# IMPORTANT

## **DENTAL WASTE SEGREGATION**

Follow these important guidelines to properly segregate your waste prior to your next collection.

#### Mercury and Other Hazardous Wastes

Certain hazardous dental wastes are sent for recycling and recovery and must be kept separate from healthcare risk waste. Please ensure you use our range of specialised containers for:

- Waste Mercury and Amalgam
- Fixer and Developer
- Lead Foils
- Extracted Teeth and Caps

#### Healthcare Risk Waste

Place your soft healthcare risk waste in the yellow bag provided. Do not deposit sharps, chemicals or medicinally contaminated wastes in these bags. Simply tie the bag securely and leave in the appropriate storage area awaiting collection.

DO NOT PUT ANY CHEMICAL, MERCURY OR AMALGAM CONTAMINATED WASTES IN THESE BAGS.





### Sharp Healthcare Risk Waste

Sharps boxes are provided for needles, syringes and contaminated sharps. Please ensure these containers are not over filled to prevent spillage and injury. Please close the lid securely and leave in the appropriate storage area awaiting collection.

DO NOT PUT ANY MERCURY OR AMALGAM CONTAMINATED WASTES IN THESE SHARPS BOXES.

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