



Mamawetan Churchill River Health Region

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What to do if you find a discarded needle

With the arrival of spring, you may find discarded needles on the ground. Remember that discarded needles can cause injury and spread disease.

Here's what to do if you find a discarded needle:

- Children should tell an adult immediately. They should **not** touch the needle.
- An adult should pick the needle up by the end that is not sharp, and place it in a strong container with a lid.
- Drop the container off at the Flin Flon Hospital.

Safe needle clean-up kits are now available from the Public Health Office at the Creighton Health Centre.

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