### **OUR MISSION**

The mission of the Florida Department of Health in Duval County (DOH-Duval) is to PROTECT, PROMOTE, and IMPROVE the health of all people in Florida.

The Sharps Home User Disposal Program is designed to give residents and visitors of Duval County a safe method for disposing of used sharps or needles.

Help boost public safety by participating in this free program.

The Sharps Home User Disposal Program is for the private sector only.





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# **SHARPS**

HOME USER DISPOSAL PROGRAM



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# DOH-DUVAL SHARPS CONTAINER COLLECTION SITES

Once your sharps container is 3/4 full and the lid is secured, bring it to one of the following locations between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

**Beaches Family Health Center** 2344 3rd Street South 32250

Central Health Plaza 515 West 6th Street 32206

**Children's Dental Center at North Point** 3416 Moncrief Road 32219

**Environmental Health and Safety** 900 University Boulevard North 32211

**The Immunization Center** 5222 North Pearl Street 32208

**Wesconnett Health Services** 5150-9 Timuguana Road 32210

West Jacksonville Health Services and Agape Community Health Center 120 King Street 32204



## WHY DO WE NEED A SHARPS DISPOSAL PROGRAM?

Thousands of people use needles or "sharps" in their homes to care for their health or the health of a family member. Sharps must be disposed of properly to protect people from life-threatening infections.



#### **HOW TO DISPOSE OF USED SHARPS:**

- 1. Obtain a free sharps container from one of the Florida Department of Health in Duval County Sharps Collection Sites or you may purchase a sharps container from a local pharmacy or discount store.
- 2. Throw away used sharps in the approved container.
- 3. Only fill the sharps container 3/4 full. Secure the lid with tape.
- 4. Drop off the sharps container at one of our convenient locations.

## DROP-OFF ONLY SHARPS CONTAINER COLLECTION SITES

Mayo Clinic- Beaches Primary Care Center 742 Marsh Landing Parkway Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250

Mayo Clinic- Gate Parkway Primary Care Center 7824 Ozark Drive Jacksonville, FL 32256

> Memorial Emergency Center Atlantic 11850 Atlantic Boulevard Jacksonville, Florida 32225

Memorial Emergency Center Julington Creek 42 Doctor's Village Drive Jacksonville, Florida 32259

Memorial Emergency Center Mandarin 10910 San Jose Boulevard Jacksonville, Florida 32223

> St. Vincent's HealthCare Seton Pharmacy – Riverside 1 Shircliff Way Suite 1734 Jacksonville, Florida 32204

St. Vincent's HealthCare Seton Pharmacy – Southside 4205 Belfort Road Suite 1003 Jacksonville, Florida 32216

