

# Sharps Collection Program

**CITY OF RIVERSIDE RESIDENTS MAY DROP OFF SHARPS CONTAINERS AT THE FOLLOWING CITY OF RIVERSIDE FIRE STATIONS DAILY BETWEEN 8 A.M. AND 5 P.M.**

## Downtown

### Fire Station 1

3420 Mission Inn Ave

(Mission Inn Ave.  
and Lime St.)

## Arlington

### Fire Station 2

9449 Andrew St.

(Off Van Buren Blvd.  
south of Magnolia Ave.)

## Magnolia Center

### Fire Station 3

6395 Riverside Ave.

(Between Central  
and Arlington Aves.)



Sample Container

*Help preserve our environment by properly disposing of needles/sharps which are hazardous waste*

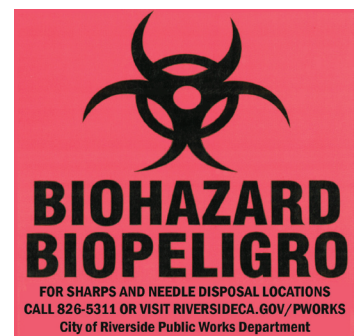
- Sharps must be inside a sealed container, such as a sharps disposal container or a hard-sided PLASTIC container such as a bleach or laundry detergent bottle with a secure lid.
- Containers that hold food products are not appropriate for use.
- Containers must have a label that states "Biohazard". Labels can be downloaded from the internet at: [riversideca.gov/publicworks/trash/HHW-sharps.asp](http://riversideca.gov/publicworks/trash/HHW-sharps.asp) or [rivcwm.org/opencms/hhw/pdf/88751-Biohazard-labels.pdf](http://rivcwm.org/opencms/hhw/pdf/88751-Biohazard-labels.pdf)
- Residents will not be allowed to keep their container, it must be placed whole into the barrel.

## Alternative Recycling Locations and Options:

**Riverside County Hazardous Waste Facility**  
1780 Agua Mansa Rd., Riverside  
Every NON-holiday Saturday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

For information about other locations:

[calrecycle.ca.gov/homehazwaste/healthcare/collection/default.aspx](http://calrecycle.ca.gov/homehazwaste/healthcare/collection/default.aspx)



Sample Label

***It's unlawful to put medical sharps such as hypodermic needles, lancets, pen needles etc. into curbside collection recycle or trash containers.***



For more information please visit the website:  
[RiversideCa.gov/pworks](http://RiversideCa.gov/pworks)  
or call 826-5311 (3-1-1 from a local phone)



City of Arts & Innovation