

## Drop Off Locations

James Johnston Memorial Nursing Home  
286 Deyo Hill Rd  
Johnson City, NY 607-785-7100  
*Lobby, Mon.-Fri. 9am-3pm*

Susquehanna Nursing Home  
282 Riverside Dr  
Johnson City, NY 607-729-9206  
*Housekeeping Office, 24 hrs, 7days a week*

Vestal Nursing Center  
860 Old Vestal LN  
Vestal, NY 607-754-4105  
*South Wing receiving area, Mon. 2pm-3pm*

River Mede Nursing Center  
156 Front St  
Binghamton, NY 607-722-7225  
*Front St. lobby at reception, Fri. 9am-11am*

Good Shepherd Fairview Home, Inc  
80 Fairview Ave  
Binghamton, NY 607-724-2477 x167  
*Main loading dock, Wed. 12pm-3pm*

Ideal Senior Living Center  
508 High Ave  
Endicott, NY 607-786-7420  
*Loading dock at south end, 1st Monday of  
the month, 12pm-2pm*

## Additional Medical Waste Information

- Soiled bandages, disposable sheets, gloves, IV bags and such should be placed in securely tied plastic bags before you put them in the garbage with your other refuse.

Improperly discarded medical waste can:

- Injure trash haulers & landfill workers
- Contaminate & jeopardize recycling programs
- Can spread disease if reused or shared

### For more information:

Broome County Division of Solid  
Waste Management  
607-778-2250

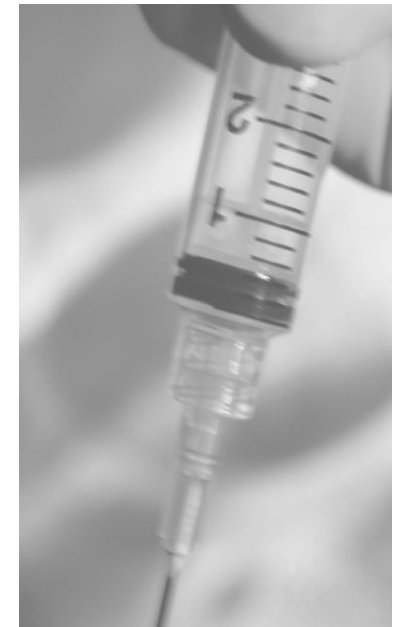
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607-778-8885

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## Household Sharps & Medical Waste



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# How to Safely Dispose of Household Sharps

## Safe Disposal of Sharps

- Safe disposal of sharps (needles, syringes, lancets) prevents sharps from being re-used or shared which can spread disease.
- Safe disposal protects children, pets and workers who handle trash & recyclables from injury or illness.
- Safe disposal protects the environment.

## Storing Used Sharps

Follow the below guidelines when storing sharps until they can safely be disposed of.

### DO-

- Place used Sharps in a sharps container. Containers can be purchased at the local drug store. If you do not have a sharps container use a plastic bottle that cannot be broken or punctured, such as a detergent bottle. Screw cap on & tape cap. Write “SHARPS” on the container. Bring to a designated drop-off location.



- Place sharps in container directly after use. Keep container closed and away from children and pets. Store in a secure location.
- When traveling bring container with you.

### DON'T-

- **Don't** put sharps containers in the trash.\*
- **Don't** clip, bend or put the cap back on used sharps
- **Don't** put loose used sharps or used sharps container in with the recyclables
- **Don't** put used sharps in soda cans, milk cartons, glass bottles or containers that can be broken or punctured. Coffee cans are not safe because plastic lids come off easily, leak and can be punctured.



\*Used sharps containers can be placed in the trash only if access to a drop-off is not available.

## Drop-Off Locations

Wilson Hospital  
33-57 Harrison Street,  
Johnson City, NY 607-763-6058  
*Fleckinger's Warehouse, Fri. 11am-2pm*

Binghamton General Hospital  
10-42 Mitchell Ave  
Binghamton, NY 607-762-2206  
*Emergency Dept- Park Ave, Wed. 12pm-3pm*

Our Lady of Lourdes Memorial Hospital  
161 Riverside Dr  
Binghamton, NY 607-798-5111  
*Lobby entrance Mon.-Fri. 7am-7pm*

Willow Point Nursing Home  
3700 Old Vestal Rd  
Vestal, NY 607-763-4400  
*Ambulance entrance, Mon. 9am-11pm*

The Waters of Endicott  
301 Nantucket Dr  
Endicott, NY 607-754-2705  
*Main Lobby, Fri. 9am-1pm*

*Please see reverse side for additional locations*