

Be a community sharps

# Safety Stickler

with all used syringes, needles and lancets

## ✓ DO's of community sharps disposal

**DO** place community sharps into a sharps container or other appropriate container

**DO** dispose of containers only into community sharps disposal facilities at:

- participating pharmacies
- community sharps disposal bins
- public hospitals
- needle & syringe program outlets

Contact your council for information on appropriate containers, and the location of community sharps disposal facilities in your area.



## ✗ DON'Ts of community sharps disposal

**DON'T** leave containers where young children can reach them

**DON'T** overfill containers

**DON'T** dispose of containers into council waste or recycling services because of the high risk of injury to workers

**For more information phone: 02 6926 9520  
or council on 02 6926 9302**