



HAZARDOUS WASTE INCINERATION

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Description

HAZARDOUS WASTE

Substances that are ignitable, toxic, corrosive, reactive or poisonous.

Hazardous Waste Bins

Can transfer compatible materials from reusable black container into 55 gal barrel to save on shipping.

Bulk Chemo

More than 3% of the container volume. It should go in disposable, rather than reusable, black bins.

Aerosol

ONLY place in bin if there are reemaining aerosol substances. Empty aerosol containers can be placed in trash or recycling.

Incompatible Hazardous Waste

Drugs that are corrosive, reactive or poisonous must be packaged and shipped in separate hazardous waste containers.

P-listed Waste

Highly toxic hazardous materials

Hazardous Drugs: Can mix toxic drugs and flammable liquids in reusable containers.

Flammable Liquids:

-Alcohols > 24%; -Ethyl Chloride; -Xylene

Hazardous Toxic Drugs: Refer to EPA Hazardous Drug List

Bulk Chemo Waste: -Chemo container that has more than 3% content; -PPE saturated with chemo drug (i.e., gown)

Aerosols: Highly flammable pressurized drugs include:

ONLY HPA Inhalers that are not empty: -Albuterol; -Advair; -Flovent; -ProAir; -Ventolin; -QVar; -Xopenex

Pressurized Inhalers: -Combient; -Dulera; -Spiriva; -Symbicort

Topical Anesthetic Sprays: -Demoplost; -Hurricane; -PainEase

Separate and/or Labpack Incompatible Haz Wastes:

Harmful to Health: -Sodium Perborate

Corrosive Acids: -Debacterbol; -Hydrochloric Acid

Corrosive Bases: -Potassium Hydroxide

Harmful to the Environment: -Lidocaine Capsules (if full); -Chromium; -Iodine; -Bulk Mercury; -Nicotine; -Phenol; -Selenium

Oxidizers: -Unused silver nitrate; -Potassium Permanganate

Reactive: -Cyanide

P-listed Drugs*: -Coumadin; -Nitroglycerin; -Epinephrine (powder); -Physotigimine

*Includes full, partial or empty packaging or excess medication

Typical Items
That May Go In
This Waste Bin

What Should
NOT Go In
This Bin

NO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES
NO SHARPS
NO INFECTIOUS MATERIAL