

BCL SHARPS WASTE CONTAINERS

Items classified as SHARPS WASTE: Needles • Syringes • Blades • Scalpels • Clinical Glass or any objects that can cause a cut, abrasion or puncture wound.

Do's:

- ✓ Place sharps containers in the mounted bracket or secured area
- Ensure that only sharp items are placed in the sharps container (refer to above classification)
- ✓ Securely lock the flaps on top of the sealed lid once the sharps reaches the 'fill line' —
- √ Once filled, place sealed sharps in designated waste holding / storage area
- ✓ Always keep sharps containers in an upright position

Don'ts:

- Never exceed the fill line indicated on the sharps container
- Do not leave sharps containers in areas where unauthorized persons may have access to it
- Do not dispose of paper, gloves and general non-sharp HCRW into sharps containers

Please note that BCL cannot remove any sharps containers that have not been sealed and secured correctly.

* Note: All containers are not proportioned to each other

