# New York State ESAP Projects

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| **After Hours Project (AHP)**
1232 Broadway
Brooklyn, NY 11221 | An ESAP registered Physician Assistant, in collaboration with AHP, furnishes syringes through the After Hours’ mobile van. 
Furnishing of syringes occurs in the vicinity of Knickerbockers Avenue & Troutman Street in Brooklyn, NY 11237, on Monday and Thursday from 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM. 
The agency has a Syringe Exchange Program. 
For information on location, days and hours of operation, call: (718) 249-0755. |
| **AC Center, Inc.**
259 Monroe Avenue
Rochester, NY 1460
(585) 545-7200 | Two ESAP-registered medical providers alternate to furnish syringes from AC Center’s mobile medical unit once a week from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM. 
The agency has a Syringe Exchange Program. 
For information on location, days and hours of operation, call: (585) 454-5556. |
| **AIDS Center of Queens County (ACQC)**
97-45 Queens Blvd.
12th Floor
Rego Park, NY 11374 | Provides outreach and education to community individuals on safer injection use and the sites where they can discard their used syringes. 
ACQC staff visit pharmacies in Queens County to outreach them about ESAP, and establish a link with ACQC’s SEP. 
The program has three kiosks to collect used sharps in three New York Hospital clinics located at: 
- 97-45 Queens Blvd., 12th Fl., Rego Park, NY 11374 
- 175-61 Hillside Avenue, 4th Fl., Jamaica, NY 11432 
- 1600 Central Avenue, 3rd Fl., Far Rockaway, NY 11691 
The agency has a Syringe Exchange Program. 
For information on location, days and hours of operation, call: (718) 233-6564 |
| **AIDS Community Resources, Inc. (ARC)**  
627 West Genesee Street  
Syracuse, NY 13204  
(315) 475-2430 | The agency has implemented a voucher program in Syracuse. They have established partnerships with two pharmacies in Syracuse for clients to redeem the vouchers in these pharmacies. A voucher has the value of 10 syringes.  
For information on location, days and hours of operation, call: (315) 475-2430. |
| **AIDS Related Community Services (ARCS), aka Mid-Hudson Valley AIDS Task Force**  
40 Saw Mill River Road, Hawthorne, NY 10532 | The agency has partnered with three pharmacies to implement its Mosaic Voucher Program in the Mid-Hudson Valley area Mid-Hudson. ARCS staff distributes vouchers to substance user clients and these clients redeem the vouchers in the pharmacies partnered with the Mosaic Voucher program. A voucher has the value of 10 syringes.  
For more information on the program call: (914) 699-1025. |
| **AIDS Service Center of New York (ASC)**  
41 East 11th Street  
5th Floor  
New York, NY 10003  
(212) 645-0875 | An ESAP registered provider at ASC furnishes syringes once a week, on Tuesday, from 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM.  
The agency has placed a kiosk in the lobby/waiting area.  
For more information on the program, call (212) 645-0875. |
| **Allegany County Department of Public Works**  
7 Court Street  
Room 210  
Belmont, NY 14813 | Through the NYS Safe Sharps Collection Program, the Allegany Co. Department of Public Works implemented the **Think Sharp - Safe Syringe Disposal Program.**  
They have registered all seven solid waste disposal facilities as official safe disposal sites for home generated sharps with sharps disposal kiosks/drop boxes.  
The program not only collects used sharps for proper disposal, but provides the public with proper disposal education and free individual sharps containers at all of their seven solid waste sites.  
The Public Works Department has partnered with all the local pharmacies (10) who have agreed to help promote the program, advertises the 7 new disposal locations, and also provides residents with free sharps disposal containers (fitpacks and/or 1qt. red sharps containers).  
All the free sharps containers provided to the public include an attached label and brochure describing the project and the new sharps disposal locations. Sharps Drop Box Locations:  
  o Bolivar Transfer Station (Wed & Sat)  
  o Caneadea Transfer Station (Wed & Sat) |
| **Bellevue Hospital Center, Virology Services**  
462 First Avenue, Room 12 E 12, New York, NY 10016 | The access and disposal of syringes are limited to clients that receive HIV primary care at Bellevue. |
| **Brooklyn AIDS Task Force (BATF)**  
502 Bergen Street  
Brooklyn, NY 11217 | BATF has partnered with 18 pharmacies, and provides them with education and fitpacks.  
They host two kiosks. One at their 1921-25 Fulton Street Site and the other at their main site, 502 Bergen Street. Syringe disposal hours are: Monday - Friday, from 9 AM to 5 PM.  
Syringes are furnished through SIBRO at the 502 Bergen Street Site  
Additionally, in collaboration with BATF an ESAP registered provider furnishes syringes from their mobile van. The ESAP provider works five hours a day, Monday through Friday. In addition to furnishing syringes, HIV counseling and testing, STD screening, and referrals to service are provided in the mobile van.  
For information on location, days and hours of operation call: (718) 622-2910. |
| Catholic Charities AIDS Program  
| 100 Slingerland Street  
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| Catholic Charities, in collaboration with 10 pharmacies in Albany and Schenectady has established a voucher program. Through the agency staff and other agency partners, vouchers are distributed to clients at risk of HIV or are IDUs. Clients can then redeem vouchers at the partnered pharmacies to receive 10 free syringes.  

For the convenience of their clients, two Kiosks have been placed in easily accessible areas at their main facility at 100 Slingerland Street, Albany, and at the Hometown Health Center at 1044 State Street, Schenectady  

The agency has a Syringe Exchange Program.  

For information on location, days and hours of operation call: (518) 449-3581. |
| Center for Public Health Education at Stony Brook University  
| Health Sciences Rd.  
| Benedict House, 4016  
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| CPHE has been responsible for placing kiosks at 10 health centers throughout Suffolk and Nassau Counties.  

CPHE provides training to the health center staff on the proper disposal of used syringes. They also supply educational and marketing material for syringe disposal to the local health centers.  

CPHE outreaches to Article 28 licensed health care centers to support the centers registered as ESAP providers, and to identify centers interested in registering as ESAP providers and collection sites.  

CPHE also surveys local pharmacies in the surrounding communities to identify those interested in registering as ESAP providers.  

CPHE distributes a user friendly brochure in English and Spanish, developed by them, on the importance of proper syringe disposal and safe methods of disposal.  

For information on the location of the kiosks, days and hours of operation, call: (631) 444-8292. |
| Centro Cívico of Amsterdam’ s Project Needle Smart (PNS)  
| 143-145 East Main Street  
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| Project Needle Smart promotes and coordinates a safe disposal program in Amsterdam and the Capital District. Through its efforts, the agency has placed kiosks in over 10 pharmacies and two CBOs including their own agency.  

The program created an animated TV commercial starring "Freddy the Frog" that runs to promote safe disposal.  

For information on location, days and hours of operation, call: (518) 842-3762 |
| **CitiWide Harm Reduction Program (CitiWide)**<br>260 East 143rd Street<br>Bronx, NY 10451 | CitiWide staff educates all individuals in need of syringe disposal regarding safety precautions for carrying and handling injection equipment, and distributes fitpacks.  
CitiWide staff outreaches to pharmacies and Article 28 licensed health care facilities to encourage them to become ESAP providers. Staff also visits ESAP registered pharmacies to inform them of the benefits of becoming syringe collection sites.  
*The agency has a Syringe Exchange Program.*  
For information on location, days and hours of operation call: (917) 292-7718. |
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| **Community Health Action of Staten Island (CHASI)**<br>56 Bay Street, 6th Floor<br>Staten Island, NY 10301 | An ESAP registered practitioner at CHASI’s Van Durzer’s site, furnishes syringes at this site and from CHASI’s mobile van. They also collect used syringes. The van offers other medical services and education, as well.  
The Van Durzer’s site and the mobile van are official sharps collection sites and they host kiosks for disposal.  
*The agency has a Syringe Exchange Program.*  
For information on location, days and hours of operation call: (718) 808-1340. |
| **Erie County Department of Health’s Syringe Expanded Access and Disposal (SEAD) Project**<br>95 Franklin Street<br>Buffalo, NY 14202 | The Syringe Expanded Access and Disposal (SEAD) Project is an educational/action program which targets communities in the eight counties of Western New York who have limited knowledge on accessing legally new, clean syringes without a prescription and appropriate avenues of disposal of used syringes, needles and lancets. The local DOH, State DOH, Stericycle, AIDS Community Service of WNY, The WNY Coalition for Diabetes Prevention and the WNY HIV/AIDS Public Health are working together to promote proper disposal. Erie County DOH is responsible for placing over 20 kiosks in the Buffalo area.  
Since July 2007, in response to the Hepatitis C outbreak in the area, the Erie County Department of Health satellite clinics have been furnishing syringes.  
Erie County DOH is an Article 28 ESAP registered provider.  
For information on location, days and hours of operation call: (716) 858-7695. |
| Gay Men's Health Crisis (GMHC)  
119 West 24th Street  
New York, NY 10011 | An ESAP registered provider at GMHC furnishes syringes to their clients and to walk ins. A short in-take is completed and if a client is in need of a service, the client is escorted to the service.  
A kiosk is available in the lobby of the 119 West 24th Street entrance.  
For information on location, days and hours of operation call: (212) 367 1524. |
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| Harlem United Community AIDS Center, Inc. (HU)  
290 Lenox Avenue, Basement, NY, NY 10027 | An ESAP registered provider, in collaboration with HU, furnishes syringes from this site and from the agency’s mobile van.  
As an official NYS collection site, a kiosk is placed in front of the elevator, in the basement.  
FROST’D, a Syringe Exchange Program, is located at this site.  
For information on location, days and hours of operation, call: (212) 289-2378 |
| Long Island Minority AIDS Coalition (LIMAC)  
1045 Route 109  
Suite 101  
Lindenhurst, NY 11757 | An ESAP registered practitioner at LIMAC furnishes syringes from LIMAC's outreach van.  
LIMAC's van is registered as an official sharps collection site.  
For information on location, days and hours of operation call: (631) 225-5500. |
| Lower East Side Harm Reduction Center (LESHRC)  
25 Allen Street  
New York, NY 10002 | Visits pharmacies in the 10002, 10003 and 10009 zip code areas to educate them about ESAP, encourage them to become safe sharps collection sites and establish a link with their SEP.  
The agency has a Syringe Exchange Program.  
For additional information call: (212) 226-6333 |
| MCCNY Charities  
446 West 36 Street (between Dyer & 10th Avenue)  
NY, NY 10018 | Syringes are furnished on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 1-2 PM to any person over 18 years of age. Safe disposal of used syringes is also encouraged.  
For information call (212) 629-7440 |
| **New York City AIDS Housing Network (NYCAHN)**  
| 80-A 4th Avenue  
| Brooklyn, NY 11217 | An ESAP registered provider at NYCAHN furnishes syringes from the site and in a few areas around the agency.  
| A kiosk has been placed in the entrance of the agency.  
| For information on location, days and hours of operation, call: (718) 802-9540. |
| **New York Harm Reduction Educators, Inc. (NYHRE)**  
| 903 Dawson Street  
| Bronx, NY 10459 | An ESAP registered provider at NYHRE furnishes syringes from the site.  
| The agency has a Syringe Exchange Program.  
| For information on location, days and hours of operation, call: (718) 842-6050. |
| **Planned Parenthood of NYC Project Street Beat (PPNYC)**  
| 349 E 149th Street  
| 2nd Floor  
| Bronx, NY 10451 | PPNYC furnishes and collects used syringes from their mobile van in 20 different areas in Brooklyn, the Bronx, and Northern Manhattan.  
| Project Street Beat Mobile Unit is registered as an official syringe collection site.  
| For information on location, days, and hours of operation, call: (212) 965-4823 |
| **Positive Health Project (PHP)**  
| 301 West 37th Street  
| 3rd Floor  
| New York, NY 10018 | PHP staff outreaches to pharmacies and Article 28 licensed health care facilities to encourage them to become ESAP providers. Staff also visits ESAP registered pharmacies to continue providing support to pharmacies in their network, and inform them of the benefits of becoming syringe collection sites.  
| The agency has a Syringe Exchange Program.  
| PHP hosts a kiosk in the entrance of their building at 301 West 37th Street.  
<p>| For additional information call: (212) 465-8304 |</p>
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<td><strong>REACH CNY</strong></td>
<td>1010 James Street Syracuse, NY 13202</td>
<td>In partnership with the Clinical Education Initiative, CNY Syringe Disposal Coalition provides educational tool kits that include health education materials detailing syringe access through ESAP, proper disposal of used syringes, and a list of syringe drop-off sites in the pharmacies in the area. The educational tool kits are also provided to CBOs who impart the information to the community at large. Distribution of fitpacks is done by the CBOs. The CNY Syringe Disposal Coalition staff outreaches to pharmacies and Article 28 licensed health care facilities to encourage them to become ESAP providers. Staff also visits ESAP registered pharmacies to inform them of the benefits of becoming syringe collection sites. For information on location, days and hours of operation call: (315) 424-0009</td>
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<td><strong>Safe Horizon Street</strong></td>
<td>Safe Horizon Street Work Lower East Side 33 Essex Street New York, NY 10002</td>
<td>An ESAP registered provider furnishes syringes to youth 18 to 24 years old, weekly while doing outreach in the street. The agency has a Syringe Exchange Program. For information on location, days, and hours of operation, call: (646) 602-6404.</td>
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<td><strong>SIBRO</strong></td>
<td>1408 Richmond Rd Staten Island, NY 10304</td>
<td>SIBRO is a consortium of health care practitioners in private practice, and in community-based organizations in Staten Island and Brooklyn. They have registered several ESAP registered medical providers that furnish syringes in a private practice office and at other agency facilities that include: DOMI/Turning Point, Brooklyn AIDS task Force, and Project Hospitality. For information on location, days, and hours of operation, call: (718) 816-3362</td>
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<td><strong>Turning Point/DOMI</strong></td>
<td>5220 Fourth Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11220</td>
<td>TP/DOMI is furnishing syringes through two mobile vans in the Red Hook and Sunset Park area, in Brooklyn. SIBRO staff also provides ESAP services at the agency. For information on location, days and hours of operation call: (718) 439-0077.</td>
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VIP staff educates clients on ESAP and safe syringe disposal. They also provide ESAP material and individual disposal units to over 30 pharmacies on a regular basis to distribute to clients. They have a Bronx ESAP Coalition in place.

In addition, VIP staff outreaches to Article 28 licensed health care facilities to encourage them to become ESAP providers and/or syringe collection sites.

They have three sharps collection sites:

- VIP Health Services Department, 1910 Arthur Ave, 9th Floor, Bronx 10457
- VIP Health Services Department, 1910 Arthur Ave, 5th Floor, Bronx 10457
- VIP Prevention Center, 591 East Tremont Ave, Bronx 10457

For additional information on location, days and hours of operation, call: (718) 466 8066.