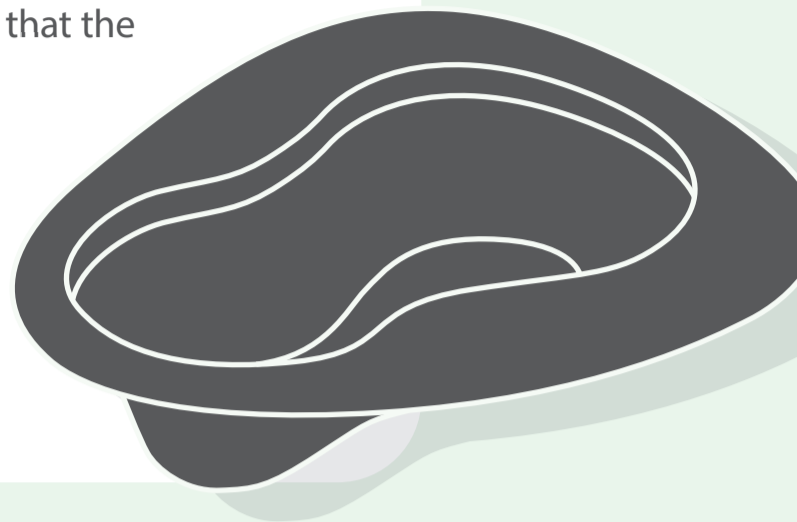


The Lifecycle of Medical Pulp Products

Many people believe that using single-use pulp bedpans is wasteful and not environmentally friendly compared with using reusable ones. We're here to bust that myth.

For starters, pulp products are made from recycled paper materials – so they do not contribute to deforestation.

It's true that they do add more waste to our sewerage systems – but you might be surprised to learn that the shredded pulp is extracted and put back to good use.



It all starts with a tree



Trees are made into paper products including newspapers, magazines and cardboard



Paper products are recycled into **medical pulp** bedpans, urine bottles and bowls



Medical pulp products are used by patients and residents in hospitals, care homes and special schools



Used medical pulp is disposed of in a **pulp macerator** and pulverised into tiny particles



The waste & pulverised pulp is flushed into the normal sewerage system

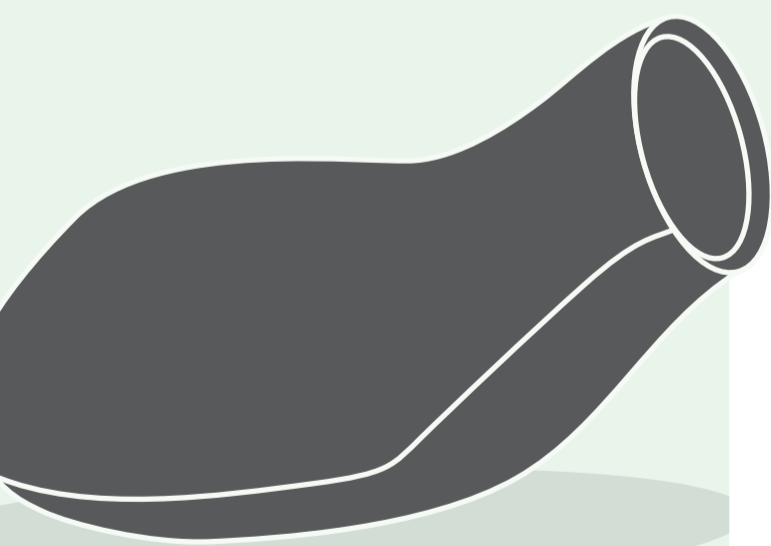


Sewer pipes transport the waste to a water treatment plant



Pulp is filtered out of the water into 'sludge' which is turned into agricultural fertiliser

The Lifecycle of Medical Pulp Products



Not only are medical pulp products an environmentally friendly solution to your human waste disposal requirements, they also reduce the risk of cross-contamination.

The single-use items and their contents are disposed of via a pulp macerator, meaning there is no further clinician or patient interaction with potentially infectious waste and its container.

If you'd like to learn more about making the switch to pulp products in your facility, get in touch with our experts to discuss your requirements.



+44 (0) 01202 731555



info@ddcdolphin.com



www.ddcdolphin.com

