



MONTEREY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH BUREAU
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HOME-GENERATED **SHARPS** SAFE STORAGE & DISPOSAL

Proper Preparation and Disposal of Sharps:

Do **NOT** throw sharps in the garbage!

Store and dispose of household sharps following these recommendations:

1. Obtain a sharps container from your local pharmacy or from [here](#).
2. Discard all used or exposed needles, syringes, and lancets in the sharps container.
3. When the sharps container is 2/3 full, dispose the container at an approved drop-off location.

Prevent accidental needle sticks and exposure to bloodborne pathogens in your home and in your community. Properly contain and dispose sharps.

NEVER place exposed or used sharps in the garbage can or recycle bin.

* Contact Drop-Off Location for information and hours of operation. Acceptance policies may vary.

Mail-back services for sharps waste are also available for an added cost.

Approved Drop-Off Locations:

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Facilities:

Madison Lane Recycling
Center + HHW
1104 Madison Lane
Salinas, CA 93907
(831) 424-5535

ReGen Monterey HHW
14201 Del Monte Blvd.
Salinas, CA 93908
(831) 384-5313

Approved Drop-Off Locations (cont.):

Saturday Mobile Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Collections: 9 AM – 12 PM

Soledad Mission Shopping
Center
H Dela Rosa Sr. St.
Soledad, CA 93960
(Parking lot at address)

South Monterey County
Joint Union High School
District
800 Broadway St.
King City, CA 93930

LA Hearne Company
8525 Prunedale North Rd.
Salinas, CA 93907

Monterey Peninsula:

CHOMP
23625 Holman Highway
Monterey, CA 93940
(831) 624-5311

Pebble Beach Community
Service District
3101 Forest Lake Rd.
Pebble Beach, CA 93953
(831) 647-5642

Salinas and South County Areas:

Alisal Drug Store
(For customers only)
323 N. Sanborn Rd.
Salinas, CA 93905
(831) 484-7321

AllCare Pharmacy
331 Main St.
Salinas, CA 93901
(831) 424-8053

Johnson Canyon Landfill
31400 Johnson Canyon Rd.
Gonzales, CA 93926
(831) 675-2165

Gonzales Rx Pharmacy
18 4th St.
Gonzales, CA 93926
(831) 675-3643

Soledad Pharmacy
547 Front St.
Soledad, CA 93960
(831) 678-2678

Rite Aid Pharmacy
540 Canal St.
King City, CA 93930
(831) 385-0886

Valley Health Associates
913 Blanco Cir.
Salinas, CA 93901
(831) 424-6655