

Beyond the Talk: Implementing Eco-Friendly Practices

Centers for Recycling Unusual Items

Implant Recycling

Hip Joints and other similar metal Products

- Universal Containers USA (Metal Recycling) www.universalcontainersusa.com
- Implant Recycling www.impantrecycling.com (877-446-4544)

Pacemakers

Heart Too Heart

220 34th St. West

Billings, MT 59102

They do not have a web site.

Glasses and hearing aids

- Your local Lions Club
- Hear Now, for hearing aids
- Your local audiologist
- Sertoma Club, hearing aid recycling program; Madison, WI, Sertoma President Dave Scher, dcs102 @charter.net or 608 209-8639 for a club near you.

Printer cartridges

- HP 4600 & 4700 cartridges go back to HP and others also have a return.
- Staples and other office supply stores have recycling programs and give you discounts when you return old ones for new ones.
- You can also partner with a school in your area, many collect ink cartridges and turn them in for credits on school supplies.

Other items to consider:

- **Fluorescent bulbs** are taken for proper disposal. We take ours to Menards (a regional home and lumber supply store), possibly other hardware stores also accept used bulbs.
- If we have a **metal casket shell** after cremation, which goes to a scrap metal yard, they have also been very good at completely crushing the shell so as not to be recognized and they do this immediately when we bring it in.