

**EMD Serono, Inc.**  
**Plan to Support Safe Needle Collection and Disposal**  
**for Rebif® (interferon beta-1a)**

EMD Serono is committed to meeting the needs of patients and the communities in which they live. Prior to initiating our plan, EMD Serono conducted a pilot program of patients taking Rebif® (interferon beta-1a). Based on feedback from this pilot program we developed and implemented a plan to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices in support of California Senate Bill 486 for the residents of California.

***I. Providing for Effective Safe Needle Collection and Disposal***

Since inception of the plan in 2010, EMD Serono has worked with a third-party organization to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. This program, developed by EMD Serono, offers California residents taking Rebif the opportunity to participate in a free safe collection container mail-back program. The following items are provided to California residents taking Rebif:

- Introduction kit consisting of 2 collection containers and mail-back packaging
- Replacement containers with mail-back packaging after the resident has mailed back previously-supplied collection containers

California residents who take Rebif may be auto-enrolled in this program by calling MS LifeLines® toll free at 877-447-3243. Containers may be subject to availability.

***II. Educating Patients***

EMD Serono provides information about the California sharps disposal ban on our company Web site in order to educate patients and the greater community. We proactively reach out to patient and professional organizations in the state of California to make them aware of EMD Serono's plan which supports the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. We encourage patients to call our toll-free support service, MS LifeLines, for any questions that they have related to Rebif and the safe collection and disposal of related waste devices.

Furthermore, we educate patients initiating Rebif therapy about our plan through telephone outreach and during injection training via our Nurses. In addition to informing them of the organization's plan, we also make them aware of the local CA resources available through CalRecycle Sharps and Medication Disposal Directory available at the following: (<http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/homehazwaste/Sharps/Default.aspx>)

***III. Coordinating with California Organizations***

EMD Serono works with organizations to make them aware of the company's commitment and plan to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. We proactively reach out to organizations in the state of California to make them aware of EMD Serono's plan. In addition, we have incorporated feedback from these local organizations in the design of our current plan to better understand how we can meet the needs of CA residents.

***IV. Involving Consumers and the Community***

As part of our on-going commitment to meeting the needs of patients, EMD Serono will work to obtain feedback from existing Rebif patients on our plan to support the collection and disposal of waste devices.

**EMD Serono, Inc.**  
**Plan to Support Safe Needle Collection and Disposal**  
**for Rebif® Rebidose® (interferon beta-1a)**

EMD Serono is committed to meeting the needs of patients and the communities in which they live. We have developed and implemented a plan to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices in support of California Senate Bill 486 for the residents of California who are taking Rebif® Rebidose® (interferon beta-1a).

***I. Providing for Effective Safe Needle Collection and Disposal***

Since inception of the plan in 2010, EMD Serono has worked with a third-party organization to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. This program, developed by EMD Serono, offers California residents taking Rebif Rebidose the opportunity to participate in a free safe collection container mail-back program. The following items are provided to California residents taking Rebif Rebidose:

- Introduction kit consisting of 2 collection containers and mail-back packaging
- Replacement containers with mail-back packaging after the resident has mailed back previously- supplied collection containers

California residents who take Rebif Rebidose may be auto-enrolled in this program by calling MS LifeLines® toll free at 877-447-3243. Containers may be subject to availability.

***II. Educating Patients***

EMD Serono provides information about the California sharps disposal ban on our company Web site in order to educate patients and the greater community. We proactively reach out to patient and professional organizations in the state of California to make them aware of EMD Serono's plan which supports the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. We encourage patients to call our toll-free support service, MS LifeLines, for any questions that they have related to Rebif Rebidose and the safe collection and disposal of related waste devices.

Furthermore, we educate patients initiating Rebif Rebidose therapy about our plan through telephone outreach and during injection training via our Nurses. In addition to informing them of the organization's plan, we also make them aware of the local CA resources available through CalRecycle Sharps and Medication Disposal Directory available at the following: (<http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/homehazwaste/Sharps/Default.aspx>)

***III. Coordinating with California Organizations***

EMD Serono works with organizations to make them aware of the company's commitment and plan to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. We proactively reach out to organizations in the state of California to make them aware of EMD Serono's plan. In addition, we have incorporated feedback from these local organizations in the design of our current plan to better understand how we can meet the needs of CA residents.

***IV. Involving Consumers and the Community***

As part of our on-going commitment to meeting the needs of patients, EMD Serono will work to obtain feedback from existing Rebif Rebidose patients on our plan to support the collection and disposal of waste devices.

**EMD Serono, Inc.**  
**Plan to Support Safe Needle Collection and Disposal**  
**for Serostim<sup>®</sup> (somatropin (rDNA origin) for Injection)**

EMD Serono is committed to meeting the needs of patients and the communities in which they live in. As part of this, we have developed a plan to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices in support of Senate Bill 486 for the residents of California.

***I. Providing for Effective Safe Needle Collection and Disposal***

Since inception of the plan in 2010, EMD Serono has worked with a third-party organization to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. This program developed by EMD Serono offers California residents who are Serostim<sup>®</sup> (somatropin (rDNA origin) for Injection) patients, the opportunity to participate in a free, Sharps container mail back program. The following items are sent to CA residents on Serostim<sup>®</sup>:

- Introduction kit inclusive of 2 Sharps containers including mail back packaging.
- Replacement containers with mail-back packaging after the resident has mailed-back previously-supplied collection containers consisting of a one (1) gallon Sharps container.

Enrollment into this program is available for residents of CA using Serostim<sup>®</sup> and accomplished by calling the AXIS Center at 877-714-2947. Containers may be subject to availability.

***II. Educating Patients***

EMD Serono provides information about the sharps disposal ban in California on our company Web site in order to educate patients and the greater community. We proactively reach out to patient and professional organizations in the state of California to make them aware of EMD Serono's plan which supports the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. We encourage patients to call our toll-free support service, 877-714-2947, AXIS Center, for any questions that they have related to Serostim<sup>®</sup> and the safe collection and disposal of related waste devices.

Further, we educate patients initiating Serostim<sup>®</sup> therapy through telephone outreach and during injection training via our Product Specialists about our plan. In addition to informing them of the organization's plan, we also make them aware of the local CA resources available through CalRecycle Sharps and Medication Disposal Directory available at the following site:  
(<http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/homehazwaste/HealthCare/Collection/Default.aspx>)

***III. Coordinating with California Organizations***

EMD Serono works with organizations to make them aware of the company's commitment and support of the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. We proactively reach out to organizations in the state of California to make them aware of EMD Serono's plan. In addition, we have incorporated feedback from these local organizations in the design of our current plan to better understand how we can meet the needs of CA residents.

***IV. Involving Consumers and the Community***

As part of our on-going commitment to meeting the needs of patients, EMD Serono works to obtain feedback from existing Serostim<sup>®</sup> patients on our plan to support the collection and disposal of waste devices.

**EMD Serono, Inc.**  
**Plan to Support Safe Needle Collection and Disposal**  
**for EMD Serono Fertility Products**

EMD Serono is committed to meeting the needs of patients and the communities in which they live in. As part of this, we have developed and implemented a plan to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices in support of Senate Bill 486 for the residents of California.

***I. Providing for Effective Safe Needle Collection and Disposal***

Since inception of the plan in 2010, EMD Serono has worked with a third-party organization to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. As part of this program, EMD Serono offers California residents on EMD Serono Fertility Products the opportunity to participate in a free, Sharps container mail back program. The following items are provided to California residents on EMD Serono Fertility Products upon request:

- Introduction kit inclusive of 2 Sharps containers including mail back packaging.
- Replacement containers with mail-back packaging after the resident has mailed-back previously-supplied collection containers

Enrollment into this program is available for residents of California using EMD Serono Fertility Products can be requested by calling our patient support service at 866-598-7879. Containers may be subject to availability,

***II. Educating Patients***

EMD Serono provides information about the sharps disposal ban in California on our company Web site in order to educate patients and the greater community. We proactively reach out to patient and professional organizations in the state of California to make them aware of EMD Serono's plan which supports the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. We encourage patients to call our toll-free support service at 866-598-7879, Fertility LifeLines, for any questions that they have related to our reproductive health products and the safe collection and disposal of related waste devices.

Further, we educate patients initiating fertility therapy through telephone outreach. In addition to informing them of the organization's plan, we also make them aware of the local CA resources available through CalRecycle Sharps and Medication Disposal Directory available at the following:  
(<http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/homehazwaste/HealthCare/Collection/Default.aspx>)

***III. Coordinating with California Organizations***

EMD Serono works with organizations to make them aware of the company's commitment and plan to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. We proactively reach out to organizations in the state of California to make them aware of EMD Serono's plan. In addition, we have incorporated feedback from these local organizations in the design of our current plan to better understand how we can meet the needs of CA residents.

***IV. Involving Consumers and the Community***

As part of our on-going commitment to meeting the needs of patients, EMD Serono works to obtain feedback from existing fertility patients on our plan to support the collection and disposal of waste devices.

**EMD Serono, Inc.**  
**Plan to Support Safe Needle Collection and Disposal**  
**for Saizen<sup>®</sup> (somatropin (rDNA origin) for injection)**

EMD Serono is committed to meeting the needs of patients and the communities in which they live in. As part of this, we have developed and implemented a plan to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices in support of Senate Bill 486 for the residents of California.

***I. Providing for Effective Safe Needle Collection and Disposal***

Since inception of the plan in 2010, EMD Serono has worked a third-party organization to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. As part of this program, EMD Serono offers California residents who are using Saizen<sup>®</sup> (**somatropin (rDNA origin) for injection**) patients, the opportunity to participate in a free, Sharps container mail back program. The following items are sent to CA residents on Saizen<sup>®</sup> therapy upon request:

- Introduction kit inclusive of 2 Sharps containers including mail back packaging.
- Replacement containers with mail-back packaging after the resident has mailed-back previously-supplied collection containers

Enrollment into this program is available for residents of CA using Saizen<sup>®</sup> and can be requested by calling Connections for Growth at 800-582-7989. Containers may be subject to availability.

***II. Educating Patients***

EMD Serono provides information about the sharps disposal ban in California on our company Web site in order to educate patients and the greater community. We proactively reach out to patient and professional organizations in the state of California to make them aware of EMD Serono's plan which supports the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. We encourage patients to call our toll-free support service at 800-582-7989, Connections for Growth, for any questions that they have related to Saizen<sup>®</sup> and the safe collection and disposal of related waste devices.

Further, we educate patients initiating Saizen<sup>®</sup> therapy through telephone outreach and during injection training via our Product Specialists about our plan. In addition to informing them of the organization's plan, we also make them aware of the local CA resources available through CalRecycle Sharps and Medication Disposal Directory available at the following:  
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***IV. Involving Consumers and the Community***

As part of our on-going commitment to meeting the needs of patients, EMD Serono works to obtain feedback from existing Saizen<sup>®</sup> patients on our plan to support the collection and disposal of waste devices.

**EMD Serono, Inc.**  
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**for Zorbtive<sup>®</sup> (somatropin (rDNA origin) for Injection)**

EMD Serono is committed to meeting the needs of patients and the communities in which they live in. As part of this, we have developed and implemented a plan to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices in support of Senate Bill 486 for the residents of California.

***I. Providing for Effective Safe Needle Collection and Disposal***

Since inception of the plan in 2010, EMD Serono has worked a third-party organization to support the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. This program developed by EMD Serono offers California residents who are Zorbtive<sup>®</sup> (somatropin (rDNA origin) for Injection) patients, the opportunity to participate in a free, Sharps container mail back program. The following items are sent to CA residents on Zorbtive<sup>®</sup> therapy upon request:

- Introduction kit inclusive of 2 Sharps containers including mail back packaging.
- Replacement containers with mail-back packaging after the resident has mailed-back previously-supplied collection containers

Enrollment into this program is available for residents of CA using Zorbtive<sup>®</sup> and can be requested by calling the AXIS Center at 877-714-2947.

***II. Educating Patients***

EMD Serono provides information about the sharps disposal ban in California on our company Web site in order to educate patients and the greater community. We proactively reach out to patient and professional organizations in the state of California to make them aware of EMD Serono's plan which supports the safe collection and disposal of waste devices. We encourage patients to call our toll-free support service at 877-714-2947, AXIS Center, for any questions that they have related to Zorbtive<sup>®</sup> and the safe collection and disposal of related waste devices.

Further, we educate patients initiating Zorbtive<sup>®</sup> therapy through telephone outreach and during injection training via our Product Specialists about our plan. In addition to informing them of the organization's plan, we also make them aware of the local CA resources available through CalRecycle Sharps and Medication Disposal Directory available at the following site:

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