Wipes: even if they say flushable, wipes don’t break down like toilet paper and form clogs.

Paper towels: thick and absorbent and can lead to clogs.

Hair: stringy and strong – when flushed it can bind things together and create clogs.

Floss: like hair but made of plastic, it ties things together and forms clogs.

Tampons: they expand and absorb liquids and can build up over time to create clogs.

Condoms: they can stretch and bind things together, leading to clogs.

Medication: aren’t fully removed in the wastewater treatment process; some end up in our environment. Return old medications to a pharmacy.
What’s so bad about sewer clogs?
Aside from being inconvenient, clogs can lead to:

- Costly repairs
- Sewer overflows
- Chemicals in our environment
- Damaged equipment

What’s okay to flush
Pee, poo and toilet paper are the only safe things meant to be flushed. Anything else wreaks havoc on our sewer system.

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