



SHARPS COLLECTION DAY



If you are one of the many people in Massachusetts who uses syringes to manage your health or your pets' health care at home, a safe way to dispose of needles, syringes, and lancets (sharps) is being provided by Dooley Disposal Service. The following days have been scheduled:

Wednesday 3/22/2017

Tuesday 6/27/2017

Tuesday 10/3/2017

Tuesday 12/12/2017

All from 12 – 2:00 p.m.

WHERE: Foxborough Public Safety Building – McGinty Room - 8 Chestnut Street

Bring all syringes in a sealed sharps container.

Proper Use and Disposal of Needles and Syringes

BE SMART. BE CAREFUL. BE AWARE. BE SAFE.

- Put used syringes in sharps containers immediately.
- Keep needles away from children and pets.
- Bring a sharps container when traveling.
- **DO NOT** clip, bend or recap needles.
- **DO NOT** flush sharps down the toilet.
- **DO NOT** drop into storm drains.
- **DO NOT** throw sharps in the garbage or recycling bin.

As of July 1, 2012 Massachusetts does not allow the disposal of sharps in household trash.

For more information about sharps collection in Foxborough you can visit us at www.foxboroughma.gov or call the Foxborough Board of Health at 508-543-1207.

The Police Department has a Medical Waste Kiosk at the Public Safety Building lobby. If you have any old or unused medications including over-the-counter or prescriptions in all forms such as pills, or creams feel free to bring them with you for disposal