

### South East London Flash Glucose- safe disposal arrangements

Organisation	Pen needles/ lancets/FreeStyle Libre sensor	FreeStyle Libre® sensor applicator
Bexley Council	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Visit Bexley council website: <a href="http://www.bexley.gov.uk/recycling">http://www.bexley.gov.uk/recycling</a></li> <li>2. Click on the link for '<b>dangerous waste</b>' and you will be taken to a new page</li> <li>3. Half way down the page, there is a section on '<b>sharps collection</b>' with a link for "<b>request a collection</b>". Householders need to register at the link to arrange collections. GP will prescribe sharps bins. If patient has no internet access, a paper form can be completed by the Healthcare professional (HCP) &amp; posted or handed in at the Civic Offices. For further advice, see <a href="https://www.diabetesbexley.org.uk/clinical-waste-collection">https://www.diabetesbexley.org.uk/clinical-waste-collection</a></li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Visit Bexley council website: <a href="http://www.bexley.gov.uk/recycling">http://www.bexley.gov.uk/recycling</a></li> <li>2. Click on the link for '<b>dangerous waste</b>' and you will be taken to a new page</li> <li>3. Half way down this page, there is a section on "<b>clinical waste</b>" detailing information about clinical waste bags as well as three links related to clinical waste collections. Householders need to register at the relevant link to arrange collections. If patient has no internet access, see <a href="https://www.diabetesbexley.org.uk/clinical-waste-collection">https://www.diabetesbexley.org.uk/clinical-waste-collection</a> for further advice</li> </ol>
Bromley Council	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. GP practice to prescribe a sharps bin for patient</li> <li>2. GP to request by email a collection service at the following address <a href="http://www.bromley.gov.uk/ClinicalWasteCollections">http://www.bromley.gov.uk/ClinicalWasteCollections</a> for individual patients. Nb. Patients cannot request this themselves.</li> <li>3. The contractor will contact the patient directly to arrange a collection with patient. This collection can be on a regular day that suits the patient.</li> <li>4. The patient should request a <b>large sharps bin</b>, that will be used for the needles , the sensor and the applicator with cap, for disposal. The London Borough Bromley have advised that this will be cost effective and more convenient for the patient.</li> </ol>	
Greenwich Council	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. GP supplies the first Sharps Bin...after which he/she makes an e-referral to Greenwich Council.</li> <li>2. <a href="#">Referral forms</a> should be e-mailed to <a href="mailto:contact-centre@royalgreenwich.gov.uk">contact-centre@royalgreenwich.gov.uk</a></li> <li>3. Patients should ring 0208 921 4661 when they want a collection. Greenwich Council will take over the collection and replacement of Sharps bins.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Specialist team to provide initial clinical waste bag when FreeStyle Libre® initiated</li> <li>2. <a href="#">Referral forms</a> should be e-mailed to <a href="mailto:contact-centre@royalgreenwich.gov.uk">contact-centre@royalgreenwich.gov.uk</a></li> <li>3. Patients should ring 0208 921 4661 when they want a collection. Greenwich Council will take over the collection and replacement of clinical waste bag.</li> </ol>
Lambeth Council	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. GP practice to prescribe sharps bin for patient</li> <li>2. When sharps bin is almost full, healthcare professional</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Specialist team to provide initial clinical waste bag when FreeStyle Libre® initiated</li> <li>2. Patient to contact GP/healthcare professional (HCP) to complete <a href="#">healthcare</a></li> </ol>

	<p>(HCP) to complete <a href="#">healthcare waste referral form</a> for individual patients. Council will contact HCP for patient details and arrange collection with patient. HCP must detail type of clinical waste e.g. sharps bin</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Replacement sharps bins and biohazardous (clinical waste) bags will be provided after each collection.</li> </ol>	<p><a href="#">waste referral form</a> for individual patients. Council will contact HCP for patient details and arrange collection with patient. HCP must detail type of clinical waste e.g. sharps box and clinical waste bag</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lambeth Council can provide collection of sharps boxes and clinical waste bags free of charge to patients.</li> <li>Replacement biohazardous (clinical waste) bags will be provided after each collection.</li> <li>Collections can be arranged on a number of different frequencies to suit requirements</li> </ol>
Lewisham Council	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GP Practice to prescribe sharps bin for patient</li> <li>When sharps bin is full, healthcare professional (HCP) to complete <a href="#">healthcare waste referral</a> form for individual patients.</li> <li>Lewisham Council will contact HCP for patient details and arrange collection with patient</li> <li>GP practice to prescribe replacement sharps bin</li> </ol> <p>For further information please visit:  <a href="https://www.lewisham.gov.uk/myservices/wasterecycle/other-waste-and-recycling/Pages/Clinical-waste-disposal.aspx">https://www.lewisham.gov.uk/myservices/wasterecycle/other-waste-and-recycling/Pages/Clinical-waste-disposal.aspx</a></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Specialist team to provide initial clinical waste bag when Freestyle Libre® initiated (tbc)</li> <li>Patient to contact HCP to complete <a href="#">healthcare waste referral</a> form for the individual patient.</li> <li>Lewisham Council will contact HCP for patient details and arrange collection with the patient</li> <li>Lewisham council will supply the patient with replacement yellow clinical waste bags after each collection.</li> </ol> <p>For further information please visit:  <a href="https://www.lewisham.gov.uk/myservices/wasterecycle/other-waste-and-recycling/Pages/Clinical-waste-disposal.aspx">https://www.lewisham.gov.uk/myservices/wasterecycle/other-waste-and-recycling/Pages/Clinical-waste-disposal.aspx</a></p>
Southwark Council	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GP practice to prescribe first sharps bin for patient</li> <li>Note that as part of the waste management process, the GP, nurse or health visitor must complete and return a <a href="#">clinical and healthcare waste collection application form</a> to the Council.</li> <li>Once the Council has received the completed form, they will contact the patient to make collection arrangements. The Council will supply the patient with replacement sharps bins. The bag collection is a weekly collection and the box/sharps collection is a call when ready service.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Specialist team to provide initial clinical waste bag when FreeStyle Libre® initiated</li> <li>A <a href="#">clinical and healthcare waste collection application form</a> will need to be completed by the GP/HCP detailing the residents name, address and type of waste that needs collecting.</li> <li>Once the council has received the completed form, they will contact the patient to make collection arrangements. The council will supply the patient with replacement bags and boxes upon collection.</li> </ol> <p>The bag collection is a weekly collection and the box/sharps collection is a call when ready service.</p>