

# Proper Use and Disposal of Needles and Syringes

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### Be Smart. Use a Sharps Container.

A sharps container is a single-use container that is filled with used medical needles and then disposed of safely. These can be purchased at pharmacies, medical supply stores or ordered through the mail. If you do not have access to a sharps container, place sharps in a puncture resistant container such as a rigid plastic bottle or coffee can with a secure cap. These items must be disposed of at a drop off site or through a medical mail back service.

- DO** Visit a medical supply store to purchase sharps containers.
- DO** Check out these sharps mail back services. They provide a variety of container sizes and prepaid mailing cartons:
  - **Medasend:** 800-200-3581
  - **Stericycle:** 800-355-8773

**DO NOT** Put sharps in the household trash. As of July 1, 2012, medical waste regulations do not allow the disposal of sharps in household garbage. Take your filled sharps container to the sharps disposal (drop-off) site in your community. Sharps disposal programs may be ongoing or provided on specific dates, as determined by your city or town.

### Be Careful.

Protect yourself, your community, your environment, and family and friends. The proper disposal of needles and syringes is important!

- DO** Put used syringes in sharps container immediately.
- DO** Keep needles away from children and pets.
- DO** Bring a sharps container when traveling.

**DO NOT** Throw sharps in the garbage or recycling bins.  
**DO NOT** Flush sharps down the toilet or drop into storm drains.  
**DO NOT** Clip, bend or recap needles.

### Be Aware.

Needles, syringes and sharps containers may not be thrown in the garbage or in recycling bins. See the attached list to find a disposal site for your community. If your community is not listed, please contact your local board of health for information.

### Be Safe.

Reduce your risk of blood-borne diseases like hepatitis and HIV/AIDS.

- DO** Use a new needle every time you inject.
- DO** Clean the injection site with soapy water, alcohol swabs or rubbing alcohol.
- DO** Find out your HIV/viral hepatitis status. Get tested. If you are not infected you can stay that way. If you are, find out how to take care of yourself and avoid passing HIV/viral hepatitis to others.
- DO** Clean your sharps with bleach IF you must reuse them.

**DO NOT** Inject in the same spot over and over again.  
**DO NOT** Share needles, syringes, cookers, cotton or water.

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### Be Informed.

Resources are just a phone call or click away. All calls are confidential.

#### Substance Abuse Education and Information Helpline

800-327-5050, TTY: 617-536-587

[www.helpline-online.com](http://www.helpline-online.com)

#### Needle Exchange Programs (NEP):

You can dispose of used syringes or exchange them for new, sterile ones at any of these sites. You can also be referred to medical help, drug treatment, or testing for HIV, STDs, or Hepatitis C. Needle Exchange is free.

- **Boston NEP**  
800-383-2437 or 617-534-3967
- **Cambridge NEP**  
617-661-3040 or 617-680-1063
- **Holyoke NEP**  
413-315-3732
- **Northampton NEP**  
413-586-0310 or 800-696-7752
- **Provincetown NEP**  
508-487-8311

#### Syringe and Needle Disposal Sites in Massachusetts:

Please look on the list beginning on the next page to find a disposal site near you. Be sure to call ahead for hours and restrictions.

#### State Agencies:

- **Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (DEP)**  
617-292-5500, TTY: 617-574-6868  
[www.mass.gov/dep](http://www.mass.gov/dep)
- **Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH)**  
617-624-6000, TTY: 617-624-6001  
[www.mass.gov/dph](http://www.mass.gov/dph)
  - DPH Bureau of Environmental Health  
617-624-5757, TTY: 617-624-5286  
[www.mass.gov/dph/environmental\\_health](http://www.mass.gov/dph/environmental_health)
  - DPH Bureau of Substance Abuse Services  
617-624-5111, TTY: 617-536-5387  
[www.mass.gov/dph/bsas](http://www.mass.gov/dph/bsas)
  - DPH Diabetes Prevention and Control Program  
617-624-5485, TTY: 617-624-5992  
[www.mass.gov/dph/diabetes](http://www.mass.gov/dph/diabetes)
  - DPH Office of HIV/AIDS  
617-624-5300, TTY: 617-624-5387  
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<b>Abington</b>	Abington Health Department 500 Gliniewicz Way Abington MA 02351 <b>781-982-2119</b>	<b>Aquinnah</b>	Martha's Vineyard Hospital 1 Hospital Road Oak Bluffs, MA 02568 <b>508-645-2307</b>
<b>Acushnet</b>	Board of Health 130 Main Street Acushnet, MA 02743 <b>508-998-0275</b>	<b>Ashburnham</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>
<b>Adams</b>	Adams Police Department 4 School Street Adams, MA 01220 <b>413-743-8330</b>	<b>Ashby</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>
<b>Agawam</b>	Agawam Health Department 36 Main Street Agawam, MA 01001 <b>413-786-0400 x 207</b>	<b>Athol</b>	Athol Health Department 584 Main Street, Suite 1 Athol, MA 01331 <b>978-249-7934</b>
<b>Amherst</b>	Amherst Health Department 70 Boltwood Road Amherst, MA 01002 <b>413-259-3077</b>	<b>Attleboro</b>	Attleboro Fire Station 100 Union Street Attleboro MA 02703 <b>508-223-2222</b>
<b>Amherst</b>	Amherst Town Dump/Transfer Station 740 Belchertown Road Amherst, MA 01022 <b>413-259-3049</b>	<b>Auburn</b>	CVS Pharmacy 676 Southbridge Street Auburn, MA 01501 <b>508-832-7703</b>
<b>Andover</b>	Andover Public Safety Center 32 North Main Street Andover, MA 01810 <b>978-623-8295</b>	<b>Avon</b>	Avon Health Department 150 Main Street Avon, MA 02322 <b>508-588-0414</b>
<b>Andover</b>	The Center at Punchard (Andover Senior Center) 30 Whittier Court Andover, MA 01810 <b>978-623-8295</b>	<b>Ayer</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>
		<b>Barnstable</b>	AIDS Support Group of Cape Cod 428 South Street Hyannis, MA 02601 <b>508-778-1954</b>

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<b>Barnstable</b>	Barnstable County Health Department 3195 Main Street Barnstable MA 02630 <b>508-375-6613</b>	<b>Billerica</b>	Billerica Health Department 365 Boston Road Billerica, MA 01821 <b>978-671-0931</b>
<b>Barnstable</b>	Cotuit Fire Department 64 High Street Barnstable MA 02635 <b>508-428-2210</b>	<b>Blandford</b>	Blandford Health Department 102 Main Street Blandford, MA 01008 <b>413-454-5147</b>
<b>Barnstable</b>	COMM Fire Department 1875 Falmouth Road Barnstable, MA 02632 <b>508-790-2375</b>	<b>Bolton</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>
<b>Barre</b>	Barre Transfer Station Depot Road Barre, MA 01005 <b>978-355-5002</b>	<b>Boston</b>	AHOPE-Needle Exchange Program 774 Albany Street, 3rd Floor Boston, MA 02118 <b>800-383-2437 or 617-534-3967</b>
<b>Bedford</b>	Bedford Health Department 12 Mudge Way Bedford MA 01730 <b>781-275-6507</b>	<b>Boston</b>	AIDS Action Committee 75 Amory Street Boston, MA 02130 <b>617-450-1379</b>
<b>Berlin</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>	<b>Boston</b>	Community, A Walgreens Pharmacy 21-23 Stanhope Street Boston, MA, 02116 <b>617-375-7969</b>
<b>Bernardston</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>Boston</b>	Boston Health Care for the Homeless 780 Albany Street Boston, MA 02118 <b>857-654-1636</b>
<b>Beverly</b>	Beverly Hospital 85 Herrick Street Beverly, MA 01915 <b>978-922-3000</b>	<b>Boston</b>	SPAN, Inc. 105 Chauncy Street, 6th Floor Boston, MA 02111 <b>617-423-0750 x 109</b>
		<b>Boston</b>	Boston Public Health Commission 35 Northampton Street Boston, MA 02118 <b>617-534-5395</b>

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<b>Boston</b>	Boston Public Health Commission 398 Neponset Avenue Dorchester, MA 02122 <b>617-534-5395</b>	<b>Bridgewater</b>	Bridgewater Health Department 66 Central Square Bridgewater, MA 02324 <b>508-697-0903</b>
<b>Boston</b>	Boston Public Health Commission 435 Warren Street (side entrance) Roxbury, MA 02119 <b>617-534-5395</b>	<b>Brimfield</b>	Harrington Hospital 100 South Street Southbridge, MA 01550 <b>413-245-4100 x 3</b>
<b>Boston</b>	MAPS – Dorchester 1 Stoughton Street Dorchester, MA 02125 <b>617-825-5897</b>	<b>Brockton</b>	Brockton Neighborhood Community Health Center 63 Main Street Brockton, MA 02301 <b>508-894-3507</b>
<b>Boston</b>	WCAC 409 Blue Hill Avenue Dorchester, MA 02121-4309 <b>617-541-1050</b>	<b>Brockton</b>	COPE Center 81 Pleasant Street Brockton, MA 02301 <b>508-583-3405</b>
<b>Bourne</b>	Bourne Fire and Rescue 130 Main Street Bourne MA 02532 <b>508-759-0630</b>	<b>Brockton</b>	Recycling Depot 301A Oak Hill Way Brockton, MA 02302 <b>508-580-7175</b>
<b>Boxborough</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>	<b>Brookfield</b>	Brookfield Transfer Station Quaboag Street Brookfield, MA 01506 <b>508-867-2930</b>
<b>Boxford</b>	Masconomet Regional High School 20 Endicott Street Boxford, MA 01983 <b>978-887-6000 x 507</b>	<b>Brookline</b>	Brookline Health Department 11 Pierce Street Brookline MA 02445 <b>617-730-2300</b>
<b>Braintree</b>	Braintree Health Department 90 Pond Street Braintree, MA 02184 <b>781-794-8090</b>	<b>Buckland</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>
<b>Brewster</b>	Brewster Fire Department 1657 Main Street Brewster, MA 02631 <b>508-896-7018</b>	<b>Burlington</b>	Burlington Health Department 21 Center Street Burlington MA 01803 <b>781-270-1956</b>

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<b>Cambridge</b>	Cambridge Public Health Department Windsor Street Health Center 119 Windsor Street Cambridge, MA 02139 <b>617-665-3819</b>	<b>Chicopee</b>	Chicopee Health Department 15 Court Street Chicopee, MA 01020 <b>413-594-1665</b>
<b>Cambridge</b>	Cambridge Needle Exchange 17 Sellers Street Cambridge, MA 02139 <b>617-559-0219</b>	<b>Chicopee</b>	Holyoke Health Center Pharmacy 230 Maple Street Holyoke, MA 01041 <b>413-420-2200</b>
<b>Canton</b>	Canton Health Department 79 Pleasant Street Canton MA 02021 <b>781-821-5021</b>	<b>Chilmark</b>	Martha's Vineyard Hospital 1 Hospital Road Oak Bluffs, MA 02568 <b>508-645-2105</b>
<b>Carver</b>	Carver Health Department 108 Main Street Carver, MA 02330 <b>508-866-3420</b>	<b>Cohasset</b>	Cohasset Health Department 41 Highland Avenue Cohasset, MA 02025 <b>781-383-4116</b>
<b>Charlemont</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>Colrain</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>
<b>Chatham</b>	Chatham Fire & Rescue 135 Depot Road Chatham, MA 02633 <b>508-945-2324</b>	<b>Concord</b>	Concord Public Works 133 Keyes Road Concord, MA 01742 <b>978 318-3240</b>
<b>Chelmsford</b>	Chelmsford Health Department Household Hazardous Waste Day 50 Billerica Road Chelmsford, MA 01824 <b>978-250-5241</b>	<b>Conway</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>
<b>Chelsea</b>	Centro Latino 267 Broadway Chelsea, MA 02150 <b>617-884-3238</b>	<b>Cummington</b>	Transfer Station Fairground Road Cummington, MA 01026 <b>413-634-5744</b>
		<b>Danvers</b>	Danvers Police Department 120 Ash Street Danvers, MA 01923 <b>978-777-0001 x 3095</b>

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<b>Dartmouth</b>	Home of Hope: Outreach Center for Women 1173 Acushnet Avenue New Bedford, MA 02746 <b>508-910-1804</b>	<b>Eastham</b>	Eastham Fire Department 2520 State Highway Eastham, MA 02642 <b>508-255-2324</b>
<b>Dedham</b>	Dedham Board of Health 26 Bryant Street Dedham, MA 02026 <b>781-751-9220</b>	<b>Easthampton</b>	Public Safety Complex 32 Payson Avenue Easthampton, MA 01027 <b>413-529-1430</b>
<b>Deerfield</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>Edgartown</b>	Martha's Vineyard Hospital 1 Hospital Road Oak Bluffs, MA 02557 <b>508-627-6120</b>
<b>Dennisport</b>	Dennis Health Department 465 Main Street (Rte 28) Dennisport, MA 02639 <b>508-760-6158</b>	<b>Egremont</b>	Transfer Station 171 Plain Road South Egremont, MA 01258 <b>413-528-0182</b>
<b>Dracut</b>	Dracut Health Department 11 Spring Park Avenue Dracut, MA 01826 <b>978-453-8162</b>	<b>Erving</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>
<b>Dunstable</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>	<b>Essex</b>	Essex Town Hall 30 Martin Street Essex, MA 01929 <b>978-768-7614</b>
<b>Duxbury</b>	Duxbury Fire Department 668 Tremont Street Duxbury, MA 02332 <b>781-934-1100 x 140</b>	<b>Fairhaven</b>	Fire Department 146 Washington Street Fairhaven, MA 02719 <b>508-994-1428</b>
<b>East Bridgewater</b>	Town Hall Bridgewater 175 Central Street East Bridgewater, MA 02333 <b>508-378-1612</b>	<b>Fall River</b>	Diabetes Association, Inc. 170 Pleasant Street Fall River, MA 02722 <b>508-672-5671</b>
<b>East Brookfield</b>	North Brookfield Transfer Station East Brookfield Road North Brookfield, MA 01535 <b>508-867-6769 x 307</b>	<b>Fall River</b>	Seven Hills Behavioral Health Inc. 310 South Main Street Fall River, MA 02720 <b>508-235-1012</b>

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<b>Fall River</b>	SSTAR 386 Stanley Street Fall River, MA 02720-6009 <b>508-675-0087</b>	<b>Gloucester</b>	Addison Gilbert Hospital 298 Washington Street Gloucester, MA 01930 <b>978-281-9771</b>
<b>Falmouth</b>	Falmouth Health Department 59 Town Hall Square Falmouth, MA 02540 <b>508-495-7485</b>	<b>Grafton</b>	Grafton Health Department 30 Providence Road Grafton, MA 01519 <b>508-839-5335 x 128</b>
<b>Fitchburg</b>	Community Health Connections 275 Nicholls Road Fitchburg, MA 01420 <b>978-829-1870</b>	<b>Granby</b>	Granby Fire Department 259 B. East State Street Granby, MA 01033 <b>508-839-5335 x 128</b>
<b>Fitchburg</b>	Fitchburg/Westminster Landfill 165 Fitchburg Road (Rte 31) Westminster, MA 01473 <b>978-345-9582</b>	<b>Granville</b>	Granville Health Department 707 Main Road Granville, MA 01034 <b>413-357-8585</b>
<b>Fitchburg</b>	Gardner VNA 35 Main Street Fitchburg, MA 01420 <b>978-665-9078</b>	<b>Greenfield</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>
<b>Framingham</b>	Program RISE @ JRI Health 29 Hollis Street Framingham, MA 01702 <b>508-935-2960</b>	<b>Groton</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>
<b>Franklin</b>	Board of Health 355 East Central Street Franklin, MA 02038 <b>508-520-4905</b>	<b>Hadley</b>	Senior Center 46 Middle Street Hadley, MA 01035 <b>413-586-2513</b>
<b>Gardner</b>	Community Health Connections Center 175 Connors Street Gardner MA 01440 <b>978-878-8100</b>	<b>Halifax</b>	Halifax Recycling Center 917 Plymouth Street Halifax, MA 02338 <b>781-293-6768</b>
<b>Gill</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>Hampden</b>	Hampden Health Department 625 Main Street Hampden, MA 01036 <b>413-566-2151 x 102</b>

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<b>Hanover</b>	Hanover Town Hall 32 Center Street Hanover, MA 02339 <b>781-826-4611</b>	<b>Holyoke</b>	Holyoke Health Department 20 Korean Veteran's Plaza Holyoke, MA 01040 <b>413-322-5595</b>
<b>Hanson</b>	Hanson Transfer Station 201 Franklin Street Hanson, MA 02341 <b>781-293-3138</b>	<b>Holyoke</b>	Cooley-Dickinson Hospital (CEPA Program) 330 Appleton Street Holyoke, MA 01040 <b>413-536-8721</b>
<b>Harvard</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>	<b>Holyoke</b>	Tapestry Health Needle Exchange 15A Main Street Holyoke MA 01040 <b>413-315-3732</b>
<b>Harwich</b>	Harwich Transfer Station 209 Queen Anne Road Harwich, MA 02645 <b>508-430-7558</b>	<b>Holyoke</b>	Holyoke Health Center Pharmacy 230 Maple Street Holyoke, MA 01041 <b>413-420-2200</b>
<b>Haverhill</b>	CVS Pharmacy 241 Lincoln Avenue Haverhill, MA 01830 <b>978-374-2325</b>	<b>Hudson</b>	Hudson Transfer Station Cox Street Hudson, MA 01749 <b>978-562-2020</b>
<b>Haverhill</b>	Team Coordinating Agency 66 Winter Street Haverhill, MA 01830 <b>978 373-1181 x21</b>	<b>Hull</b>	Hull Health Department 253 Atlantic Avenue Hull MA 02045 <b>781-925-2224</b>
<b>Hawley</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>Hyannis</b>	AIDS Support Group of Cape Cod 428 South Street Hyannis MA 02601 <b>508-778-1954</b>
<b>Heath</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>Ipswich</b>	Beverly Hospital 85 Herrick Street Beverly, MA 01915 <b>978-356-6606</b>
<b>Hingham</b>	Transfer and Recycling Center Hobart Street Hingham, MA 02043 <b>781-741-1466</b>	<b>Lakeville</b>	Lakeville Transfer Station 10 Kenneth Welch Drive Lakeville, MA 02347 <b>508-947-6599</b>

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<b>Lancaster</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>	<b>Lexington</b>	Town Hall 1625 Massachusetts Avenue Lexington, MA 02420 <b>781-862-0500 x 281</b>
<b>Lanesborough</b>	State Clinics at Berkshire Medical Center 510 North Street Pittsfield, MA 01201 <b>413-442-1167 x 28</b>	<b>Leyden</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>
<b>Lawrence</b>	The Daybreak Shelter 19 Winter Street Lawrence, MA 01841 <b>978-975-4547</b>	<b>Littleton</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>
<b>Lawrence</b>	Greater Lawrence Family Health Center 98-100 Water Street Lawrence, MA 01841 <b>978-689-6687</b>	<b>Longmeadow</b>	Public Health Nurse Health Office Greenwood COA 231 Maple Road Longmeadow, MA 01106 <b>413-565-4154 (mail back only)</b>
<b>Lawrence</b>	The Psychological Center's PEOPLE Recovery Center 11 Union Street Lawrence, MA 01841 <b>978-688-5767</b>	<b>Lowell</b>	Lowell House 555 Merrimack Street Lowell, MA 01854 <b>978-459-8656</b>
<b>Leverett</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>Lowell</b>	Lowell Regional Wastewater Utility 451 First Street Boulevard (Rt. 110) Lowell, MA 01850 <b>978-674-4248</b>
<b>Leicester</b>	Leicester Recycling Center 233 Mainville Street Leicester, MA 01524 <b>508-873-2363</b>	<b>Lowell</b>	Lowell Senior Center 276 Broadway Street Lowell, MA 01854 <b>978-674-1171</b>
<b>Lexington</b>	Town Administration Building 1625 Massachusetts Avenue Lexington, MA 02420 <b>781-862-0500 x 200</b>	<b>Ludlow</b>	Ludlow Health Department 488 Chapin Street Ludlow, MA 01056 <b>413-583-5600 x 1272</b>
			Holyoke Health Center Pharmacy 230 Maple Street Holyoke, MA 01041 <b>413-583-5600 x 1270</b>

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<b>Lunenburg</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>	<b>Marlborough</b>	Bouvier Pharmacy 515 Lincoln Street Marlborough, MA 01752 <b>508-485-0432</b>
<b>Lynn</b>	Lynn Health Department 3 City Hall Square, Room 103 Lynn MA 01901 <b>781-586-6819 or 6820</b>	<b>Marlborough</b>	Walker Building 255 Main Street, Room 103 Marlborough, MA 01752 <b>508-460-3751</b>
<b>Lynn</b>	Lynn Community Health Center 269 Union Street Lynn MA 01901 <b>781-581-3900</b>	<b>Marshfield</b>	Marshfield Health Department 870 Moraine Street Marshfield, MA 02050 <b>781-834-5558</b>
<b>Lynnfield</b>	Lynnfield Department of Public Works 55 Summer Street Lynnfield, MA 01940 <b>781-334-9480</b>	<b>Mashpee</b>	Mashpee Department of Public Works 350 Meetinghouse Road Mashpee, MA 02649 <b>508-539-1420</b>
<b>Malden</b>	Government Center 200 Pleasant Street Malden, MA 02148 <b>781-397-7053</b>	<b>Mattapoisett</b>	Mattapoisett Public Health Nursing Office 17 Barstow Street Mattapoisett, MA 02739 <b>508-758-4100</b>
<b>Manchester-by-the-Sea</b>	Board of Health 10 Central Street Manchester, MA 01944 <b>978-526-7385</b>	<b>Maynard</b>	Maynard Town Hall 195 Main Street Maynard, MA 01754 <b>978-897-1002</b>
<b>Mansfield</b>	Mansfield Fire Department 10 Plymouth Street Mansfield, MA 02048 <b>508-261-7366</b>	<b>Medford</b>	Lawrence Memorial Hospital 170 Governors Avenue Medford, MA 02155 <b>781-393-2560</b>
<b>Marblehead</b>	Board of Health Mary Alley Municipal Building 7 Widger Road Marblehead, MA <b>781-631-0212</b>	<b>Medford</b>	Medford City Hall 85 George P. Hasset Drive Medford, MA 02155 <b>781-393-2560</b>
<b>Marion</b>	Town Hall 2 Spring Street Marion, MA 02738 <b>508-748-3533</b>	<b>Melrose</b>	Melrose City Hall 562 Main Street Melrose, MA 02176 <b>781-979-4130</b>

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<b>Merrimac</b>	Council on Aging 100 East Main Street Merrimac, MA 01860 <b>978-346-4066</b>	<b>Montgomery</b>	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day <b>413-862-3386</b>
<b>Methuen</b>	Municipal Building 90 Hampshire Street Methuen, MA 01844 <b>978-794-3229</b>	<b>Mount Washington</b>	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day <b>413-528-1798</b>
<b>Middleborough</b>	Police Department 99 North Main Street Middleborough, MA 02346 <b>508-946-2408</b>	<b>Nantucket</b>	Nantucket Health/Fire Department 131 Pleasant Street Nantucket, MA 02554 <b>508-228-7226</b>
<b>Middleton</b>	Masconomet Regional High School 20 Endicott Street Boxford, MA 01983 <b>978-777-1869</b>	<b>Natick</b>	Department of Public Works 75 West Street Natick, MA 01760 <b>508-647-6460</b>
<b>Milton</b>	Milton Health Department 525 Canton Avenue Milton, MA 02186 <b>617-898-4886</b>	<b>Needham</b>	Needham Recycling & Transfer Station 1421 Central Avenue Needham, MA 02192 <b>781-455-7568</b> <b>Tues-Sat 7:30-4:00pm</b> <a href="http://www.needhamma.gov/RTS">www.needhamma.gov/RTS</a>
<b>Monson</b>	Monson Health Department 29 Thompson Street Monson, MA 01057 <b>413-267-4107</b>	<b>New Bedford</b>	Greater New Bedford Community Health Center 874 Purchase Street, New Bedford, MA 02740 <b>508-992-6553</b>
<b>Montague</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>New Bedford</b>	Home of Hope for Women Outreach Center 1173 Acushnet Avenue. New Bedford, MA 02746 <b>508-996-0546</b>
<b>Monterey</b>	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day <b>413-243-5540</b>	<b>New Bedford</b>	Seven Hills Behavioral Health 589 South First Street New Bedford, MA 02744 <b>508-999-3126</b>
<b>Montgomery</b>	Montgomery Health Department 161 Main Road Montgomery, MA 01085 <b>413-454-5454 or 413-862-3386</b>	<b>New Marlborough</b>	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day <b>413-229-8469</b>

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<b>New Salem</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>Norton</b>	Norton Health Department 70 E. Main Street Norton, MA 02766 <b>508-285-0262</b>
<b>Newton</b>	Board of Health 1294 Centre Street Newton, MA 02459 <b>617-796-1420</b>	<b>Norwood</b>	Norwood Health Department 566 Washington Street Norwood, MA 02062 <b>781-762-1240 x 174</b>
<b>Norfolk</b>	Norfolk Fire Department 117 Main Street Norfolk, MA 02056 <b>508-528-7747</b>	<b>Oak Bluffs</b>	Martha's Vineyard Hospital 1 Hospital Road Oak Bluffs, MA 02557 <b>508-693-3554 x 202</b>
<b>Northampton</b>	Northampton Health Department Municipal Building, First Floor 212 Main Street Northampton MA 01060 <b>413-587-1214</b>	<b>Orange</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>
<b>Northampton</b>	Tapestry Health Needle Exchange 16 Centre Street, Suite 401 Northampton, MA 01060 <b>413-747-5144 x 105</b>	<b>Orleans</b>	Orleans Fire Department 58 Eldridge Parkway Orleans, MA 02653 <b>508-255-0050 or 508-240-3700 x 351</b>
<b>North Andover</b>	North Andover Fire Department 124 Main Street North Andover, MA 01845 <b>978-688-9540</b>	<b>Otis</b>	Great Barrington Police Department 465 Main Street Great Barrington, MA 01230 <b>413-269-0100 x 104</b>
<b>North Brookfield</b>	North Brookfield Transfer Station 59 East Brookfield Road North Brookfield, MA 01535 <b>508-867-0201</b>	<b>Paxton</b>	St. Vincent Hospital 123 Summer Street Worcester, MA 01608 <b>508-753-2803 x 11</b>
<b>Northfield</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>Peabody</b>	Peabody City Hall 24 Lowell Street Peabody, MA 01960 <b>978-532-3000</b>

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<b>Pembroke</b>	Pembroke Fire Station 100 Center Street Pembroke, MA 02359 <b>781-293-2718</b>	<b>Provincetown</b>	Provincetown Fire Department 25 Shankpainter Road Provincetown MA 02657 <b>508-487-7023</b>
<b>Pepperell</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>	<b>Quincy</b>	Manet Community Health Center 110 West Squantum Street Quincy, MA 02171 <b>617-376-2040</b>
<b>Phillipston</b>	Athol Memorial I Hospital 2033 Main Street Athol, MA 01331 <b>978-249-1735</b>	<b>Quincy</b>	Quincy Health Department 440 East Squantum Quincy, MA 02169 <b>617-376-1273</b>
<b>Pittsfield</b>	Berkshire Medical Neighborhood Health Center 510 North Street Pittsfield, MA 01201 <b>413-447-2654</b>	<b>Randolph</b>	Board of Health 1 Turner Lane Randolph, MA 02368 <b>781-961-0924</b>
<b>Plainville</b>	Plainville Fire Department 157 South Street Plainville, MA 02762 <b>508-695-3142 x 30</b>	<b>Reading</b>	Health Department 16 Lowell Street Reading, MA 01867 <b>781-942-9061</b>
<b>Plymouth</b>	Health Imperatives / Plymouth Family Planning 123 Camelot Drive Plymouth, MA 02360 <b>508-746-8353</b>	<b>Rehoboth</b>	Fire Station 334 Anawan Street Rehoboth, MA 02769 <b>508-252-3725</b>
<b>Plympton</b>	Plympton Health Department 5 Palmer Road Plympton, MA 02367 <b>781-585-7000</b>	<b>Revere</b>	Revere Health Department 249R Broadway Revere, MA 02151 <b>781-286-8176</b>
<b>Provincetown</b>	AIDS Support Group of Cape Cod – Unit 10 336 Commercial Street Provincetown, MA 02657 <b>508-487-8311</b>	<b>Revere</b>	Revere Police Department 400 Revere Beach Parkway Revere MA 02151 <b>781-284-1212</b>
		<b>Richmond</b>	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day <b>413-230-4941</b>

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<b>Rochester</b>	Board of Health 37 Marion Road Rochester, MA 02770 <b>508-763-3871</b>	<b>Sandwich</b>	Fire Department 115 Route 6A Sandwich, MA 02563 <b>508-888-4200</b>
<b>Rockport</b>	Addison Gilbert Hospital 298 Washington Street Gloucester, MA 01930 <b>978-546-3701</b>	<b>Saugus</b>	Saugus Town Hall 298 Central Street, Suite 9 Saugus, MA 01906 <b>781-231-4115</b>
<b>Rowe</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>Scituate</b>	Scituate Fire Department 149 First Parish Road Scituate, MA 02066 <b>781-545-8725</b>
<b>Rowley</b>	Rowley Health Department 30 Central Street Rowley, MA 01969 <b>978-948-2231</b>	<b>Seekonk</b>	Household Hazardous Waste Day (once per year) 100 Peck Street Seekonk, MA 02771 <b>508-336-2950</b>
<b>Royalston</b>	Athol Memorial Hospital 2033 Main Street Athol, MA 01331 <b>978-249-3617</b>	<b>Sharon</b>	Fire Department 92 South Main Street Sharon, MA 02067 <b>781-784-1510</b>
<b>Russell</b>	Russell Health Department 65 Main Street Russell, MA 01071 <b>413-862-6207</b>	<b>Sheffield</b>	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day <b>413-229-7000 x 157</b>
<b>Rutland</b>	Household Hazardous Waste Day West Boylston, MA 01583 <b>508-886-4102</b>	<b>Shelburne</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>
<b>Salem</b>	Fire Headquarters Station 48 Lafayette Street Salem, MA 01970 <b>978-741-1800</b>	<b>Shirley</b>	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 <b>978-772-3335</b>
<b>Sandisfield</b>	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day <b>413-258-4053</b>	<b>Shrewsbury</b>	Shrewsbury Health Department 100 Maple Avenue Shrewsbury, MA 01545 <b>508-841-8512</b>

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<b>Somerville</b>	Safety Building/Police Department 220 Washington Street Somerville, MA 02143 <b>617-625-1600</b>	<b>Springfield</b>	New North Citizens Council Drop-In Center 2594 Main Street Springfield, MA 01107 <b>413-746-4885</b>
<b>South Hadley</b>	Council on Aging 45 Dayton Street South Hadley, MA 01075 <b>413-538-5042</b>	<b>Stoneham</b>	Board of Health 35 Central Street Stoneham, MA 02180 <b>781-279-2621</b>
<b>Southborough</b>	Southborough Transfer Station 147 Cordaville Road Southborough, MA 01772 <b>508-481-3013</b>	<b>Stoughton</b>	Stoughton Fire Department 30 Freeman Street Stoughton, MA 02072 <b>781-341-1300 x 265</b>
<b>Southbridge</b>	Harrington Hospital / Board of Health 164 South Street Southbridge, MA 01550 <b>508-764-4252</b>	<b>Stow</b>	Stow Board of Health 380 Great Road Stow MA 01775 <b>978-897-4592</b>
<b>Southwick</b>	Southwick Health Department 454 College Highway Southwick, MA 01077 <b>413-569-1212</b>	<b>Sturbridge</b>	Transfer Station Breakneck Road (end) Sturbridge, MA 01566 <b>508-347-2504</b>
<b>South Yarmouth</b>	Barnstable County-South Yarmouth 96 Old Main Street South Yarmouth, MA 02664 <b>508-398-2212</b>	<b>Sunderland</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>
<b>Spencer</b>	Town of Spencer Transfer Station South Spencer Road Spencer, MA 01562 <b>508-885-7539</b>	<b>Sutton</b>	Town of Sutton Board of Health 4 Uxbridge Road Sutton, MA 01590 <b>508-865-8724</b>
<b>Spencer</b>	Town of Spencer Board of Health 157 Main Street Spencer, MA 01562 <b>508-885-7500 x 180</b>	<b>Swampscott</b>	Swampscott Town Hall 22 Monument Avenue Swampscott, MA 01907 <b>781-596-8850</b>
<b>Springfield</b>	La Voz Tapestry Health 130 Maple Street Springfield, MA 01105 <b>413-363-9472</b>	<b>Swansea</b>	Swansea Health Department 68 Stevens Road Swansea, MA 02777 <b>508-324-6704</b>

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<b>Taunton</b>	Taunton Health Department 45 School Street Taunton, MA 02780 <b>508-821-1400</b>	<b>Tyringham</b>	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day <b>413-243-1749</b>
<b>Templeton</b>	Templeton Health Department 2 School Street Templeton, MA 01436 <b>978-939-2377</b>	<b>Upton</b>	Upton Health Department 1 Main Street Upton, MA 01568 <b>508-529-6813</b>
<b>Tewksbury</b>	Fire Department 21 Town hall Avenue Tewksbury, MA 01876 <b>978-640-4470</b>	<b>Wakefield</b>	Public Safety Building 1 Union Street Wakefield, MA 01880 <b>781-246-6375</b>
<b>Tisbury</b>	Martha's Vineyard Hospital 1 Hospital Road Oak Bluffs, MA 02568 <b>508-696-4290</b>	<b>Wareham</b>	Health Imperatives/Family Planning of Wareham 106 Main Street, #7 Wareham, MA. 02571 <b>508-295-0383</b>
<b>Tolland</b>	Tolland Health Department 241 West Granville Road Tolland, MA 01034 <b>413-258-4068</b>	<b>Warwick</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>
<b>Topsfield</b>	Masconomet Regional High School 20 Endicott Street Boxford, MA 01983 <b>978-887-1520</b>	<b>Watertown</b>	(call for drop-off schedule) Administration Building Health, Fire Department 149 Main Street Watertown, MA 02472 <b>617-972-6446</b>
<b>Townsend</b>	Townsend Health Department 272 Main Street Townsend, MA 01469 <b>978-597-1713</b>	<b>Wayland</b>	Transfer Station 448 Boston Post Road Wayland, MA 01778 <b>508-358-3672</b>
<b>Truro</b>	Truro Transfer Station Truro Dump Road, Off Rte. 6 Truro, MA 02666 <b>508-349-6339</b>	<b>Webster</b>	Webster Health Department 350 Main Street Webster, MA 01570 <b>508-949-3800 x 4002</b>
<b>Tyngsboro</b>	Tyngsboro Health Department 25 Bryants Lane Tyngsboro, MA 01879 <b>978-649-7907</b>		

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<b>Wellfleet</b>	Wellfleet Fire Department 10 Lawrence Road Wellfleet, MA 02667 <b>508-349-3754</b>	<b>West Stockbridge</b>	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day <b>413-232-0300 x 314</b>
<b>Wendell</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>West Tisbury</b>	Martha's Vineyard Hospital 1 Hospital Road Oak Bluffs, MA 02568 <b>508-696-0105</b>
<b>Wenham</b>	Fire Department 140 Main Street Wenham, MA 01984 <b>978-468-5520</b>	<b>Westford</b>	Westford Health Department 55 Main Street Westford, MA 01886 <b>978-399-2908</b>
<b>West Bridgewater</b>	Fire Department 99 West Center Street West Bridgewater, MA 02379 <b>508-894-1209</b>	<b>Westminster</b>	Fitchburg/Westminster Landfill 165 Fitchburg Road (Rte 31) Westminster, MA 01473 <b>978-874-7409</b>
<b>West Brookfield</b>	Harrington Hospital 100 South Street Southbridge, MA 01550 <b>508-867-1421 x 310</b>	<b>Westport</b>	Transfer Station 856 Main Road Westport, MA 02790 <b>508-636-1015</b>
<b>Westfield</b>	Westfield Health Department 59 Court Street Westfield, MA 01085 <b>413-572-6210</b>	<b>Westwood</b>	Islington Fire Department 300 Washington Street Westwood, MA 02090 <b>781-320-1026</b>
<b>West Newbury</b>	381 Main Street West Newbury, MA 01985 <b>978-363-1100, x 119</b>	<b>Westwood</b>	Senior Center 60 Nahatan Street Westwood, MA 02090 <b>781-320-1026</b>
<b>West Springfield</b>	Town Hall 26 Central Street West Springfield, MA 01089 <b>413-263-3206</b>	<b>Weymouth</b>	Weymouth Town Hall 75 Middle Street Weymouth, MA 02189 <b>781-340-5008</b>
<b>West Springfield</b>	DPW Recycling Yard 430 Westfield Street West Springfield, MA 01089 <b>413-263-3206</b>	<b>Weymouth</b>	Manet Community Health Center 110 West Squantum Street Quincy, MA 02171 <b>617-376-2040</b>

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<b>Whately</b>	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 <b>413-772-2438</b>	<b>Worcester</b>	Edward M. Kennedy Community Health Center 631 Lincoln Street Worcester, MA 01615 <b>508-854-3260</b>
<b>Whitman</b>	Whitman Health Department 54 South Avenue. Whitman, MA 02382 <b>781-618-9755</b>	<b>Worcester</b>	City of Worcester 25 Meade Street Worcester, MA 01610 <b>508-799-8531</b>
<b>Wilbraham</b>	Wilbraham Health Department 240 Springfield Street Wilbraham, MA 01095 <b>413-454-5155</b>	<b>Worcester</b>	Family Health Center 26 Queen Street Worcester, MA 01603 <b>508-860-7750</b>
<b>Williamstown</b>	Williamstown Fire Department 31 North Street Williamstown, MA 01267 <b>413-458-9344</b>	<b>Worcester</b>	Worcester Senior Center 128 Providence Street Worcester, MA 01604 <b>508-799-1232</b>
<b>Wilmington</b>	Wilmington Health Department 121 Glen Road Wilmington, MA 01887 <b>978-658-4298</b>	<b>Yarmouth</b>	Barnstable County Health Department 96 Old Main Street South Yarmouth, MA 02664 <b>508-398-2212</b>
<b>Winthrop</b>	Winthrop Fire Department 40 Pauline Street Winthrop, MA 01252 <b>617-846-1740 x 131</b>		
<b>Woburn</b>	Woburn City Hall 10 Common Street Woburn, MA 01801 <b>781-897-5923</b>		
<b>Worcester</b>	AIDS Project Worcester 85 Green Street Worcester, MA 01604 <b>508-755-3773</b>		
<b>Worcester</b>	Edward M Kennedy Community Health Center 19 Tacoma Street Worcester, MA 01605 <b>508-852-1805</b>		