

# *Attention Vineland Residents...*

**Please remember to use these guidelines for correct disposal of syringes at home!**

*Proper disposal of syringes at home is simple and important!*

- 1.** Place used syringes into an empty, puncture-proof container such as a coffee can, soda bottle or mayonnaise jar. *It is preferable to bend the tip of the needle back.*
- 2.** Replace the lid or cap on the container and secure with strong tape (such as duct tape) to prevent accidental opening. *Syringe containers do not need to be labeled.*
- 3.** Place in non-clear trash bags or cans for curbside City collection. *Do not put the syringe container in with your recyclables.*

**NOTE:** *Disposal of home-used syringes is governed by law. Improper disposal will lead to legal action when necessary to protect our trash collectors, children, and all residents of the community.*



***Do not dispose of syringes with your trash unless properly contained!***



*If you have questions please call —*

**Vineland Health Department: 794-4131**  
**Division of Solid Waste Management: 794-4089**

*Residents may also drop off these items on Wednesdays at the*  
**South Jersey Healthcare (SJH) Regional Medical Center, Environmental Services Department:**  
**1505 West Sherman Avenue • Vineland, NJ 08360**  
*or by appointment call: 856-641-8000 Ext. 26021*