

WHAT TO DO IF YOU ARE PRICKED BY A NEEDLE:

1. Wash the pricked area with soap and water right away.
2. Go to your nearest emergency room for immediate medical attention.

While being pricked by a needle can be frightening, it's important to know that the risk of contracting diseases such as tetanus, HIV, or Hepatitis B or C is low, and most people will not get sick.

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Everyday household items can be used to safely dispose of needles and sharps.



IF YOU FIND A NEEDLE & WISH TO DISPOSE OF IT SAFELY:

1. Do not try to replace cap on needle.
2. Pick up needle with extreme care using **work gloves, tongs, or tweezers. DO NOT pick up by the point.**
3. Hold needle point away from you.
4. Place needle in either a **metal or thick plastic container with a cap.**
5. Replace cap on container securely.
6. Dispose of the container by bringing it to your local pharmacy or harm reduction service location.
7. Wash your hands thoroughly with soap and water.

KEEPING OUR COMMUNITY SAFE FOR EVERYONE

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The inside map indicates where safe disposal sharps containers are located around the City.



The below agencies in your community are available to collect improperly discarded needles.

Overdose Prevention Team

778-257-1292

Downtown CAP Team

250-572-3009

North Shore CAP Team

250-318-7664

City of Kamloops Bylaw Services

250-828-3409

What to do if you Find Needles or Sharps



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★ Sharps Container Locations

- 1 Aviation Way Washroom
- 2 Heritage House Gender-neutral Washroom
- 3 John Tod Centre
- 4 McArthur Island Centre Main
- 5 McArthur Island Centre North
- 6 McArthur Island Fieldhouse/Concession
- 7 McArthur Island Park Field 5
- 8 McDonald Park Washrooms
- 9 Memorial Arena
- 10 Overlander Park
- 11 Parkview Activity Centre
- 12 Pioneer Park
- 13 Prince Charles Park
- 14 Richmond Park
- 15 Riverside Park Main
- 16 Riverside Park West
- 17 Sandman Centre
- 18 Singh Street Soccer Bowl
- 19 Valleyview Centennial Park
- 20 Yacht Club Horseshoe Pits

Please dispose of needles responsibly.

Inset 1

Inset 1 - Airport

Inset 2 - Valleyview

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