



Biological Sharps Disposal



Collect biologically-contaminated physical sharps in a red sharps container



Physical Sharp - Any item capable of puncturing or cutting the skin that is biologically-contaminated goes into red sharps containers.

⚠ For biological labs, place both biologically contaminated and clean sharps into red sharps containers.

➔ For non-biological labs refer to non-biological sharps disposal guidance.



Single-Use Containers:

Close when full and place in Biowaste Bin



Reusable Containers (HMS/HSDM Only):

Collected and replaced by waste vendor



Never Overfill. Replace container when 3/4 full.



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