



Re-Opening Checklist

How Will You Handle Your Medical Waste?

Getting Started

- Review [CDC Guidelines](#) for Cleaning and Disinfecting Workplaces, in addition to state and local re-opening recommendations and employee safety protocols.
- Plan for How to Dispose of Future Waste:
 - PPE (Separate Collection Container for Disposable Masks, Gloves)
 - Contaminated Covid-19 Materials Must Be Placed in Biohazard Bag and Disposed of as Regulated Medical Waste.
 - Process for Chemical Disposal (Expired Hand Sanitizer is A Hazardous Waste)
 - Add Sharps Container in Restrooms or Change Out Sharps Insert
 - Add Biohazard Blood Spill and Cleanup & Disposal to First Aid Station

Properly Package Medical Waste

- [Red Biohazard Containers](#) are For Infectious Waste Only
 - No Trash, Recycling, Medicines, or Hazardous Materials
 - No Loose Sharps - They Must First Be Placed in a [Rigid Sharps Container](#)
- Tie Biohazard Bags Correctly ([Watch This Video](#))
- Keep Lid on Biohazard Containers ([Hang Up this Poster](#))

