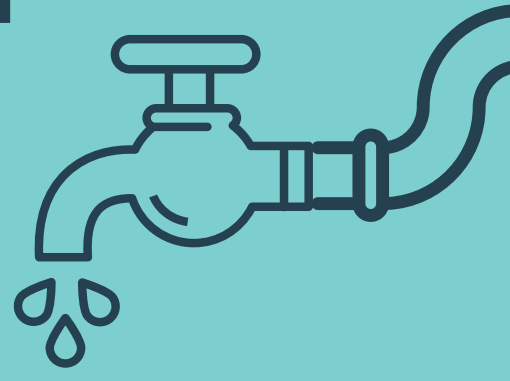


HOW TO AVOID COSTLY CLOG\$

You can avoid expensive plumbing problems, protect public health, and keep our wastewater lines clean!



Mind Your Meds!

Disposing of expired or unwanted medication down the drain is a threat to public health and the environment. Medication that is flushed down the toilet or sink can contaminate our water resources. More information is available at www.dep.state.fl.us.



Careful What You Flush!

If it's not toilet paper, don't flush it.

"Flushable" wipes, feminine products . . . those can all clog wastewater pipes, causing overflow into the environment.

"Flushable" wipes **do not degrade** in the wastewater system like toilet paper does.

Throw them away!

Avoid F.O.G.s!

Don't pour fats, oils, or grease down the drain! They can cause blockages in your home or wastewater system. Instead, pour them into a sealable container, freeze, and place into the trash.



Wipe Away!

Be mindful when rinsing or washing dishes and cookware in the sink with visible fats, oils, and grease.

Wipe them off with a paper towel and throw the towel into the trash.

Scrape the Scraps!

Food scraps can plug your home's wastewater lines. Use a sink strainer, decrease or eliminate your use of the garbage disposal, and compost food scraps when possible. Otherwise, scraps into the trash!

