

Needles not safe for garbage!

IATSE Local 667 and Panavision Canada have developed a ***Needle Disposal Policy*** that you are required to adhere to.

It is estimated that each year, Canadians use seven million syringes outside of medical facilities. That's a lot of needles to dispose of, and it's important that it be done properly.

Used needles, syringes and blades (or "sharps") too often end up in recycling plants, where materials are hand-sorted as well as in parks and alleys where children play. This is very dangerous as it poses serious health and safety risks. They should also not be placed in your blue box.

Panavision requires that you return any used or damaged needles from their camera package, back to them. Panavision has implemented a needle disposal program and is committed to safe disposal of all syringes. Please do not toss these items in the garbage but return them as requested.