



Riverside County Fire Department in cooperation with CAL FIRE

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RIVERSIDE COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT DOES NOT ACCEPT EXPIRED MEDICATIONS OR USED SHARPS CONTAINERS FROM THE PUBLIC

The Riverside County Fire Department does not accept expired medications or used sharps from the public. We are only permitted as a small quantities' generator for emergency response and operations. Should the public arrive at our facilities for the disposal of their used sharps and expired medications please advise them to use the links below to properly handle their waste.

Information link to information on medication and sharps:

<http://www.rivcowm.org/opencms/hhw/index.html#Sharps>

Information link for household hazardous waste collection program:

<http://www.rivcowm.org/opencms/hhw/pdf/HHWEventFlyerPDFs/91709-MASTERHHWSchedule.pdf>

Information link for special drop off locations:

http://www.rivcowm.org/opencms/hhw/index.html#Reg_Temporary_HHW

Should you have any further questions please refer to the Riverside County Waste Management Department website at <http://www.rivcowm.org/opencms/> or contact them at 951-486-3200.

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