

sharps

KEEP WORKERS SAFE & DISPOSE OF AT A PHARMACY

Sharps must be disposed of separately from regular trash and recyclables. The Portage County Solid Waste Department works with local pharmacies to provide a safe and economical collection program only for **residents who use sharps at home.**

The following pharmacies participate in this program:

Cops —Plover (715) 345-7175

Metro Market—Stevens Point (715) 345-7175

Trigs—Stevens Point (715) 341-6102

MRF (Recycling Center)—Plover (715) 345-5970

Hometown Pharmacy—Plover (715) 544-6272

Hometown Pharmacy—Stevens Point (715) 997-5195

All locations will accept sharps in a commercial sharps disposal container *or* in a labeled heavy plastic container, such as a detergent bottle, with a screw-on cap. When the container is three-quarters full, seal and label, then take it to any of the registered sharps collection locations mentioned above.

Please call the collection location directly to confirm their hours and procedures.



This *Household Sharps Collection Program* is paid for and sponsored by the Portage County Solid Waste Department, which appreciates the assistance and cooperation of the participating pharmacies.