Proper Use and Disposal of Needles and Syringes Be Smart. Be Careful. Be Aware. Be Safe.

If you're one of the many people in Massachusetts who uses syringes to manage your health care at home, Here's what you need to know about the safe use and disposal of needles, syringes and lancets (sharps).

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
 Sharps Compliance, Inc: 800-772-5657

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 of 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.

Pind 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.

Sale and Possession of Hypodermic Syringes and Needles in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

M.G.L. c. 94C, § 27 authorizes pharmacies to sell hypodermic syringes and needles to any person, of any age, without a prescription, and without identification.

State Sanitary Code: (M.G.L. chapter 111, section 127A) Improper disposal of infectious or physically dangerous medical or biological waste may result in penalties of up to\$25,000 or two years in a corrections facility.

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

Syringe Services Programs (SSPs):

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, to substance use disorder treatment, HIV and hepatitis C (HCV) education, risk reduction counseling, HIV, HCV, and sexually transmitted infection (STI) testing, overdose prevention and access to naloxone (Narcan®), and linkage to primary care and case management services. SSPs are free.

As of July 1, 2016, the local board of health in a Massachusetts city or town may approve the establishment of an SSP (SSP Approval MGL C111 S215) in that city or town.

To locate an SSP in Massachusetts, use the link below: https://www.mass.gov/info-details/syringe-service-program-locator

Substance Abuse Education and Information Helpline 800-327-5050 www.helpline-online.com

State Agencies:

 Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (DEP)

617-292-5500, TTY: 617- 574-6868 www.mass.gov/dep

Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH)

617-624-6000 www.mass.gov/dph

DPH Bureau of Climate and Environmental Health 617-624-5757

www.mass.gov/dph/environmental_health

DPH Bureau of Infectious Disease and Laboratory Sciences

(617) 983-6800

https://www.mass.gov/orgs/bureau-of-infectious-disease-and-laboratory-sciences

DPH Bureau of Substance Addiction Services 617-624-5111 www.mass.gov/dph/bsas

DPH Diabetes Prevention and Control Program 617-624-5485 www.mass.gov/dph/diabetes

Syringe and Needle Disposal Sites in the Commonwealth of 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.

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Restrictions apply at some of these locations.

Contact the Needle Disposal Site in advance to determine restrictions and disposal schedules.

Abington	Abington Health Department 500 Gliniewicz Way		Andover Town Hall 36 Bartlett St.
	Abington MA 02351		Andover, MA, 01810
	781-982-2119		978-623-8640
Acton	Transfer Station		The Center at Punchard
	14 Forest Rd,		(Andover Senior Center)
	Acton, MA 01720		30 Whittier Court
	978-929-7742		Andover, MA 01810
			978-623-8640
	Acton Nursing Service		
	30 Sudbury Road,	Aquinnah	Martha's Vineyard Hospital
	Acton, MA 01720		1 Hospital Road
			Oak Bluffs, MA 02568
Acushnet	Board of Health		508-645-2307
	130 Main Street	A 11 1	N
	Acushnet, MA 02743	Ashburnham	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health
	508-998-0275		30 Central Avenue
Adams	Adama Dalias Danartmant		Ayer, MA 01432
Auams	Adams Police Department 4 School Street		978-772-3335
	Adams, MA 01220	Ashby	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health
	413-743-8330	Asilby	30 Central Avenue
	413-743-0330		Ayer MA 01432
Agawam	Agawam Health Department		978-772-3335
, igairain	36 Main Street		010 112 0000
	Agawam, MA 01001	Athol	Athol Health Department
	413-786-0400 x207		584 Main Street, Suite 1
	110 100 0 100 X201		Athol, MA 01331
Amherst	Amherst Health Department		978-249-7934
	70 Boltwood Road		
	Amherst, MA 01002	Attleboro	Attleboro Fire Station
	413-259-3077		100 Union Street
			Attleboro MA 02703
	Amherst Town Dump/Transfer Station		508-223-2222
	740 Belchertown Road		
	Amherst, MA 01022		Manet Community Health Center
	413-259-3049		8 North Main Street
			Attleboro, MA 02703
Andover	Andover Public Safety Center		508-205-4600
	32 North Main Street		
	Andover, MA 01810	Auburn	Auburn Fire Rescue Dept
	978-623-8640		47 Auburn Street
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Auburn, MA 01501 **508-832-7800**

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Avon	Avon Health Department 65 Main Street Avon, MA 02322 508-588-0414	Belmont	Belmont Health Department 19 Moore St Belmont 02478 617-993-2720
Ayer	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 978-772-3335	Berlin	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 978-772-3335
Barnstable	Barnstable County Health Department 3195 Main Street Barnstable MA 02630 508-375-6613	Bernardston	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438
	Cotuit Fire Department 64 High Street Barnstable MA 02635 508-428-2210 COMM Fire Department	Beverly	Beverly Hospital 85 Herrick Street Beverly, MA 01915 978-922-3000
	1875 Falmouth Road Barnstable, MA 02632 508-790-2375		Beverly Police Department 191 Cabot Street Beverly MA 978-922-1212
Barre	Barre Transfer Station 72 Depot Road Barre, MA 01005 978-355-5002	Billerica	Billerica Health Department 365 Boston Road Billerica, MA 01821 978-671-0931
Bedford	Bedford Health Department 12 Mudge Way Bedford MA 01730 781-275-6507	Bolton	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 978-772-3335
	Bedford Fire Department 55 Great Road Bedford, MA 01730 781-275-7262 x 100	Boston	AHOPE-Needle Exchange Program 774 Albany Street, 3rd Floor Boston, MA 02118 800-383-2437 or 617-534-3976
Belchertown	Belchertown Board of Health Lawrence Memorial Hall 2 Jabish Street Belchertown, MA 01007 413-323-9406		Access: Drug User Health Program 75 Amory Street Boston, MA 02130 617-450-1379

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Community, A Walgreens Pharmacy 21-23 Stanhope Street Boston, MA, 02116 617-375-7969	Boxborough	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer MA 01432 978-772-3335		
Boston Health Care for the Homeless 780 Albany Street Boston, MA 02118 857-654-1636	Boxford	Masconomet Regional High School 20 Endicott Street Boxford, MA 01983 978-887-6000 x507		
Boston Public Health Commission 35 Northampton Street Boston, MA 02118 617-534-5395	Braintree	Braintree Health Department 1 JFK Memorial Drive Braintree, MA 02184 781-794-8090		
Boston Public Health Commission 398 Neponset Avenue Dorchester, MA 02122 617-534-5395	Brewster	Brewster Fire Department 1657 Main Street Brewster, MA 02631 508-896-7018		
Boston Public Health Commission 435 Warren Street (side entrance) Roxbury, MA 02119 617-534-5395	Bridgewater	Bridgewater Health Department 66 Central Square Bridgewater, MA 02324 508-697-0903		
MAPS – Dorchester 1 Stoughton Street Dorchester, MA 02125 617-825-5897	Brockton	Brockton Neighborhood Community Health Center 63 Main Street Brockton, MA 02301 508-894-3507		
WCAC 409 Blue Hill Avenue Dorchester, MA 02121-4309 617-541-1050 Project TRUST		COPE Center Syringe Services Program 74 Pleasant Street Brockton, MA 02301 508-583-3405		
721 Massachusetts Avenue Boston, MA 02118 617-414-4495 Bourne Fire and Rescue		Health Imperatives 111 Torey Street Brockton, MA 02301 508-586-3800		
130 Main Street Bourne MA 02532 508-759-0630		Recycling Depot 301A Oak Hill Way Brockton, MA 02302		

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508-580-7175

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Brookfield	Brookfield Transfer Station 7 Quaboag Street Brookfield, MA 01506 508-867-2930	Charlemont	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438
Brookline	Brookline Health Department 11 Pierce Street Brookline MA 02445 617-730-2300	Chatham	Chatham Fire & Rescue 135 Depot Road Chatham, MA 02633 508-945-2324
Buckland	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438	Chelsea	City of Chelsea Health Department 500 Broadway Room 100W Chelsea, MA 02150 617-466-4080
Burlington	Burlington Fire Department 21 Center Street Burlington MA 01803 781-270-1956	Chelmsford	Chelmsford Health Department Household Hazardous Waste Day 50 Billerica Road Chelmsford, MA 01824 978-250-5241
Cambridge	Cambridge Public Health Department Windsor Street Health Center 119 Windsor Street Cambridge, MA 02139 617-665-3819	Chicopee	Chicopee Health Center 505 Front Street Chicopee, MA 01013 413-420-2222
	Access: Drug User Health Program 359 Green Street Cambridge, MA 02139 617-599-0246		Council on Aging 5 West Main Street Chicopee, MA 01020 413-594-3557 x337
Canton	Canton Health Department 79 Pleasant Street Canton MA 02021 781-821-5021	Chilmark	Martha's Vineyard Hospital 1 Hospital Road Oak Bluffs, MA 02568 508-645-2105
Carver	Carver Health Department 108 Main Street Carver, MA 02330 508-866-3420	Cohasset	Cohasset Health Department 41 Highland Avenue Cohasset, MA 02025 781-383-4100

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Colrain	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438	Deerfield	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438
Concord	Concord Public Works 133 Keyes Road Concord, MA 01742 978 318-3240	Dennisport	Dennis Health Department 465 Main Street (Rte 28) Dennisport, MA 02639 508-760-6158
	Concord Police Department 219 Walden Street Concord, MA 01742 978-318-3404	Dracut	Dracut Health Department 11 Spring Park Avenue Dracut, MA 01826 978-453-8162
Conway	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield MA 01301 413-772-2438	Dunstable	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 978-772-3335
Cummington	Transfer Station 10 Fairground Road Cummington, MA 01026 413-634-5744	Duxbury	Duxbury Fire Department 668 Tremont Street Duxbury, MA 02332 781-934-1100 x140
Danvers	Danvers Police Department 120 Ash Street Danvers, MA 01923 978-777-0001 x3095	East Bridgewater	East Bridgewater Board of Health Town Offices 175 Central Street East Bridgewater, MA 02333 508-378-1612
Dartmouth	Dartmouth Board of Health 400 Slocum Road, Dartmouth, MA 02747 508-910-1804	East Brookfield	North Brookfield Transfer Station 59 East Brookfield Road North Brookfield, MA 01535 508-867-6769 x307
Dedham	Dedham Health Department 450 Washington Street Dedham, MA 02026 781-751-9220	Eastham	Eastham Fire Department 2520 State Highway Eastham, MA 02642 508-255-2324
		Easthampton	Public Safety Complex 32 Payson Avenue Easthampton, MA 01027 413-529-1430

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Edgartown	Martha's Vineyard Hospital	SSTAR
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1 Hospital Road 386 Stanley Street
Oak Bluffs, MA 02557 Fall River, MA 02720-6009

508-627-6120 508-675-0087

Egremont Transfer Station Center Fire Station

171 Plain Road 165 Center Street
South Egremont, MA 01258 Fall River, MA 02720

413-528-0182 508-324-2410 BOH

Erving Franklin County Solid Waste Globe Fire Station

Management District 600 Globe Street
50 Miles Street Fall River, MA 02720
Greenfield, MA 01301 508-324-2410 BOH

413-772-2438

Falmouth Falmouth Health Department
Essex Essex Town Hall

Essex Town Hall 59 Town Hall Square 30 Martin Street Falmouth, MA 02540 Essex, MA 01929 508-495-7485

978-768-7614

Everett City Hall AIDS Support Group of Cape Cod 65 Town Hall Square, Unit C

484 Broadway, Rm 20 Falmouth, MA 02540

Everett, MA 02149 774-763-6656 617-394-2255

Fitchburg Action Community Health Center

Everett Police Department 130 Water Street
45 Elm St Fitchburg, MA 01420
Everett. MA 02149 978-878-8100

Everett, MA 02149 978-878-8100 617-389-2120

Fairhaven Fire Department Community Health Connections 326 Nicholls Road

Fire Department 326 Nicholls Road
146 Washington Street Fitchburg, MA 01420
Fairhaven, MA 02719 978-829-1870

Fairhaven, MA 02719 978-829-1870 508-994-1428

Fall River Diabetes Association, Inc. Fitchburg Road (Rte 31)

Diabetes Association, Inc. 165 Fitchburg Road (Rte 31) 170 Pleasant Street Westminster, MA 01473

Fall River, MA 02722 978-345-9582 508-672-5671

Seven Hills Community Wellness

Foxborough

Dooley Disposal Services Inc.

Mechanic St

Seven Hills Community Wellness 6 Mechanic St,
Center – Fall River Foxborough, MA 02035

356 South Main Street 508-543-1389

Fall River, MA 02720 Sharps take back service

508-235-1012 3-4 times a year

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Framingham	Justice Resource Institute Program RISE 1 Grant Street, Suite 100 Framingham, MA 01702	Great Barrington	Berkshire Harm Reduction 401 Stockbridge Road Great Barrington, MA 01230 413-854-9937
Franklin	508-935-2960 Board of Health 355 East Central Street Franklin, MA 02038 508-520-4905	Greenfield	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438
Gardner	Community Health Connections Center 175 Connors Street Gardner MA 01440 978-878-8100		Tapestry Health 40 School Street Unit 6 Greenfield, MA 02301 413-475-3377
Gill	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438	Groton	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 978-772-3335
Gloucester	Addison Gilbert Hospital 298 Washington Street Gloucester, MA 01930 978-281-9771	Hadley	Senior Center 46 Middle Street Hadley, MA 01035 413-586-2513
	North Shore Health Project 302 Washington Street Gloucester, MA 01930 978-283-0101	Halifax	Halifax Recycling Center 917 Plymouth Street Halifax, MA 02338 781-293-6768
	Gloucester Police Department 197 Main Street Gloucester, MA 01930 978-283-1212	Hampden	Hampden Health Department 625 Main Street Hampden, MA 01036 413-566-2151 x102
Grafton	Grafton Health Department 30 Providence Road Grafton, MA 01519 508-839-5335 X 1580	Hanover	Hanover Town Hall 32 Center Street Hanover, MA 02339 781-826-4611
Granby	Granby Fire Department 259 B. East State Street Granby, MA 01033 508-839-5335 x128	Hanson	Hanson Transfer Station 201 Franklin Street Hanson, MA 02341 781-293-3138

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Harvard	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 978-772-3335		Holyoke Health Center Pharmacy 230 Maple Street Holyoke, MA 01041 413-420-2200
Harwich	Harwich Transfer Station 209 Queen Anne Road Harwich, MA 02645 508-430-7558	Hopkinton	Hopkinton Police Department 74 Main Street Hopkinton, MA 01748 508-497-9700
Hatfield	Police Department 59 Main Street Hatfield, MA 01038 413-247-0497	Hudson	Hudson Transfer Station 300 Cox Street Hudson, MA 01749 978-562-2020
Haverhill	NFI Clinic 75 Winter Street Haverhill, MA 01830 978-372-7796	Hull 	Hull Health Department 253 Atlantic Avenue Hull, MA 02045 781-925-2224
Hawley	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438	Hyannis Ipswich	AIDS Support Group of Cape Cod 428 South Street Hyannis MA 02601 508-778-1954
Heath	Board of Health Nurses Office 18 Jacobs Road Heath, A 01346 413 337-4934 EXT 109	ipswicii	Ipswich Police Department 25 Green Street Ipswich, MA 01938. 978-356-6600 Ipswich Health Department
Hingham	Transfer and Recycling Center 1 Sam Ryder Road Hingham, MA 02043		25 Green Street Ipswich, MA 01938 978-356-6606
Holyoke	781-741-1466 Holyoke Health Department 20 Korean Veteran's Plaza Holyoke, MA 01040	Lakeville	Lakeville Transfer Station 10 Kenneth Welch Drive Lakeville, MA 02347 508-947-6599
	413-322-5595 Tapestry Health 15A Main Street Holyoke MA 01040 413-315-3732 x1	Lancaster	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 978-772-3335

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Lawrence Leicester	Greater Lawrence Family Health Center 98-100 Water Street Lawrence, MA 01841 978-685-7663 Leicester Recycling Center	Longmeadow	Public Health Nurse Health Office Greenwood COA 231 Maple Road Longmeadow, MA 01106 413-565-4154 (mail back only)
	233 Mainville Street Leicester, MA 01524 508-873-2363	Lowell	Life Connection Center 192 Appleton Street Lowell, MA 01852 978-997-0588
Leominster	Leominster Health Department 25 West St Leominster, MA 01453 978-534-7533 x249 Community Health Connections 165 Mill Street Leominster, MA 01453 978-878-8100		Lowell Community Health Center 161 Jackson Street Lowell, MA 01854 978-937-9700 Lowell Health Department Syringe Collection Program 107 Merrimack Street,
Leverett	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 978-534-7533 x249		Lowell, MA 01852 978-674-1049 Lowell Regional Wastewater Utility 451 First Street Boulevard (Rt. 110) Lowell, MA 01850 978-674-4248
Lexington	Town Hall 1625 Massachusetts Avenue Lexington, MA 02420 781-698-4533		Lowell Senior Center 276 Broadway Street Lowell, MA 01854 978-674-1171
Leyden	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438	Ludlow	Ludlow Health Department 488 Chapin Street Ludlow, MA 01056 413-583-5600 x1272
Littleton	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer MA 01432 978-772-3335	Lunenburg	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer MA 01432 978-772-3335
		Lynn	Healthy Streets 100 Willow Street 2 nd floor Lynn MA 01901 339-987-5552

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Lynn Health Department	
3 City Hall Square, Room	103

Lynn MA 01901

781-586-6819 or 6820

Lynn Community Health Center

269 Union Street Lynn MA 01901 781-581-3900

Lynnfield Fire Department

59 Summer Street Lynnfield, MA 781-334-5152

Malden Government Center

> 200 Pleasant Street Malden, MA 02148 781-397-7053

Manchester-by-the-Sea

Lynnfield

Board of Health 10 Central Street Manchester, MA 01944

978-526-7385

Mansfield Mansfield Public Safety Building

500-A East Street

Building A

Mansfield, MA 02048

508-261-7321

Marblehead Board of Health

Mary Alley Municipal Building

7 Widger Road, #1 Marblehead, MA 01945

781-631-0212

Marion Town Hall

> 2 Spring Street Marion, MA 02738 508-748-3533

Marlborough **Bouvier Pharmacy**

> 515 Lincoln Street Marlborough, MA 01752

508-485-0432

Walker Building

255 Main Street, Room 103 Marlborough, MA 01752

508-460-3751

Marshfield Marshfield Health Department

> 870 Moraine Street Marshfield, MA 02050

781-834-5558

Mashpee Mashpee Department

of Public Works

350 Meetinghouse Road Mashpee, MA 02649

508-539-1420

Mattapoisett Public Health Mattapoisett

> **Nursing Office** 17 Barstow Street Mattapoisett, MA 02739

508-758-4100

Maynard Maynard Town Hall

> 195 Main Street Maynard, MA 01754 978-897-1002

Medfield Medfield Public Safety

> 112 North Street Medfield, MA 02052 508-906-3006

Medford Medford Board of Health

Medford City Hall

Room 311

85 George P. Hassett Drive

Medford, MA 02155 781-393-2560

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Melrose Merrimac	Melrose City Hall 562 Main Street Melrose, MA 02176 781-979-4130 Council on Aging 100 East Main Street Merrimac, MA 01860 978-346-4066	Montague Monterey	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day 413-243-5540
Methuen	Town Hall 41 Pleasant Street Methuen, MA 01844 978-794-3229	Montgomery	Montgomery Health Department 161 Main Road Montgomery, MA 01085 413-454-5454 or 413-862-3386
	Methuen Police Department 90 Hampshire Street Methuen, MA 01844 978-983-8753	Mount Washington	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day 413-862-3386 South Berkshire Household
Middleborough	Police Department 99 North Main Street Middleborough, MA 02346 508-946-2408	Nahant	Hazardous Waste Day 413-528-1798 Nahant Town Hall/Selectmen Office
Middleton	Transfer Station 70-98 Natsue Way Middleton, MA 01949	No. 4 ala4	334 Nahant Road Nahant, MA 01908 781-581-0088
Milford	978-777-1869 x4 Milford Transfer Station J. Fred Powers Way (Off of Cedar St (Rt.85)) Milford, MA 01757	Nantucket Natick	Nantucket Health/Fire Department 131 Pleasant Street Nantucket, MA 02554 508-228-7226 Natick Town Hall
Milton	508-478-8093 Milton Health Department 525 Canton Avenue		13 East Central St, 2 nd floor Natick, MA 01760 508-647-6460
Monson	Milton, MA 02186 617-898-4886 Monson Health Department 29 Thompson Street Monson, MA 01057 413-267-4107	Needham	Needham Recycling & Transfer Station 1421 Central Avenue Needham, MA 02192 781-455-7568

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Complex/Needham Public Health, 178

Rosemary Street Needham, MA 02192 **781-455-7940**

New Bedford

Health Imperatives

651 Orchard Street Suite 100 New Bedford, MA 02744

508-984-5333

Greater New Bedford Community

Health Center 874 Purchase Street New Bedford, MA 02740

508-992-6553

Seven Hills Community

Wellness Center - New Bedford

1173 Acushnet Avenue New Bedford, MA 02746

508-996-0546

Seven Hills Behavioral Health

589 South First Street New Bedford, MA 02744

508-999-3126

New Marlborough

South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day

413-229-8469

New Salem

Franklin County Solid Waste

Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438

Newton

Resource Recovery Center 115 Rumford Avenue

Newton, MA 02459 **617-796-1000**

Norfolk

Norfolk Fire Department

117 Main Street Norfolk, MA 02056 **508-528-7747**

North Adams

Berkshire Harm Reduction

6 West Street

North Adams, MA 01247

413-398-5603

North Andover

North Andover Fire Station 795 Chickering Road

North Andover, MA 01845

978-688-9590

North Brookfield

North Brookfield Transfer Station

59 East Brookfield Road North Brookfield, MA 01535

508-867-0201

Northampton

Northampton Health Department

Municipal Building, 1st Floor

212 Main Street

Northampton MA 01060

413-587-1214

Tapestry Health Needle Exchange

16 Centre Street, Suite 415 Northampton, MA 01060

413-586-0310 x2

Northfield

Franklin County Solid Waste

Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301

413-772-2438

Norton

Norton Health Department

70 E. Main Street Norton, MA 02766 **508-285-0262**

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Norwell	Norwell Fire Department 300 Washington Street Norwell, MA 02061 781-659-8156		Peabody City Hall 24 Lowell Street Peabody, MA 01960 978-532-3000
Norwood	Norwood Health Department 566 Washington Street Norwood, MA 02062 781-762-1240 x174		Peabody Police Department 6 Allen's Lane Peabody, MA 01960 978-531-1212
Oak Bluffs	Martha's Vineyard Hospital 1 Hospital Road Oak Bluffs, MA 02557 508-693-3554 x202	Pembroke	Pembroke Fire Station 100 Center Street Pembroke, MA 02359 781-293-2718
Orange	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438	Pepperell	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 978-772-3335
Orleans	Orleans Fire Department 58 Eldridge Parkway Orleans, MA 02653 508-255-0050 or 508-240-3700 x351	Phillipston	Athol Memorial I Hospital 2033 Main Street Athol, MA 01331 978-249-1735
Otis	Great Barrington Police Department 465 Main Street Great Barrington, MA 01230 413-269-0100 x104	Pittsfield	Berkshire Medical Center 510 North Street Suite 6-B2 Pittsfield, MA 01201 413-447-2654
Palmer	Palmer Health Department 4417 Main Street Palmer, MA 01069 413-283-2606	Plainville	Plainville Fire Department 157 South Street Plainville, MA 02762 508-695-3142 x30
Paxton	St. Vincent Hospital 123 Summer Street Worcester, MA 01608 508-753-2803 x11	Plymouth	High Point Treatment Center 61 Industrial Park Road Plymouth, MA 508-224-7701
Peabody	CVS Pharmacy 174 Main Street Peabody, MA 01960 978-977-4844		Plymouth COPE Center 85 Court Street Suite B1 Plymouth, MA 508-591-3870

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Provincetown	AIDS Support Group of Cape Cod 96-98 Bradford Street Provincetown, MA 02657		Revere Police Department 400 Revere Beach Parkway Revere MA 02151 781-284-1212
	Needle Exchange Program 508-487-8311	Richmond	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day
	Provincetown Fire Department 25 Shankpainter Road Provincetown MA 02657 508-487-7023	Rochester	413-230-4941 Board of Health 37 Marion Road
Quincy	Manet Community Health Center 110 West Squantum Street	Postlo d	Rochester, MA 02770 508-763-3871
	Quincy, MA 02171 617-376-3000 Manet Community Health Center	Rockland	Town Hall/Health Department 242 Union St Rockland, MA 02370 781-871-0154 x350
	549 Washington Street Quincy, MA 02169 617-9930100	Rockport	Police Department 168 Main Street Rockport, MA 01966
	Quincy Health Department 440 East Squantum Quincy, MA 02169 617-376-1273		978-546-1212 Department of Public Works 34 Broadway
Randolph	Board of Health 1 Turner Lane		Rockport, MA 01966 978-546-5000 x 40170
	Randolph, MA 02368 781-961-0924	Rowe	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street
Reading	Health Department 16 Lowell Street Reading, MA 01867		Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438
Rehoboth	781-942-9061 Fire Station	Rowley	Rowley Health Department 30 Central Street Rowley, MA 01969
	334 Anawan Street Rehoboth, MA 02769 508-252-3725	Royalston	978-948-2231 Town Hall
Revere	Revere Health Department 249 Broadway, #R Revere, MA 02151	•	5 School Street Royalston, MA 01368 978-249-0493

781-286-8176

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Russell	Russell Health Department 65 Main Street Russell, MA 01071 413-862-6207	Sheffield	Town Hall 21 Depot Square Sheffield, MA 01257 413-229-7000 x157
Rutland	Public Safety Building 242 Main Street, Rutland, MA 01543 508-886-4102	Shelburne	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438
Salem	Fire Headquarters Station 48 Lafayette Street Salem, MA 01970 978-741-1800	Shirley	Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 978-772-3335
Sandisfield	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day 413-258-4053	Shrewsbury	Shrewsbury Health Department 100 Maple Avenue Shrewsbury, MA 01545
Sandwich	Fire Department 115 Route 6A Sandwich, MA 02563 508-888-4200	Somerville	508-841-8512 Safety Building/Police Department 220 Washington Street Somerville, MA 02143
Saugus	Saugus Town Hall 298 Central Street, Suite 9 Saugus, MA 01906 781-231-4115	South Hadley	617-625-1600 Council on Aging 45 Dayton Street South Hadley, MA 01075
Scituate	Scituate Fire Department 149 First Parish Road Scituate, MA 02066 781-545-8725	Southborough	413-538-5042 Southborough Transfer Station 147 Cordaville Road
Seekonk	Household Hazardous Waste Day (once per year) 100 Peck Street Seekonk, MA 02771 508-336-2950	Southwick	Southborough, MA 01772 508-481-3013 Southwick Fire Department 15 Depot St. Southwick MA 01077
Sharon	Fire Department 92 South Main Street Sharon, MA 02067 781-784-1510	South Yarmouth	413-569-6363 Barnstable County-South Yarmouth 96 Old Main Street South Yarmouth, MA 02664 508-398-2212

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Spencer	Town of Spencer Transfer Station 17 South Spencer Road Spencer, MA 01562 508-885-7539	Stoughton	Stoughton Fire Department 30 Freeman Street Stoughton, MA 02072 781-341-1300 x265
	Town of Spencer Board of Health 157 Main Street Spencer, MA 01562 508-885-7500 x180	Stow	Stow Board of Health 380 Great Road Stow, MA 01775 978-897-4592
Springfield	Brightwood Health Center 380 Plainfield Street Springfield, MA 01107 413-794-5229	Sturbridge	Transfer Station Breakneck Road (end) Sturbridge, MA 01566 508-347-2515
	Mason Square Community Health Center 11 Wilbraham Road Springfield MA 01109 413-794-3710	Sudbury	Sudbury Police Department 75 Hudson Road Sudbury, MA 01776 978-443-1042
	Tapestry Health- HIV Health & Prevention Program 1985 Main Street, Suite G Springfield, MA 01103 413-363-9472	Sunderland	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438
	New North Citizens Council Drop-In Center 34-38 Catherine Street Springfield, MA 01107	Sutton	Town of Sutton Board of Health 4 Uxbridge Road Sutton, MA 01590 508-865-8724
	413-746-4885 Baystate Health Springfield 759 Chestnut St Springfield, MA 01199	Swampscott	Swampscott Town Hall 22 Monument Avenue Swampscott, MA 01907 781-596-8850
Stoneham	413-794-5229 Board of Health 35 Central Street	Swansea	Swansea Health Department 68 Stevens Road Swansea, MA 02777 508-324-6704
	Stoneham, MA 02180 781-279-2621	Taunton	Taunton Health Department 45 School Street Taunton, MA 02780 508-821-1400

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	Manet Community Health Center 1 Washington Street Taunton, MA 02780	Tyringham	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day 413-243-1749
	508-822-5500 Seven Hills Behavioral Health 9 Winthrop Street Taunton, MA 02780 508-996-0546	Upton	Upton Health Department 1 Main Street Upton, MA 01568 508-529-6813
Templeton	Templeton Health Department 2 School Street Templeton, MA 01436 978-939-2377	Vineyard Haven	ASGCC 517 State Road Vineyard Haven, MA 02568 7784-994-7935
Tewksbury	Fire Department 21 Town Hall Avenue Tewksbury, MA 01876 978-640-4470	Wakefield	Public Safety Building 1 Union Street Wakefield, MA 01880 781-246-6375
Tisbury	Martha's Vineyard Hospital 1 Hospital Road Oak Bluffs, MA 02568 508-696-4290	Walpole	Visiting Nurses Association 55 West Street, 3 rd Floor Walpole, MA 02081 508-660-7321
Topsfield	Masconomet Regional High School 20 Endicott Street Boxford, MA 01983 978-887-1520	Wareham	Health Imperatives 106 Main Street Wareham, MA 02472 508-295-0383
Townsend	Townsend Health Department 272 Main Street Townsend, MA 01469 978-597-1713		Wareham Recycling Center Plymouth Road (off Maple Springs Road) Wareham, MA 02571 508-291-3100
Truro	Truro Transfer Station Truro Dump Road, Off Rte. 6 Truro, MA 02666 508-349-6339	Warren	Warren Health Department 48 High Street, Warren, MA 01083 413-436-5701 x112
Tyngsboro	Tyngsboro Health Department 25 Bryants Lane Tyngsboro, MA 01879 978-649-7907		Fire Station 1012 Main Street Warren, MA 01083 413-436-5444

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Warwick	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438	Wenham	Fire Department 140 Main Street Wenham, MA 01984 978-468-5520
Watertown	Administration Building Health, Fire Department 149 Main Street Watertown, MA 02472	West Bridgewater	Fire Department 99 West Center Street West Bridgewater, MA 02379 508-894-1209
Wayland	617-972-6446 (call for drop-off schedule) Transfer Station	West Brookfield	Town Hall 2 East Main Street West Brookfield, MA 01585 508-867-1421 x310
wayiana	448 Boston Post Road Wayland, MA 01778 508-358-3672	West Newbury	Health Department 381 Main Street West Newbury, MA 01985
Webster	Webster Health Department 350 Main Street Webster, MA 01570	West Springfield	978-363-1100, x119 Town Hall
Wellesley	508-949-3800 x4002 Wellesley Emergency/Fire Department 457 Worcester Street		26 Central Street West Springfield, MA 01089 413-263-3206
	Wellesley, MA 02481 781-235-1300		DPW Recycling Yard 430 Westfield Street West Springfield, MA 01089
Wellfleet	Wellfleet Fire Department 10 Lawrence Road		413-263-3206
	Wellfleet, MA 02667 508-349-3754	West Stockbridge	South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day 413-232-0300 x314
	Outer Cape Health Services 2700 State Highway, Route 6 Unit 3 Wellfleet, MA 02667 508-214-0187	West Tisbury	Martha's Vineyard Hospital 1 Hospital Road Oak Bluffs, MA 02568 508-696-0105
Wendell	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438	Westborough	Senior Center 4 Rogers Rd, Westborough, MA 01581 508-366-3000

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Westfield	Westfield Health Department 59 Court Street Westfield, MA 01085 413-572-6210	Weymouth	Weymouth Department of Public Works 120 Winter Street Weymouth, MA 02189 781-337-5100
Westford	Westford Health Department 55 Main Street Westford, MA 01886 978-399-2908	Whately	Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street
Westminster	Fitchburg/Westminster Landfill 165 Fitchburg Road (Rte 31) Westminster, MA 01473	Whitman	Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438
Monte	978-874-7409	wiiitiiaii	Whitman Health Department 54 South Avenue Whitman, MA 02382
Weston	Weston Health Department 11 Townhouse Rd, PO Box 378		781-618-9755
	Weston, MA 02493 781-786-5030	Wilbraham	Wilbraham Health Department 240 Springfield Street Wilbraham, MA 01095
	Weston Transfer Station 195 Church Street		413-454-5155
	Weston, MA 02493 781-786-5140	Wilmington	Wilmington Health Department 121 Glen Road Wilmington, MA 01887
	Weston Police Department 180 Boston Post Rd, Weston, MA 02493 781-893-4803	Winchester	978-658-4298 Safety Building 30 Mt. Vernon Street Winchester, MA 01890
Westport	Public Health Nurse 856 Main Road Westport, MA 02790 508-636-1015	Winthrop	781-729-1212 Winthrop Fire Department 40 Pauline Street Winthrop, MA 01252
Westwood	Islington Fire Department 300 Washington Street Westwood, MA 02090 781-320-1026		617-846-1740 x131 Winthrop Police Department 3 Metcalf Square Winthrop, MA 02152 617-846-1212
	Council on Aging 60 Nahatan Street Westwood, MA 02090 781-329-8799	Woburn	Woburn City Hall 10 Common Street Woburn, MA 01801 781-897-5923

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Worcester AIDS Project Worcester

484 Main Street Worcester, MA 01604 Needle Exchange Program

508-755-3773

Edward M. Kennedy Community Health Center 19 Tacoma Street Worcester, MA 01605 508-852-1805

Edward M. Kennedy Community Health Center 631 Lincoln Street Worcester, MA 01615

508-854-3260

City of Worcester 25 Meade Street Worcester, MA 01610 508-799-8531

Family Health Center 26 Queen Street Worcester, MA 01610

508-860-7750

Worcester Senior Center 128 Providence Street Worcester, MA 01604 508-799-1232

Yarmouth Barnstable County Health Department

96 Old Main Street

South Yarmouth, MA 02664

508-398-2212