes
- Broken rigid plastics
- Lancets
- Needle counters

#### Items that CANNOT Be Disposed

- Chemotherapeutic products
- Bandages/gauze
- Exam gloves
- Alcohol preps
- Batteries
- Tape
- Paper
- Liquids
- Pharmaceutical waste



### PHARMACEUTICAL SHARPS

Pharmaceutical sharps are any objects that are contaminated with pharmaceutical substances and are capable of penetrating skin or packaging materials. They however exclude biomedical sharps that have been in contact with blood or body fluids.

#### Examples of Items that CAN Be Disposed

- Pharmaceutical sharps • Related items
- Pharmaceutical waste

#### Items that CANNOT Be Disposed

- Medical sharps
- Medical waste
- Cytotoxic waste
- Free Liquids
- Any items visibly contaminated with blood or bodily fluids



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# Stericycle Reusable Biomedical Sharps Containers



<b>7.5 litre - 2GFSD</b> 12.32"L x 7.03W x 14.67"H	<b>15 litre - 4YFSD</b> 12.32"L x 7.03W x 23.17"H	<b>30 litre - 8GYSD</b> 18.21"L x 12.04W x 18.5"H	<b>64 litre - 17GTD</b> 18.21"L x 12.04W x 33"H
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Stock #  
000077

Stock #  
000078

Stock #  
001286

Stock #  
001287

# Stericycle Reusable Pharmaceutical Containers

With corresponding stores stock numbers



<b>7.5 litre - 2BFSD</b> 12.32"L x 7.03W x 14.67"H	<b>15 litre - 4BFSD</b> 12.32"L x 7.03W x 23.17"H	<b>30 litre - 8BTSD</b> 18.21"L x 12.04W x 18.5"H
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Stock #  
006019

Stock #  
006029

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006039

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