

THE 2024

Recycler

La Crosse County

Solid Waste System

www.lacrossecounty.org/solidwaste



SERVING

La Crosse County WI,
Houston County MN, and
Surrounding Counties

**Please Keep
For Future
Reference!**

Mattress RECYCLING



1. When you purchase a new mattress, ask the local mattress store to recycle your old one; or
2. For home pick-up of an old mattress, without the purchase of a new one, contact a hauler that will recycle your mattress; or
3. Take your mattress to the Residential Drop-off area at the County Landfill for a fee or contact Hilltopper Refuse & Recycling at 608-783-6727, to find other drop-off locations.

Styrofoam Recycling

NEW!



New in 2024! The Department, in partnership with Hilltopper Refuse & Recycling and 7 Rivers Recycling, will be accepting Polystyrene (Styrofoam) foam for recycling. Standard disposal fees apply if dropped off at the landfill drop-off site.

Free drop off available at Hilltopper Refuse & Recycling. **Please call 608-783-6727.**

For missed pick ups of trash or recycling, please call your waste hauler or municipality.

Landfill Hours of Operation:

Summer Hours: April - Oct.

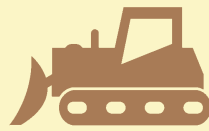
Monday – Friday:
6:30 AM – 4:30 PM
1st and 3rd Saturdays:
9:00 AM – Noon

Winter Hours: Nov. - March

Monday – Friday:
7:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Office Hours and Reuse Room Hours:

Monday – Friday:
8:00 AM – 4:00 PM



Landfill Fees

 All items dropped off will have a fee

Residential Drop-off Area: \$5 minimum or a \$120 per ton

- **Garbage** (normal household waste)
- **Large Items** (furniture, toys, bikes, stoves, grills, washers, dryers)
- **Demolition/Constuction** (wood, drywall, flooring, roofing, doors, windows, etc.)

Processing Pad: \$5 minimum or a per ton fee

For pricing visit: www.lacrossecounty.org/solidwaste

Landfill: \$15 permit fee and \$64 per ton

Mattresses & Boxsprings:

- Recycled: \$12 each + weight
- Landfill: \$18 each + weight

Freon Items: \$12 plus weight

(refrigerator, freezer, air conditioner, de-humidifier)

Brush/Clean Wood: \$35/ton

(wood that has not been painted, stained, or treated)

WE ARE NOT AFFILIATED WITH ISLE LA PLUME

We accept cash, check, and credit/debit cards. A fee will be added to use credit/debit cards:

- **\$1.95 on \$66.12 or less**
- **2.95% on \$66.13 or more**

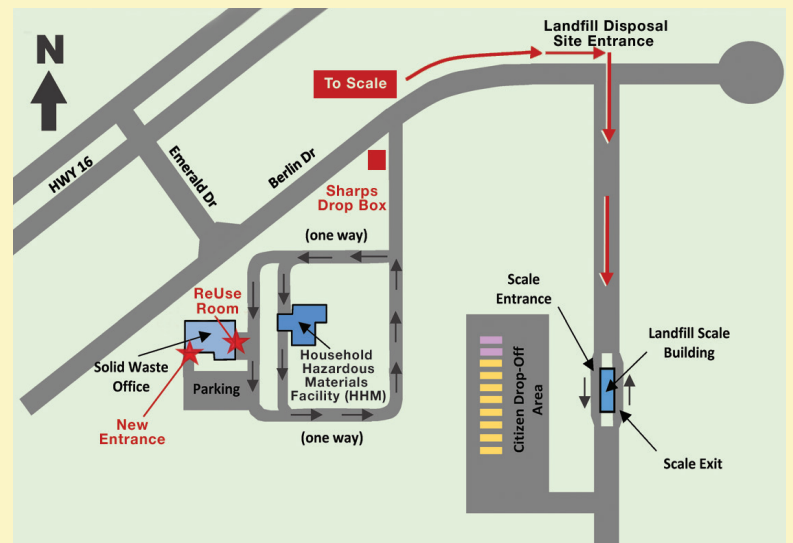
Only people authorized by site attendants may utilize the landfill facility. You must provide your own labor for unloading materials. Due to safety concerns, we do not permit salvaging once waste is placed into containers.

Information and Directions

PLEASE READ SIGNAGE

The Landfill's address is 3240 Berlin Drive. The diagram to the right illustrates the entrance to our facility (the landfill is the second right on Berlin Drive). The landfill entrance is equipped with inbound and outbound scales – all landfill customers must scale in and out. Department staff are available at the scale to direct you on disposal options and collection of payment.

For mailing, billing, and other departmental questions our office is located at 3200 Berlin Drive (first right on Berlin Drive) and parking is available on the south side of the building. We can also be reached at (608) 785-9572.



Landfill Disposal Site: 3240 Berlin Dr. La Crosse, WI 54601
HMM Disposal Site: 3202 Berlin Dr. La Crosse, WI 54601
Office: 3200 Berlin Dr. La Crosse, WI 54601
For questions please call 608-785-9572

Municipality Contacts:

- La Crosse County**
608-785-9572 www.lacrossecounty.org
- Houston County**
507-725-5800 www.co.houston.mn.us
- City of La Crosse**
608-789-7508 www.cityoflacrosse.org
- City of Onalaska**
608-781-9500 www.cityofonalaska.com
- Town of Bangor**
608-461-0554 www.townofbangor.com
- Village of Bangor**
608-486-4084 www.villageofbangor.com
- Town of Burns**
608-486-4272 www.townofburnswi.com
- Town of Campbell**
608-783-0050 www.townofcampbellwi.gov

- Town of Farmington**
608-857-3139 www.townoffarmingtonlax.org
- Town of Greenfield**
608-452-4700 www.greenfieldlaxwi.gov
- Town of Hamilton**
608-786-0989 www.townofhamiltonwi.org
- Town of Holland**
608-526-3354 www.townofhollandwi.gov
- Village of Holmen**
608-526-4336 www.holmenwi.com
- Town of Medary**
608-781-2275 www.townofmedary.com
- Town of Onalaska**
608-783-4958 www.townofonalaska.org
- Town of Shelby**
608-788-1032 www.townofshelby.com
- Village of West Salem**
608-786-1858 www.westsalemwi.gov

2 Town of Holland Curbside Brush Chipping, Yard Waste Disposal, Burning, White Goods, and Curbside Service

IMPORTANT INFORMATION • PLEASE KEEP

Curbside Brush Chipping (on calendar)

Note that brush is not accepted at the Town compost site. VIOLATORS will be ticketed!

Brush chipping is a service to the residents and is to be used on an occasional basis such as spring cleanup. The service is not to clear woods, remove large trees or clear building sites. It is not for larger properties with many trees to use on a constant basis. Properties repeatedly using this service will be notified that their brush will not be chipped. You must contract with a tree service at your own expense.

Dates: Brush will be chipped on the **second Tuesday of May and October only**. Refer to calendar for specific dates.

Sign up for chipping: To be placed on the chipping list, call the Town Hall (608-526-3354) **no later than Monday 1:00 p.m. the day before the chipping service begins**. Please keep in mind that some months the list is rather long and chipping may take more than one day.

Acceptable materials: Brush and tree limbs up to and including 6 inches in diameter with cut ends toward the road, piled **no higher than 3 feet and no wider than 15 feet along** the curb. Be sure that branches and trees are free of metal, wire, rope, tinsel, plastic, stones, and other debris.

Small twigs: Twigs shorter than 24 inches and less than ¾ inch thick should be disposed of with your regular yard waste.

These regulations must be followed or brush service will not be provided. There will be NO EXCEPTIONS!

Yard Waste, Leaves & Grass

Beginning in 2023, access to the compost area will be gated. Town residents will be required to register with the Town Clerk to obtain a key-fob (see Town newsletter). You may bring leaves, grass clippings, sod, wood chips and other yard or garden waste to the disposal site just to the west of the cell tower by the Town Hall (at the bottom of the U-driveway). These materials may be left at any time during daylight hours. A garbage can is provided for the disposal of bags brought to the site. This area is for your convenience; please do not abuse it by leaving household trash or other unacceptable materials. Anyone is welcome to take finished compost and wood chips from the site.

PLEASE—no brush, branches or limbs are accepted at the compost site (violators will be ticketed).

Christmas Trees

Christmas trees may be brought to the Town Hall parking lot (by the cell tower) through January 15. Please remove tinsel, ornaments, and tree bags.

Burning Ban

Burn barrels and burning leaves/refuse in backyards is illegal and hazardous to the environment and to people. Violators will be issued a citation.

Still allowed: grilling or cooking outdoors, campfires, fire rings/pits, and outdoor wood stoves (as long as they are constructed to standards established by ordinance) and other exceptions with a permit as provided by the Holmen Fire Department. **Questions? Call the Holmen Fire Department at 608-526-9363.**

Large Articles

Residents must contract on their own for large article collection.

Other options for large articles:

- La Crosse County Landfill has a citizen drop-off site at 3202 Berlin Dr. (see front cover) 608-785-9999. There is a small fee for large articles at drop-off.
- Hilltopper Refuse & Recycling drop-off site W6833 Industrial Blvd., 608-783-6727. There is a small fee for large articles at drop-off.
- Residents may call any hauler for this service.

White Goods & E-Waste

White goods curbside service is available (fee involved) every Thursday for the entire calendar year by appointment only. Call Hilltopper Refuse & Recycling at 608-783-6727. The per-item fee must be paid to Hilltopper prior to collection.

White goods (pickup fee involved) include: refrigerators, washing machines, stoves, freezers, dryers, dishwashers, sump pumps, air conditioners, central heating/cooling units, heat pumps, street lamps, microwaves, some electric motors, furnaces, dehumidifiers, water softeners, hot water heaters.

Other options for white goods (not curbside options):

- Runde Metal Recycling at 647 Commerce Street, Holmen, 608-526-9358. (They pay for most appliances. They do not take refrigerants, TVs, or e-waste.)

E-waste recycling

- For a small fee, you may recycle e-waste through Hilltopper Refuse & Recycling. Please call 783-6727 for details.
- La Crosse County Landfill, no charge for most items, but some may require a fee. See outside pages or call 608-785-9999.

Refuse & Recycling CART Collection System

Residents are required to use the cart provided to you by the Town for trash and recycling collection. These will be the **ONLY** containers that are picked up. Carts have a 10 year warranty from the manufacturer. If they lose a wheel, the lid comes off, or other “normal” repair, the cart will be repaired or exchanged by Hilltopper. There is no cost to the resident for these types of “normal” repairs. If the resident is negligent and the carts are damaged they will be responsible for the replacement costs. If you move, the carts remain with the resident. Please do not mark or spray paint your carts. A luggage tag or zip tie may be placed on the cart to mark your address.

Placement of Carts

Place carts at least 3 feet away from obstacles including but not limited to: other carts, recycling bins, mailboxes, power poles, etc.

Place the cart within 2 feet of the surfaced edge of the road with the arrow on the cover pointing toward the road (wheels facing away from the road).

Carts should be set out by 5 AM on collection day. Carts must be placed on a level surface with the covers reasonably shut for collection. Carts may not be placed within the right-of-way (33 feet from the center line) other than the day of service. At no time should the carts be placed on the road, even in the winter.



Additional Trash

Trash set beside your cart, put out in bags or a can, will not be collected. You can wait and put the extra trash in the cart for the next collection, or make other arrangements to dispose of the additional trash. Some options include: hauling it yourself to the La Crosse County Landfill or to Hilltopper for a small fee, or purchasing stickers from Hilltopper for curbside collection. These stickers are to be used on the handle of the bag (where bag is tied shut) and set out with your cart. Only one sticker per bag, no cans will be collected. This is for occasional extra trash. You can purchase these stickers directly from Hilltopper at 608-783-6727. If you continually have more trash than fits in your cart and you need an additional cart, contact Hilltopper at 608-783-6727 and make arrangements to have an additional cart delivered. There is an additional annual charge for the second cart. You will be billed directly by Hilltopper.

Medical/Physical Disability or Elderly

The carts are very stable and roll very easily. There is no need to lift the cart, you tip it slightly and roll it. If you don't think you can handle this cart, you will need to contact the Town Hall and request special service. If the service request is granted, the hauler will walk to the cart and wheel it to the collection point, dump it, and wheel it back to the agreed upon storage location. The cart has to be outside and visible to the driver for this service.

Contact Information

Holland Town Hall

W7937 Cty Rd MH, Holmen, WI 54636
(Mon 8am-1pm, Wed 3pm-6pm, Thurs 8am-1pm, and other times as needed)
Phone: 526-3354 Fax: 526-6564 E-mail: clerk@townofhollandwi.gov

Closed New Year's Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, July 4, Labor Day, Thanksgiving day and the Friday after, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day

Hilltopper Refuse & Recycling

W6833 Industrial Blvd., Onalaska
(Monday-Friday 8 a.m.–5 p.m.; Saturday 8 a.m.–noon)
Phone: 608-783-6727

La Crosse County Landfill and Household Hazardous Materials Facility (HHM)

3200 Berlin Drive, La Crosse Phone: 608-785-9572

**You will receive a brochure like this at the beginning of each year, so please keep it!
If you misplace it, please call the Town Hall at 526-3354.**

Please visit our website: www.townofhollandwi.gov

2023 Town of Holland Trash & Recycling Pickup Schedules

Curbside Trash Pickup Guidelines (on calendar)

Trash pickup dates: Pickup service is on Mondays by Hilltopper Refuse & Recycling (608-783-6727) unless otherwise indicated on the schedule. **Place carts at least 3 feet away from other carts, recycling containers, mailboxes or other obstacles.**

Trash unacceptable to place in cart

DO NOT put grass, leaves, brush, recyclables, electronics, computer components, demolition or construction materials in the cart. Information on disposal of these items is contained in another part of this publication.

If you are doing any major home improvements (new roof, new siding, etc.) or any major disposal of excess junk, you are required to rent your own dumpster for the waste material.

If your refuse is not picked up by the end of the day on Monday, please contact Hilltopper Refuse & Recycling immediately at 608-783-6727.

Curbside Recycling Pickup Guidelines (on calendar)

Recycling pickup dates: Collection takes place every other week on the same day as refuse collection. See the Refuse and Recycling Calendar below. **Place recyclables for pickup beside your regular refuse at least 3 feet apart from your refuse cart and other obstacles and within 2 feet of the surfaced edge of the road by 5 am on collection day.**

Preparing materials for recycling:

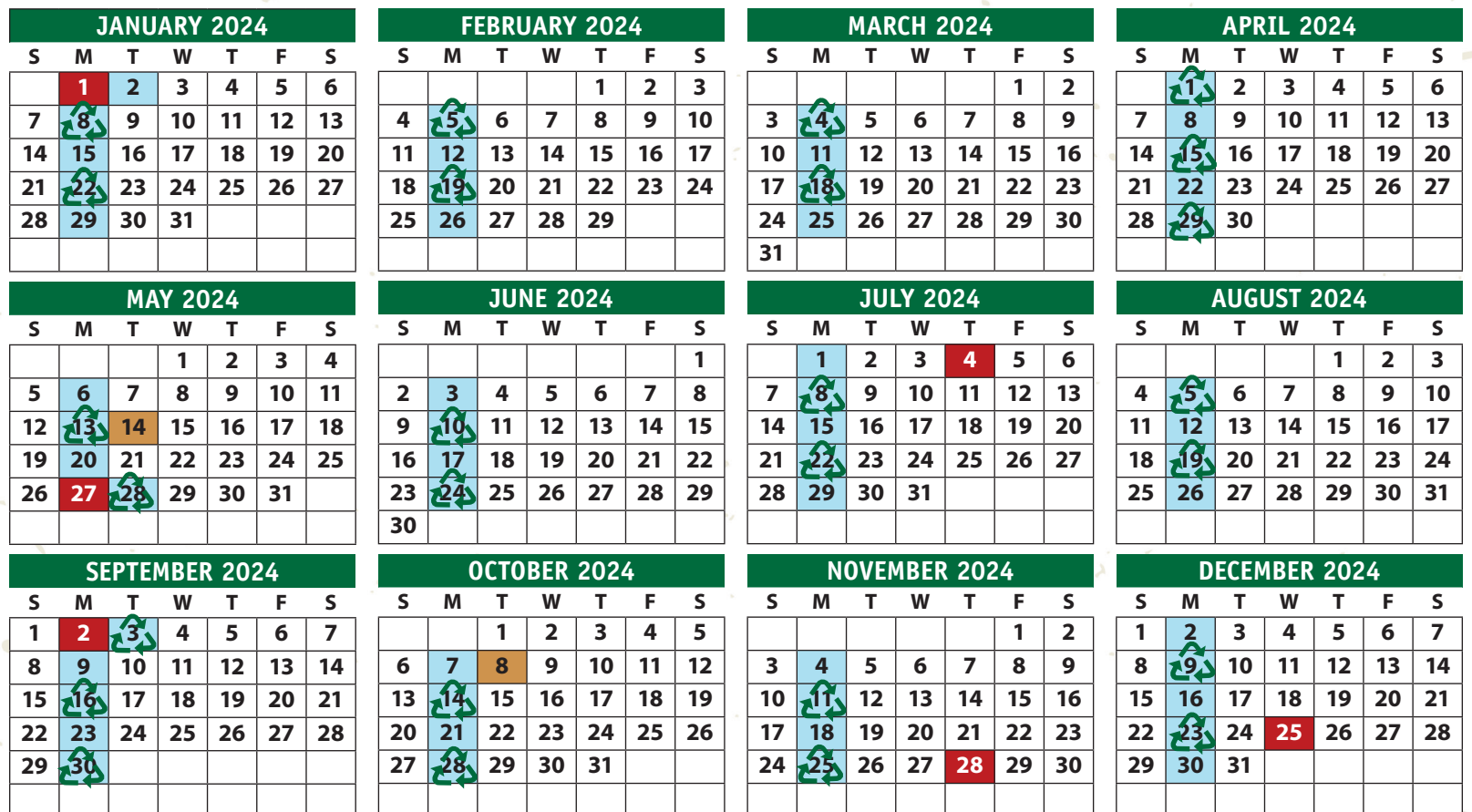
See the chart below the calendar for preparation instructions. You can also visit www.hilltopperrefuse.com for more information.

Hazardous Materials

Cleaners, solvents, gasoline, oil, or other toxic, corrosive, explosive, or highly combustible materials may not be placed in the regular trash. Refer to the front page to see which hazardous materials are accepted at the La Crosse County Household Hazardous Materials Site. If in question, call the facility for a recommendation at 608-785-9999.

Calendar for Curbside Trash, and Recyclables Pickup and Curbside Brush Chipping

If you have questions or concerns, please call Hilltopper Refuse & Recycling at 608-783-6727.



Holidays: No refuse or recycling pickup. Collections following these holidays will be a day late.

Trash & Recycling pickup

Trash Pickup. Note Recycling is every other Monday

Brush Chipping

Single Stream Recycling - How to Prepare Recyclables

GLASS: Jars and bottles only!

SEE NON-ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS BELOW

• PLEASE RINSE & CLEAN



TIN & ALUMINUM

Bottles and Cans:

Pots & pans, empty paint & aerosol cans, aluminum foil, or steel cans

- NO chemicals, scrap metal, or vehicle parts, electronics
- Empty, rinse clean. Ends of cans can stay attached.

PLASTIC:

Accepted plastics: (bottle form only) #1 #2

#5 food containers (yogurt, cottage cheese, etc.).

DO NOT recycle plastic bags, or to-go food containers (clam shell)

• PLEASE RINSE & CLEAN



FOOD & BEVERAGE

CARTONS:

Milk, juice, broth, soup, and other

- Drain liquid.
- Beverage Paper cups (no lids or straws)

• PLEASE RINSE & CLEAN



WIRES:

Christmas lights, extension cords and power cords



NEW!

Paper and Cardboard: Newspapers, magazines, cereal, soda and beer boxes, paperback books, phone books, paper bags, mail/junk mail. Cardboard boxes must be broken down.



Non-Acceptable Materials for Curbside Recycling - Plastic bags, kitchen garbage bags, car/specialty batteries, photographs, styrofoam (see County section of flyer), regular trash, yard waste, specialty bulbs (small incandescent/LED can go in trash), dishes, ceramic, mirrors, wood or demolition materials, computer/larger electronics, large carpet rolls, full aerosol cans and wet paint containers, (empties can go in regular trash).

NOTE: Place recyclables unbagged in the recycling cart. Place carts 3 ft apart from obstacles/each other.

For More Information: www.hilltopperrefuse.com **LIDS ON CARTS MUST CLOSE OR THEY WILL NOT BE PICKED UP**

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For answers to questions, call
La Crosse County HHM program, 608-785-9999
or visit our Website: www.lacrossecounty.org/solidwaste/hhm

Household Hazardous Materials Facility (HHM)

Free for La Crosse County, WI residential users (unless otherwise noted below)
Houston County, MN and surrounding counties (Fees apply to all acceptable items)

Acceptable Materials

- Automotive fluids
- Batteries (rechargeable, lead acid, lithium)
- Cell phones and digital cameras
- Cleaning products
- Computers (desktops, laptops, tablets)
- Computer peripherals (fax machines, hard drives, keyboards, mice, printers, scanners, speakers)
- Fluorescent light bulbs
- Lawn and garden chemicals
- Medications (non-controlled only)
- Mercury-containing devices (barometers, thermometers, thermostats, etc.)
- Microwaves and small Freon appliances **Fees Apply**
- Paints, stains, varnish and solvents
- Pool chemicals
- Propane cylinders (20# and under)
- Sharps and needles
- Smoke detectors
- TVs and computer monitors **Fees Apply**
- Vape pens/E-cigarettes
- Video devices (cable and satellite receivers, DVD players, gaming consoles, VCRs, etc.)
- Water filters (Point of Contact)

Non-Acceptable Materials

- Compressed gas cylinders (other than propane)
- Controlled substance medications
- Explosives (inc. black powder, fireworks, military munitions, and flares)
- Shock sensitive materials (picric acid, etc.)
- Radioactive materials

SAVE YOURSELF A TRIP!

These items can and should go into your regular curbside trash or recycling:

- Alkaline batteries (trash)
- Dried out paint (trash)
- Empty paint and aerosol cans (recycle)
- Fertilizer without pesticide (trash)
- Ice melt and rock salt (trash)
- Incandescent light bulbs (trash)



Preparation & Transportation

Residential Drop-Off Hours

Monday – Friday (year-round): 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
1st and 3rd Saturdays (April – October): 9:00 a.m. – Noon

Businesses and organizations by appointment only.

Fees apply to all items for residents who live outside of La Crosse County.

FREE PRODUCT REUSE ROOM!

Over 80,000 pounds of useable household products are sorted and made available to the public in our Reuse Room annually. All items are free, but donations are appreciated. The Reuse Room is open Monday – Friday from 8 AM to 4 PM. The Reuse Room is located on the east side of the landfill office building, directly adjacent to the HHM Facility.



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Safe Transportation of Hazardous Materials

1. Never mix chemicals.
2. Bring items in original containers or clearly mark contents. Tell facility technician if you are unsure what is in a container.
3. Tighten all covers and lids.
4. If a container is leaking, pack it separately in a leak-proof pail or tub.
5. Avoid spills. Place waste containers upright and place securely in the trunk or back of a truck or van. Do not transport waste containers in vehicle passenger areas.
6. Gasoline should be transported in a designated red safety container.
7. Motor oil should be transported in a durable and leak-proof container labeled with the words "Used Oil."
8. Tape the terminal ends of batteries with clear tape to prevent arcing. Do not co-mingle batteries with chemicals.
9. Transport fluorescent bulbs securely to avoid breakage. Do not tape bulbs together.
10. Upon arrival, pull under the HHM canopy and remain in your vehicle with the engine shut off.

Sharps & Needles



- Needles, syringes, auto-injectors (EpiPens) and lancets must be transported in sealed, puncture-resistant containers.
- Container options include a standard red sharps container or a thick plastic laundry detergent bottle with screw on cap. All containers must be labeled with the word "SHARPS."
- Additional sharps collection sites can be found on the Alliance to HEAL website.
- For after-hours service, a red sharps drop box is located on Berlin Drive at the La Crosse County Solid Waste Department entrance. This drop box accepts single-use needles as well as small sharps containers. (see map above)

Use By Businesses & Organizations

The La Crosse County HHM Program is available to assist small businesses and organizations with their hazardous material disposal needs. For more information, call us at (608) 785-9999 or visit our website to download a VSQG qualification packet.

www.lacrossecounty.org/solidwaste/hhm