

HAZARDOUS WASTE

Print Your Name: _____
 Bldg. & Room: _____ Department: _____

Center No: _____ Satellite Accumulation Start Date: _____

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Please fill out a Hazardous Waste Tag for each container of waste.
- Accurately summarize the container contents as they are added to the container.
- Amounts must be in liters or kilograms.
- Use proper chemical names and write neatly. Do not use chemical formulas, structures, or abbreviations.
- Container must be closed when not in use
- Attach multiple sheets if more room is needed.

Chemical waste pickups are on Wednesday mornings. To schedule a pickup call waste management at X5718, or e-mail your request to ncichemwaste@mail.nih.gov

CONTAINER SUMMARY:

CHEMICALS	AMOUNTS (liter/kilogram)
<i>Example: Ethyl Acetate</i>	<i>3.5 liters</i>
TOTAL AMOUNT:	

Examples of Chemical Waste

- Spent solvents
- Surplus chemicals
- Used oil of all types
- Batteries
- Used chemical spill clean-up materials
- Non-radioactive lead shielding and lead scrap
- Photographic film processing solutions
- Broken/non-broken thermometers and other items containing mercury
- Non-returnable gas cylinders and lecture bottles

How Do I Dispose Of The Following Items?

Ethidium Bromide

Solidify liquid ethidium bromide in a one-gallon stuff jug using powersorb. **NO VISIBLE LIQUID.** Stuff jugs (81151082), stuff jug lids (81151083) and powersorb (81151081) can be purchased from the warehouse. Once solidified, fasten the lid down with a piece of tape and place the entire stuff jug in a gray medical waste cart.

Mercury Thermometers/Mercury Bulbs

Call waste management at x5718 to schedule a pick-up.

Miscellaneous Laboratory Chemicals

If you would like to dispose of any unwanted or expired chemicals please call waste management at x5178 to schedule a pick-up. If laboratory chemicals are not in their original containers please attach an "FNL Hazardous Waste Tag" listing the containers contents. Chemicals in their original containers do not need any further labeling. Place all chemicals in a box and write the words "Waste" on it. **Do not put any chemicals down the drain.**

Sharps

When your sharps container is full, fasten the lid down with a piece of tape and place the entire container in a gray medical waste cart. New sharps containers can be ordered from the warehouse at item numbers 66401504 and 66401505.

Please refer to the following waste management web pages for additional information

Recycling – <http://home.ncifcrf.gov/ehs/recycling/>

Broken Glass Disposal – <http://home.ncifcrf.gov/ehs/ehs.asp?id=84>