

SAFE DISPOSAL OF SHARPS

Many people rely on using needles, syringe and lancets to maintain their own health or that of a family member. Safe disposal of these sharps is a concern for the whole community.

Sharps should **NEVER** be placed in waste, recycling, street bins, toilets or drains as they can cause injury to workers or members of the public. Disposal of sharps is now easier – please see below for a full list of locations where syringes can be disposed of. By taking them to a participating chemists or our household hazardous waste drop off centre you can safely dispose of them in a:

- Sharps container with a screw top sealable lid
- Sturdy plastic, puncture resistant sealed container, or
- Container suggested by your chemist e.g. Milk bottle, cool drink bottle.

Loose needles, syringes or lancets must be placed in Sharps Disposal units available in most public toilets in City of Bunbury

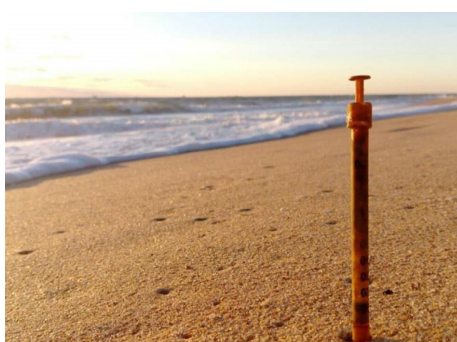
**Household hazardous waste drop off centre
on 21 McCombe Road, Davenport**

Opening hours to deliver your ewaste & hazardous waste is:

Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday

10.30 a.m.– 2.30 p.m.

Medical disposal bin available for sharps (must be in a sealed container)



See more information on disposal bin locations
<https://www.safesharps.org.au/>

Wizard Pharmacy Bunbury

110 Victoria Street

BUNBURY

(08) 9707 3370

Medical disposal bin available

Containers available to purchase

Accept expired medication as well as medication no longer required.

Centrepont Amcal Chemist

Shop 4 Centrepont Shopping Centre 1 Blair Street, Bunbury
Western Australia 6230

Phone: 08 9721 5166

Medical disposal bin for sharps available, must be in a sealed container

Containers available to purchase

Accept expired medication as well as medication no longer required.

Terry White Chemist

Bunbury City Plaza 131 Spencer Street, South Bunbury

08 9791 4390

Medical disposal bin for sharps available, must be in a sealed container

Containers available to purchase

Accept expired medication as well as medication no longer required.

Bunbury Drive-In Chemist – Bunbury

Cnr Forrest Ave & Blair St

Bunbury WA 6230

(08) 9791 5909

Large bin that gets collected, needs to be in a proper sealed sharps container

Containers available to purchase

Accept expired medication as well as medication no longer required.

Bunbury Forum Pharmacy

Shop 34 Bunbury Forum S/C

Sandridge Road

Bunbury, WA 6230

(08) 9721 6731

Medical disposal bin for sharps available, must be in a sealed container

Containers available to purchase

Accept expired medication as well as medication no longer required.

Pharmacy Plus Bunbury

(Forrest Family Practice building)

Unit 1, 122 Spencer Street

Bunbury, WA 6230

(08) 9721 6555

Accept sharps in a sealable container with a plastic lid and also in a plastic bag

Containers available to purchase

Accept expired medication as well as medication no longer required.

Minninup Forum Pharmacy

Shop 3 Minninup Forum

Minninup Road

Bunbury, WA 6230

(08) 9795 7702

Will not accept sharps – need to be taken to hospital

Containers available to purchase

Accept expired medication as well as medication no longer required.

Compound Pharmacy Usher

36 Cranbrook Way, Bunbury Western Australia 6230

Phone: 08 9795 7631

For coin donation will accept sharps in a sealable container

Containers available to purchase

Accept expired medication as well as medication no longer required.

Wizard Pharmacy

Park Centre Shopping Centre, Shop 7 Brittain Road, Bunbury WA 6230

Will take sharps with or without container

Small personal containers available to purchase

Accept expired medication as well as medication no longer required.

South West Hospital Pharmacy

St John of God Bunbury Hospital

Corner Robertson Drive & Bussell Hwy

Bunbury WA 6230

(8) 9729 6290

Medical disposal bin for sharps available, must be in a sealed container

Containers available to purchase

Accept expired medication as well as medication no longer required.

South City Pharmacy

Across the road from Dr Foster & Associates

182 Spencer Street

BUNBURY WA 6230

(08) 9721 2341

Medical disposal bin for sharps available, must be in a sealed container

Containers available to purchase

Accept expired medication as well as medication no longer required.

Friendlies Pharmacy (near Breaken Health)

Suite 1, 12-16 Vasse Street, Bunbury

08 9721 9631

Medical disposal bin for sharps available, must be in a screw top lid container eg. can be milk bottle, coke bottle

Containers available to purchase

Accept expired medication as well as medication no longer required.