

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.

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.

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)

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

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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 | Beverly | Beverly Hospital 85 Herrick Street Beverly, MA 01915 978-922-3000 |
| | COMM Fire Department 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 | | Community, A Walgreens Pharmacy 21-23 Stanhope Street Boston, MA, 02116 617-375-7969 |

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| | <p>Boston Health Care for the Homeless 780 Albany Street Boston, MA 02118 857-654-1636</p> | Boxford | <p>Masconomet Regional High School 20 Endicott Street Boxford, MA 01983 978-887-6000 x507</p> |
| | <p>Boston Public Health Commission 35 Northampton Street Boston, MA 02118 617-534-5395</p> | Braintree | <p>Braintree Health Department 1 JFK Memorial Drive Braintree, MA 02184 781-794-8090</p> |
| | <p>Boston Public Health Commission 398 Neponset Avenue Dorchester, MA 02122 617-534-5395</p> | Brewster | <p>Brewster Fire Department 1657 Main Street Brewster, MA 02631 508-896-7018</p> |
| | <p>Boston Public Health Commission 435 Warren Street (side entrance) Roxbury, MA 02119 617-534-5395</p> | Bridgewater | <p>Bridgewater Health Department 66 Central Square Bridgewater, MA 02324 508-697-0903</p> |
| | <p>MAPS – Dorchester 1 Stoughton Street Dorchester, MA 02125 617-825-5897</p> | Brockton | <p>Brockton Neighborhood Community Health Center 63 Main Street Brockton, MA 02301 508-894-3507</p> |
| | <p>WCAC 409 Blue Hill Avenue Dorchester, MA 02121-4309 617-541-1050</p> | | <p>COPE Center Syringe Services Program 74 Pleasant Street Brockton, MA 02301 508-583-3405</p> |
| | <p>Project TRUST 721 Massachusetts Avenue Boston, MA 02118 617-414-4495</p> | | <p>Health Imperatives 111 Torey Street Brockton, MA 02301 508-586-3800</p> |
| Bourne | <p>Bourne Fire and Rescue 130 Main Street Bourne MA 02532 508-759-0630</p> | | <p>Recycling Depot 301A Oak Hill Way Brockton, MA 02302 508-580-7175</p> |
| Boxborough | <p>Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer MA 01432 978-772-3335</p> | Brookfield | <p>Brookfield Transfer Station 7 Quaboag Street Brookfield, MA 01506 508-867-2930</p> |

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| 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 |
| Charlemont | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 | Colrain | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 |
| | | Concord | Concord Police Department 219 Walden Street Concord, MA 01742 978-318-3404 |

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| Conway | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield MA 01301 413-772-2438 | Duxbury | Duxbury Fire Department 668 Tremont Street Duxbury, MA 02332 781-934-1100 x140 |
| Cummington | Transfer Station 10 Fairground Road Cummington, MA 01026 413-634-5744 | East Bridgewater | East Bridgewater Board of Health Town Offices 175 Central Street East Bridgewater, MA 02333 508-378-1612 |
| Danvers | Danvers Police Department 120 Ash Street Danvers, MA 01923 978-777-0001 x3095 | East Brookfield | North Brookfield Transfer Station 59 East Brookfield Road North Brookfield, MA 01535 508-867-6769 x307 |
| Dartmouth | Dartmouth Board of Health 400 Slocum Road, Dartmouth, MA 02747 508-910-1804 | Eastham | Eastham Fire Department 2520 State Highway Eastham, MA 02642 508-255-2324 |
| Dedham | Dedham Health Department 450 Washington Street Dedham, MA 02026 781-751-9220 | Easthampton | Public Safety Complex 32 Payson Avenue Easthampton, MA 01027 413-529-1430 |
| Deerfield | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 | Edgartown | Martha's Vineyard Hospital 1 Hospital Road Oak Bluffs, MA 02557 508-627-6120 |
| Dennisport | Dennis Health Department 465 Main Street (Rte 28) Dennisport, MA 02639 508-760-6158 | Egremont | Transfer Station 171 Plain Road South Egremont, MA 01258 413-528-0182 |
| Dracut | Dracut Health Department 11 Spring Park Avenue Dracut, MA 01826 978-453-8162 | Erving | 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 | Essex | Essex Town Hall 30 Martin Street Essex, MA 01929 978-768-7614 |

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| Everett | Everett City Hall 484 Broadway, Rm 20 Everett, MA 02149 617-394-2255 | | AIDS Support Group of Cape Cod 65 Town Hall Square, Unit C Falmouth, MA 02540 774-763-6656 |
| | Everett Police Department 45 Elm St Everett, MA 02149 617-389-2120 | Fitchburg | Action Community Health Center 130 Water Street Fitchburg, MA 01420 978-878-8100 |
| Fairhaven | Fire Department 146 Washington Street Fairhaven, MA 02719 508-994-1428 | | Community Health Connections 326 Nicholls Road Fitchburg, MA 01420 978-829-1870 |
| Fall River | Diabetes Association, Inc. 170 Pleasant Street Fall River, MA 02722 508-672-5671 | | Fitchburg/Westminster Landfill 165 Fitchburg Road (Rte 31) Westminster, MA 01473 978-345-9582 |
| | Seven Hills Community Wellness Center – Fall River 356 South Main Street Fall River, MA 02720 508-235-1012 | Foxborough | Foxborough Community Center 76 Main St, Foxborough, MA 02035 508-543-1234 |
| | SSTAR 386 Stanley Street Fall River, MA 02720-6009 508-675-0087 | Framingham | Framingham Public Health Dept 188 Concord Street Framingham, MA 01702 508-532-5479 |
| | Center Fire Station 165 Center Street Fall River, MA 02720 508-324-2410 BOH | Franklin | Board of Health 355 East Central Street Franklin, MA 02038 508-520-4905 |
| | Globe Fire Station 600 Globe Street Fall River, MA 02720 508-324-2410 BOH | Gardner | Community Health Connections Center 175 Connors Street Gardner MA 01440 978-878-8100 |
| Falmouth | Falmouth Health Department 59 Town Hall Square Falmouth, MA 02540 508-495-7485 | | |

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| 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 North Shore Health Project 302 Washington Street Gloucester, MA 01930 978-283-0101 Gloucester Police Department 197 Main Street Gloucester, MA 01930 978-283-1212 | Hadley | Senior Center 46 Middle Street Hadley, MA 01035 413-586-2513 |
| | | Halifax | Halifax Recycling Center 917 Plymouth Street Halifax, MA 02338 781-293-6768 |
| | | 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 |
| Great Barrington | Berkshire Harm Reduction 401 Stockbridge Road Great Barrington, MA 01230 413-854-9937 | Harvard | Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 978-772-3335 |
| Greenfield | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 Tapestry Health 40 School Street Unit 6 Greenfield, MA 02301 413-475-3377 | Harwich | Harwich Transfer Station 209 Queen Anne Road Harwich, MA 02645 508-430-7558 |
| | | Hatfield | Police Department 59 Main Street Hatfield, MA 01038 413-247-0497 |

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| 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 | 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 | Ipswich | Ipswich Police Department 25 Green Street Ipswich, MA 01938. 978-356-6600 |
| Hingham | Transfer and Recycling Center 1 Sam Ryder Road Hingham, MA 02043 781-741-1466 | | Ipswich Health Department 25 Green Street Ipswich, MA 01938 978-356-6606 |
| Holyoke | Holyoke Health Department 20 Korean Veteran's Plaza Holyoke, MA 01040 413-322-5595 | Lakeville | Lakeville Transfer Station 10 Kenneth Welch Drive Lakeville, MA 02347 508-947-6599 |
| | 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 |
| | Holyoke Health Center Pharmacy 230 Maple Street Holyoke, MA 01041 413-420-2200 | Lawrence | Greater Lawrence Family Health Center 98-100 Water Street Lawrence, MA 01841 978-685-7663 |
| Hopkinton | Hopkinton Police Department 74 Main Street Hopkinton, MA 01748 508-497-9700 | Leicester | Leicester Recycling Center 233 Mainville Street Leicester, MA 01524 508-873-2363 |
| Hudson | Hudson Transfer Station 300 Cox Street Hudson, MA 01749 978-562-2020 | Leominster | Leominster Health Department 25 West St Leominster, MA 01453 978-534-7533 x249 |

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| | Community Health Connections 165 Mill Street Leominster, MA 01453 978-878-8100 | | Lowell Regional Wastewater Utility 451 First Street Boulevard (Rt. 110) Lowell, MA 01850 978-674-4248 |
| Leverett | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 978-534-7533 x249 | | Lowell Senior Center 276 Broadway Street Lowell, MA 01854 978-674-1171 |
| | | Ludlow | Ludlow Health Department 488 Chapin Street Ludlow, MA 01056 413-583-5600 x1272 |
| Lexington | Town Hall 1625 Massachusetts Avenue Lexington, MA 02420 781-698-4533 | | |
| | | Lunenburg | Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer MA 01432 978-772-3335 |
| Leyden | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 | | |
| | | Lynn | Healthy Streets 100 Willow Street 2 nd floor Lynn MA 01901 339-987-5552 |
| Littleton | Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer MA 01432 978-772-3335 | | 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 |
| Longmeadow | Public Health Nurse Health Office Greenwood COA 231 Maple Road Longmeadow, MA 01106 413-565-4154 (mail back only) | | |
| | | Lynnfield | Lynnfield Fire Department 59 Summer Street Lynnfield, MA 781-334-5152 |
| Lowell | Lowell Community Health Center 161 Jackson Street Lowell, MA 01854 978-937-9700 | | |
| | Lowell Health Department Syringe Collection Program 107 Merrimack Street, Lowell, MA 01852 978-674-1049 | Malden | Government Center 200 Pleasant Street Malden, MA 02148 781-397-7053 |

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| Manchester-by-the-Sea | Board of Health 10 Central Street Manchester, MA 01944 978-526-7385 | Mattapoisett | Mattapoisett Public Health Nursing Office 17 Barstow Street Mattapoisett, MA 02739 508-758-4100 |
| Mansfield | Mansfield Public Safety Building 500-A East Street Building A Mansfield, MA 02048 508-261-7321 | Maynard | Maynard Town Hall 195 Main Street Maynard, MA 01754 978-897-1002 |
| Marblehead | Board of Health Mary Alley Municipal Building 7 Widger Road, #1 Marblehead, MA 01945 781-631-0212 | Medfield | Medfield Public Safety 112 North Street Medfield, MA 02052 508-906-3006 |
| Marion | Town Hall 2 Spring Street Marion, MA 02738 508-748-3533 | Medford | Medford Board of Health Medford City Hall Room 311 85 George P. Hassett Drive Medford, MA 02155 781-393-2560 |
| Marlborough | Bouvier Pharmacy 515 Lincoln Street Marlborough, MA 01752 508-485-0432 | Melrose | Melrose City Hall 562 Main Street Melrose, MA 02176 781-979-4130 |
| | Walker Building 255 Main Street, Room 103 Marlborough, MA 01752 508-460-3751 | Merrimac | Council on Aging 100 East Main Street Merrimac, MA 01860 978-346-4066 |
| Marshfield | Marshfield Health Department 870 Moraine Street Marshfield, MA 02050 781-834-5558 | Methuen | Town Hall 41 Pleasant Street Methuen, MA 01844 978-794-3229 |
| Mashpee | Mashpee Department of Public Works 350 Meetinghouse Road Mashpee, MA 02649 508-539-1420 | | Methuen Police Department 90 Hampshire Street Methuen, MA 01844 978-983-8753 |

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| Middleborough | Police Department 99 North Main Street Middleborough, MA 02346 508-946-2408 | South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day 413-862-3386 |
| Middleton | Middleton Fire Dept. 4 Lake Street Middleton, MA. 01949 978-777-1869 Transfer Station 70-98 Natsue Way Middleton, MA 01949 978-777-1869 x4 | Mount Washington South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day 413-528-1798 |
| Milford | Milford Transfer Station J. Fred Powers Way (Off of Cedar St (Rt.85)) Milford, MA 01757 508-478-8093 | Nahant Nahant Town Hall/Selectmen Office 334 Nahant Road Nahant, MA 01908 781-581-0088 |
| Milton | Milton Health Department 525 Canton Avenue Milton, MA 02186 617-898-4886 | Nantucket Nantucket Health/Fire Department 131 Pleasant Street Nantucket, MA 02554 508-228-7226 |
| Monson | Monson Health Department 29 Thompson Street Monson, MA 01057 413-267-4107 | Natick Natick Town Hall 13 East Central St, 2 nd floor Natick, MA 01760 508-647-6460 |
| Montague | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 | Needham Needham Recycling & Transfer Station 1421 Central Avenue Needham, MA 02192 781-455-7568 Rosemary Recreation Complex/Needham Public Health, 178 Rosemary Street Needham, MA 02192 781-455-7940 |
| Monterey | South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day 413-243-5540 | 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 |
| Montgomery | Montgomery Health Department 161 Main Road Montgomery, MA 01085 413-454-5454 or 413-862-3386 | |

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| | Seven Hills Community Wellness Center - New Bedford 1173 Acushnet Avenue New Bedford, MA 02746 508-996-0546 | Northampton | Northampton Health Department Municipal Building, 1 st Floor 212 Main Street Northampton MA 01060 413-587-1214 |
| | Seven Hills Behavioral Health 589 South First Street New Bedford, MA 02744 508-999-3126 | | Tapestry Health Needle Exchange 16 Centre Street, Suite 415 Northampton, MA 01060 413-586-0310 x2 |
| New Marlborough | South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day 413-229-8469 | Northfield | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 |
| New Salem | 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 |
| Newton | Resource Recovery Center 115 Rumford Avenue Newton, MA 02459 617-796-1000 | Norwell | Norwell Fire Department 300 Washington Street Norwell, MA 02061 781-659-8156 |
| Norfolk | Norfolk Fire Department 117 Main Street Norfolk, MA 02056 508-528-7747 | Norwood | Norwood Health Department 566 Washington Street Norwood, MA 02062 781-762-1240 x174 |
| North Adams | Berkshire Harm Reduction 6 West Street North Adams, MA 01247 413-398-5603 | Oak Bluffs | Martha's Vineyard Hospital 1 Hospital Road Oak Bluffs, MA 02557 508-693-3554 x202 |
| North Andover | North Andover Fire Station 795 Chickering Road North Andover, MA 01845 978-688-9590 | Orange | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 |
| North Brookfield | North Brookfield Transfer Station 59 East Brookfield Road North Brookfield, MA 01535 508-867-0201 | | |

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| Orleans | Orleans Fire Department 58 Eldridge Parkway Orleans, MA 02653 508-255-0050 or 508-240-3700 x351 | Phillipston | Athol Memorial 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 |
| | Peabody City Hall 24 Lowell Street Peabody, MA 01960 978-532-3000 | Provincetown | AIDS Support Group of Cape Cod 96-98 Bradford Street Provincetown, MA 02657 Needle Exchange Program 508-487-8311 |
| | Peabody Police Department 6 Allen's Lane Peabody, MA 01960 978-531-1212 | | Provincetown Fire Department 25 Shankpainter Road Provincetown MA 02657 508-487-7023 |
| Pembroke | Pembroke Fire Station 100 Center Street Pembroke, MA 02359 781-293-2718 | Quincy | Manet Community Health Center 110 West Squantum Street Quincy, MA 02171 617-376-3000 |
| Pepperell | Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 978-772-3335 | | Manet Community Health Center 549 Washington Street Quincy, MA 02169 617-9930100 |

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| | Quincy Health Department 440 East Squantum Quincy, MA 02169 617-376-1273 | Rockport | Police Department 168 Main Street Rockport, MA 01966 978-546-1212 |
| Randolph | Board of Health 1 Turner Lane Randolph, MA 02368 781-961-0924 | | Department of Public Works 34 Broadway Rockport, MA 01966 978-546-5000 x 40170 |
| Reading | Health Department 16 Lowell Street Reading, MA 01867 781-942-9061 | Rowe | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 |
| Rehoboth | Fire Station 334 Anawan Street Rehoboth, MA 02769 508-252-3725 | Rowley | Rowley Health Department 30 Central Street Rowley, MA 01969 978-948-2231 |
| Revere | Revere Health Department 249 Broadway, #R Revere, MA 02151 781-286-8176 Revere Police Department 400 Revere Beach Parkway Revere MA 02151 781-284-1212 | Royalston | Town Hall 5 School Street Royalston, MA 01368 978-249-0493 |
| | | Russell | Russell Health Department 65 Main Street Russell, MA 01071 413-862-6207 |
| Richmond | South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day 413-230-4941 | Rutland | Public Safety Building 242 Main Street, Rutland, MA 01543 508-886-4102 |
| Rochester | Board of Health 37 Marion Road Rochester, MA 02770 508-763-3871 | Salem | Fire Headquarters Station 48 Lafayette Street Salem, MA 01970 978-741-1800 |
| Rockland | Town Hall/Health Department 242 Union St Rockland, MA 02370 781-871-0154 x350 | Sandisfield | South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day 413-258-4053 |

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| Sandwich | Fire Department 115 Route 6A Sandwich, MA 02563 508-888-4200 | Somerville | Safety Building/Police Department 220 Washington Street Somerville, MA 02143 617-625-1600 |
| Saugus | Saugus Town Hall 298 Central Street, Suite 9 Saugus, MA 01906 781-231-4115 | South Hadley | Council on Aging 45 Dayton Street South Hadley, MA 01075 413-538-5042 |
| Scituate | Scituate Fire Department 149 First Parish Road Scituate, MA 02066 781-545-8725 | Southborough | Southborough Transfer Station 147 Cordaville Road Southborough, MA 01772 508-481-3013 |
| Seekonk | Household Hazardous Waste Day (once per year) 100 Peck Street Seekonk, MA 02771 508-336-2950 | Southwick | Southwick Fire Department 15 Depot St. Southwick MA 01077 413-569-6363 |
| Sharon | Fire Department 92 South Main Street Sharon, MA 02067 781-784-1510 | South Yarmouth | Barnstable County-South Yarmouth 96 Old Main Street South Yarmouth, MA 02664 508-398-2212 |
| Sheffield | Town Hall 21 Depot Square Sheffield, MA 01257 413-229-7000 x157 | Spencer | Town of Spencer Transfer Station 17 South Spencer Road Spencer, MA 01562 508-885-7539 |
| Shelburne | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 | | Town of Spencer Board of Health 157 Main Street Spencer, MA 01562 508-885-7500 x180 |
| Shirley | Nashoba Associated Boards of Health 30 Central Avenue Ayer, MA 01432 978-772-3335 | Springfield | Brightwood Health Center 380 Plainfield Street Springfield, MA 01107 413-794-5229 |
| Shrewsbury | Shrewsbury Health Department 100 Maple Avenue Shrewsbury, MA 01545 508-841-8512 | | Mason Square Community Health Center 11 Wilbraham Road Springfield MA 01109 413-794-3710 |

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| | 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 413-746-4885 | Sutton | Town of Sutton Board of Health 4 Uxbridge Road Sutton, MA 01590 508-865-8724 |
| | Baystate Health Springfield 759 Chestnut St Springfield, MA 01199 413-794-5229 | Swampscott | Swampscott Town Hall 22 Monument Avenue Swampscott, MA 01907 781-596-8850 |
| Stoneham | Board of Health 35 Central Street Stoneham, MA 02180 781-279-2621 | Swansea | Swansea Health Department 68 Stevens Road Swansea, MA 02777 508-324-6704 |
| Stoughton | Stoughton Fire Department 30 Freeman Street Stoughton, MA 02072 781-341-1300 x265 | Taunton | Taunton Health Department 45 School Street Taunton, MA 02780 508-821-1400 |
| Stow | Stow Board of Health 380 Great Road Stow, MA 01775 978-897-4592 | | Manet Community Health Center 1 Washington Street Taunton, MA 02780 508-822-5500 |
| Sturbridge | Transfer Station Breakneck Road (end) Sturbridge, MA 01566 508-347-2515 | | Seven Hills Behavioral Health 9 Winthrop Street Taunton, MA 02780 508-996-0546 |
| Sudbury | Sudbury Police Department 75 Hudson Road Sudbury, MA 01776 978-443-1042 | Templeton | Templeton Health Department 2 School Street Templeton, MA 01436 978-939-2377 |
| | | Tewksbury | Fire Department 21 Town Hall Avenue Tewksbury, MA 01876 978-640-4470 |

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| 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 |
| Tyringham | South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Day 413-243-1749 | Warwick | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 |
| Upton | Upton Health Department 1 Main Street Upton, MA 01568 508-529-6813 | Watertown | Administration Building Health, Fire Department 149 Main Street Watertown, MA 02472 617-972-6446 (call for drop-off schedule) |
| Vineyard Haven | ASGCC 517 State Road Vineyard Haven, MA 02568 7784-994-7935 | | |
| Wakefield | Public Safety Building 1 Union Street Wakefield, MA 01880 781-246-6375 | Wayland | Transfer Station 448 Boston Post Road Wayland, MA 01778 508-358-3672 |

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| Webster | Webster Health Department 350 Main Street Webster, MA 01570 508-949-3800 x4002 | West Springfield | Town Hall 26 Central Street West Springfield, MA 01089 413-263-3206 |
| Wellesley | Wellesley Emergency/Fire Department 457 Worcester Street Wellesley, MA 02481 781-235-1300 | | DPW Recycling Yard 430 Westfield Street West Springfield, MA 01089 413-263-3206 |
| Wellfleet | Wellfleet Fire Department 10 Lawrence Road 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 |
| Wenham | Fire Department 140 Main Street Wenham, MA 01984 978-468-5520 | Westfield | Westfield Health Department 59 Court Street Westfield, MA 01085 413-572-6210 |
| West Bridgewater | Fire Department 99 West Center Street West Bridgewater, MA 02379 508-894-1209 | Westford | Westford Health Department 55 Main Street Westford, MA 01886 978-399-2908 |
| West Brookfield | Town Hall 2 East Main Street West Brookfield, MA 01585 508-867-1421 x310 | Westminster | Fitchburg/Westminster Landfill 165 Fitchburg Road (Rte 31) Westminster, MA 01473 978-874-7409 |
| West Newbury | Health Department 381 Main Street West Newbury, MA 01985 978-363-1100, x119 | Weston | Weston Health Department 11 Townhouse Rd, PO Box 378 Weston, MA 02493 781-786-5030 |

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| | Weston Transfer Station 195 Church Street Weston, MA 02493 781-786-5140 | Wilmington | Wilmington Health Department 121 Glen Road Wilmington, MA 01887 978-658-4298 |
| | Weston Police Department 180 Boston Post Rd, Weston, MA 02493 781-893-4803 | Winchester | Safety Building 30 Mt. Vernon Street Winchester, MA 01890 781-729-1212 |
| Westport | Public Health Nurse 856 Main Road Westport, MA 02790 508-636-1015 | Winthrop | Winthrop Fire Department 40 Pauline Street Winthrop, MA 01252 617-846-1740 x131 |
| Westwood | Islington Fire Department 300 Washington Street Westwood, MA 02090 781-320-1026 | | 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 |
| Weymouth | Weymouth Department of Public Works 120 Winter Street Weymouth, MA 02189 781-337-5100 | Worcester | AIDS Project Worcester 484 Main Street Worcester, MA 01604 Needle Exchange Program 508-755-3773 |
| Whately | Franklin County Solid Waste Management District 50 Miles Street Greenfield, MA 01301 413-772-2438 | | Edward M. Kennedy Community Health Center 19 Tacoma Street Worcester, MA 01605 508-852-1805 |
| Whitman | Whitman Health Department 54 South Avenue Whitman, MA 02382 781-618-9755 | | Edward M. Kennedy Community Health Center 631 Lincoln Street Worcester, MA 01615 508-854-3260 |
| Wilbraham | Wilbraham Health Department 240 Springfield Street Wilbraham, MA 01095 413-454-5155 | | City of Worcester 25 Meade Street Worcester, MA 01610 508-799-8531 |

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Family Health Center
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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