

Needles • Syringes • Lancets



Recommended Disposal of Sharps in Spokane County



Residential Free Disposal

Needles, syringes and lancets can be put in puncture-resistant containers (coffee cans, liquid detergent or bleach bottles – *no milk jugs or soda bottles*) with a label noting that the container holds sharps, needles, etc. Once secured in an appropriate container, they can be disposed of – at no charge – in the Household Hazardous Waste area of any of the following facilities:

Waste to Energy Facility

2900 S. Geiger Blvd.
M-Su, 7:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

Valley Transfer Station

3941 N. Sullivan Road
Call 509-477-6800 for availability

North County Transfer Station

22123 Elk-Chattaroy Road
Call 509-477-6800 for availability

Medical sharps should never be flushed down toilets or drains.

Business Disposal

Businesses may dispose of sharps by appointment only at the Waste to Energy Facility, 2900 S. Geiger Blvd. Call 509.625.6580 to arrange. There is a minimum fee for disposal. Businesses can also contract with a private collection company like Clean Harbors to manage sharps.

For more information, contact the Recycling Hotline **509-477-6800** or go to **www.SpokaneCountySolidWaste.org**



Spokane County Regional
Solid Waste System



Solid Waste Disposal

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Household Prescription Drugs – Over the Counter Medications



Safe Medication Return Program *Med-Project.org*



Spokane County residents can now dispose of prescription drugs and over-the-counter medications safely, environmentally responsibly, and at no charge through a statewide program.

There are **two** main ways to return your unused medications. Both are FREE.

➤ **Mail in**

Request a free prepaid envelope. Place unused medications in the envelope and mail the package to the address provided. There is no charge.

➤ **Take it to a drop off site**

Find the nearest drop off location and deposit medications in a kiosk. There is no paperwork needed and no charge.

Learn more at
Med-Project.org.

Be safe, be smart.

Medications should never be flushed down toilets or drains. They contaminate our water supply, lakes, rivers and streams.

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