

HPSA SHARPS COLLECTION PROGRAM



Important Reminder for Collection Location Pharmacies

1 WHO IS HPSA?

HPSA is a not-for-profit association funded by the health products industry. It operates collection and disposal programs of used medical sharps generated by the public

2 WHAT IS ACCEPTED?

- Needles and syringes
- Auto injectors
- Lancets



Note: needles and sharps should be in any approved sharp container. Sharps used on companion animals are also accepted

3 WHAT IS NOT ACCEPTED?

- Sharps from pharmacy operations (Flu Shots)
- Sharp containers returned from clinics or any other institutions
- Sharps returned in bottles and tin cans



4 WHAT DO YOU RECEIVE?

A sharps kit contains of 24 sharps containers, 2 white Outer Packing (flat), 2 yellow liners and cytotoxic labels (If a patient is dispensing chemotherapeutic drugs, you must provide a sharps container with a cytotoxic label).



5 HOW TO ORDER A SERVICE?

Go to HPSA webpage www.healthsteward.ca and locate Service and Supply Request Form under Pharmacists Tab.



6 HOW TO SUBMIT A FORM?

Insert your HPSA ID and fill out all the required information. Submit the form online on the webpage.

7 DELIVERY

Your service provider has been contacted and will arrive within the next 10 business days!

