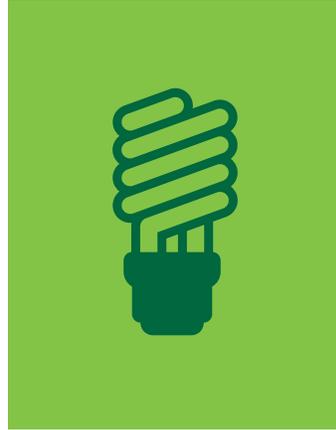
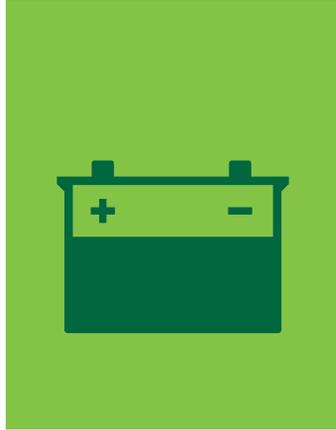




## Household Hazardous Waste

Disposal Guide and State Directory



**IS YOUR WASTE HAZARDOUS?**

**Hazardous Household Wastes (HHW) include:**

- Auto Products
- Garden Products
- Household Products
- Paint, Hobby and Pet Products
- Special Wastes

**See a comprehensive list of HHW on page 3.**

If you are a residential customer, there may be local alternatives for managing your household hazardous wastes (HHW) that are more cost effective.

Following are some suggestions from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA):

**Permanent collection or exchange**

Find out if your community has a facility that collects HHW year-round. Some of these facilities have exchange areas for unused or leftover paints, solvents, pesticides, cleaning and automotive products, and other materials. By taking advantage of these facilities, materials can be used by someone else, rather than being thrown away.

**Special collection days**

If your community does not have a year-round collection system for HHW, find out if there are any designated days in your area for collecting solid waste at a central location to ensure safe management and disposal.

**Local business collection sites**

If your community has neither a permanent collection site nor a special collection day, you might be able to drop off certain products at local businesses for recycling or proper disposal. Some local garages, for example, may accept used motor oil for recycling.

# Household Hazardous Wastes (HHW) that require special disposal include common items such as:

## Auto Products

- Antifreeze
- Auto Body Filler
- Batteries (Auto, Motorcycle)
- Brake Fluid
- Car Cleaners, Waxes, Chrome Polish
- Carburetor Cleaner
- Diesel Fuel
- Engine Degreaser
- Gasoline
- Oil (Used or Unused)
- Oil Filters
- Power Steering Fluid
- Radiator Flushes
- Tires
- Transmission Fluid

## Garden Products

- Fertilizers
- Fungicides
- Herbicides
- Insecticides
- Pesticides
- Roach and Ant Killers
- Rodent Poisons
- Soil Fumigants
- Weed Killers

## Household Products

- Abrasive Cleaners
- Aerosols and Aerosol Cans
- Ammonia-Based Cleaners
- Asbestos Roofing Tar
- Batteries (Non-Alkaline)
- Bleach Cleaners
- Compact Fluorescent Lights (CFLs)
- Cosmetics
- Degreasers
- Deodorizers
- Disinfectants
- Drain Openers/Cleaners
- Floor Cleaner and Wax
- Fluorescent Bulbs, Tubes
- Fluorescent Lamp Ballasts
- Furniture Polish
- Kerosene, Lamp Oil
- Laundry Products
- Mercury Switches
- Metal Cleaners
- Moth Balls
- Nail Polish and Remover
- Oven Cleaner
- Pool Chemicals
- Propane/Compressed Gas Cylinders
- Rug and Upholstery Cleaner
- Rust and Spot Remover
- Silver Cleaners
- Thermometers
- Thermostats
- Toilet Cleaner

## Paint, Hobby and Pet Products

- Adhesives
- Caulks, Glues, Cements
- Chemistry Sets
- Driveway Sealer
- Flea Collars
- Flea Powder, Sprays, Shampoo
- Helium Tanks
- Lacquer, Stain
- Mineral Spirits
- Model Airplane Paint
- Paint (Latex and Oil-Based)
- Paint Remover/Stripper
- Paint Thinners
- Photographic Chemicals and Solutions
- Propane Tanks
- Resins, Fiberglass, Epoxy
- Rubber Cement Thinner
- Rust Proofing Products
- Turpentine
- Varnishes
- Wood Preservatives

## SPECIAL WASTE\*

- Ammunition
- Appliances (Including Appliances Containing Freon)
- Asbestos Insulation, Tile, Linoleum
- Computers
- Cooking Oil/Grease
- Electronic Equipment
- Fire Extinguishers
- Fireworks, Flares
- Medical Waste
- Mobile Phones and Tablets
- Needles, Syringes, Lancets
- Prescription Drugs
- Radioactive Materials
- Smoke Detectors (May Contain Small Amounts of Radioactive Material)

\* These products may require special handling in your state or province. Local information can be found in the State Directory starting on page 5.

# Additional Waste Management Services for Residential Customers

Waste Management is the largest environmental solutions provider in North America. As part of our strategy, we are committed to developing new waste solutions that can help you not only manage your waste, but also achieve your green goals. Below are four solutions we hope to be of assistance to you.

## **BAGSTER**<sup>®</sup> DUMPSTER IN A BAG<sup>®</sup>

### **Bagster**<sup>®</sup>

[WWW.THEBAGSTER.COM](http://WWW.THEBAGSTER.COM)

When a dumpster is too big for the job or simply not an option, this innovative, on-demand solution in waste removal can help you get the job done. Fill the bag with up to 3,300 lb. of debris or waste, then schedule your collection with Waste Management.

## **Think Green From Home**<sup>®</sup>

### **Think Green From Home**<sup>®</sup>

[WWW.THINKGREENFROMHOME.COM](http://WWW.THINKGREENFROMHOME.COM)

Consumers may purchase separate kits to collect fluorescent tubes and light bulbs, household batteries, and sharps to be recycled. The following types of household batteries of nine volts or less are accepted: alkaline, carbon-zinc, NiCad, NiMH, silver oxide, and mercury. Shipping is free and consumers receive an e-mail message confirming that the material has been recycled.

## **LampTracker**<sup>®</sup>

### **LampTracker**<sup>®</sup>

[WWW.WMLAMPTRACKER.COM](http://WWW.WMLAMPTRACKER.COM)

Waste Management's LampTracker service is an easy, convenient, and cost effective solution for recycling universal waste. The pre-paid service includes mail-back recycling solutions for lamps, fluorescent bulb, lighting ballasts, batteries, mercury devices, and e-scrap.

## **At Your Door** Special Collection<sup>SM</sup>

### **At Your Door Special Collection**<sup>SM</sup>

[WWW.WMATYOURDOOR.COM/PROGRAMLOOKUP.ASPX](http://WWW.WMATYOURDOOR.COM/PROGRAMLOOKUP.ASPX)

Use the link above to determine if you are located in a community with an active Home Generated Special Materials Collection Program. This program (where available) is designed to collect paint, lamps, batteries, hazardous, toxics and similar items directly from homes. If you receive a notification on the web link that a program is not available in your community, please contact your elected officials and request that they consider implementing a program as many communities across the country already have.

#### **OWN OR OPERATE A BUSINESS?**

Waste Management can provide hazardous waste disposal solutions for businesses of all sizes, on a one-time or repeat basis.

**Visit [www.wmsolutions.com/solutions/hazardous-waste/](http://www.wmsolutions.com/solutions/hazardous-waste/) for more information about:**

- Drum Waste Disposal
- Fuel Blending
- Liquids Management
- Macroencapsulation
- Microencapsulation
- Organic Treatment
- Organics Recovery Unit
- PCB Management
- Solids Management
- Thermochemical Process/Thermal Remediation

If the above options are not suitable for your situation, please refer to the handy reference guide on the following pages. To save you time, we have created a state-by-state listing of household waste alternatives.

**Note: Management methodologies and services may change at the state, county or local level. We encourage you to validate this information by telephone prior to transportation.**

# State Directory

## USA

### ALABAMA

#### Alabama Environmental Council

##### HHW Info (PDF)

<http://adem.alabama.gov/programs/water/nps/take/householdHW.pdf>

##### How To Recycle or Dispose of Hazardous Materials

<http://www.aeonline.org/how-recycle-or-dispose-hazardous-materials>

### ALASKA

#### Alaska Division of Environmental Health

##### HHW Collection (PDF)

<https://dec.alaska.gov/eh/pdf/sw/hhw-collection.pdf>

### ARIZONA

#### Arizona Department of Environmental Quality

##### HHW Info

<http://legacy.azdeq.gov/environ/waste/hazwaste/>

### ARKANSAS

#### Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality

##### Arkansas Household Hazardous Waste Collection Centers

<https://www.adeq.state.ar.us/poa/recycling/resources/hazwaste.aspx>

### CALIFORNIA

#### CalRecycle

##### HHW Info

<http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/homehazwaste/>

##### California Department of Toxic Substances Control

<http://www.dtsc.ca.gov/hazardouswaste/universalwaste/hhw.cfm>

##### Contacts

<http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/homehazwaste/Contacts.htm>

### COLORADO

#### Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment

##### Household Hazardous Waste Collection Programs

<https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/household-hazardous-waste-collection-programs>

### CONNECTICUT

#### Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection

##### HHW Info

[http://www.ct.gov/deep/cwp/view.asp?a=2718&q=325446&deepNav\\_GID=1646%20](http://www.ct.gov/deep/cwp/view.asp?a=2718&q=325446&deepNav_GID=1646%20)

##### HHW Programs and Collection Schedule

<http://www.ct.gov/deep/cwp/view.asp?a=2718&q=325448>

### DELAWARE

#### Delaware Solid Waste Authority

##### HHW Info

<http://dswa.com/programs/household-hazardous/>

##### Collection Event Schedule

<http://dswa.com/event/electronic-goods-and-household-hazardous-waste-2/2017-04-26/>

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#### Example

*Household Hazardous Waste [City or County Name] State*

**So if you live in Phoenix, Arizona, your search terms would be:**

*Household Hazardous Waste Phoenix Arizona*

**You may also want to add the search terms collection or program:**

*Household Hazardous Waste Collection Phoenix Arizona*

*or...*

*Household Hazardous Waste Program Phoenix Arizona*

## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE SOLUTIONS

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**FLORIDA**      **Florida Department of Environmental Protection**

**Local Government HHW Websites**  
<http://www.dep.state.fl.us/waste/categories/hazardous/pages/localgovhhweb.htm>

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**GEORGIA**      **Environmental Protection Division**

**HHW Info**  
<https://epd.georgia.gov/household-hazardous-waste>

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**HAWAII**      **County of Hawai'i Department of Environmental Management**

**HHW Info**  
<http://www.hawaiiwastewaste.org/recycle/household-hazardous-waste/>

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**IDAHO**      **Idaho Department of Environmental Quality**

**HHW Info**  
<http://www.deq.idaho.gov/waste-mgmt-remediation/hazardous-waste/household-hazardous-waste/>

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**ILLINOIS**      **Illinois Environmental Protection Agency**

**HHW Info**  
<http://www.epa.illinois.gov/topics/waste-management/waste-disposal/household-hazardous-waste/index>

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**INDIANA**      **Indiana.gov**

**HHW Info**  
<http://www.in.gov/idem/recycle/2351.htm>

**What Do I Do With My Household Hazardous Wastes?**  
<http://www.in.gov/idem/recycle/2388.htm>

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**IOWA**      **Iowa Department of Natural Resources**

**HHW Info**  
<http://www.iowadnr.gov/Environment/HouseholdHazardousMaterials/RegionalCollectionCenters.aspx>

**HHW Regional Collections Centers**  
<http://www.iowadnr.gov/Environment/HouseholdHazardousMaterials/RegionalCollectionCenters.aspx>

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**KANSAS**      **Kansas Department of Health and Environment**

**HHW Info**  
[http://www.kdheks.gov/waste/about\\_hhw.html](http://www.kdheks.gov/waste/about_hhw.html)

**Download Contact List for HHW Facilities in Kansas (PDF)**  
<http://www.kdheks.gov/waste/hhw/HHWpointofcontact.pdf>

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**KENTUCKY**      **Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet Department of Environmental Protection**

**HHW Info**  
<http://waste.ky.gov/rla/recycling/Pages/recycling.aspx>

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*Household Hazardous Waste [City or County Name] State*

**So if you live in Boise, Idaho, your search terms would be:**

*Household Hazardous Waste Boise Idaho*

**You may also want to add the search terms collection or program:**

*Household Hazardous Waste Collection Boise Idaho*

*or...*

*Household Hazardous Waste Program Boise Idaho*

## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE SOLUTIONS

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### LOUISIANA

#### Louisiana.gov

##### HHW Info

[https://www.cfprd.doa.louisiana.gov/LaServices/PublicPages/ServiceDetail.cfm?service\\_id=2258](https://www.cfprd.doa.louisiana.gov/LaServices/PublicPages/ServiceDetail.cfm?service_id=2258)

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### MAINE

#### Maine Department of Environmental Protection

##### HHW Info

<http://www.maine.gov/dep/homeowner/householdhazwaste/>

##### HHW Collection Programs Contacts

<http://www.maine.gov/dep/waste/publications/hhwbroch.html>

*NOTE: Scroll to bottom of page for local Maine DEP offices.*

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### MARYLAND

#### Maryland Department of the Environment

##### HHW Collection Programs

<http://mde.maryland.gov/programs/Land/RecyclingandOperationsprogram/Pages/hhw.aspx>

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### MASSACHUSETTS

#### Massachusetts Energy and Environmental Affairs

##### HHW Info

<http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/massdep/recycle/hazardous/household-hazardous-waste.html>

##### HHW Collection Facilities

<http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/massdep/recycle/hazardous/household-hazardous-waste-collection-facilities.html>

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### MICHIGAN

#### Michigan Department of Environmental Quality

##### HHW Info

[http://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,4561,7-135-3312\\_4118-70304--,00.html](http://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,4561,7-135-3312_4118-70304--,00.html)

##### Recycling & HHW Contacts

[http://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,1607,7-135-3585\\_4130-115394--,00.html](http://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,1607,7-135-3585_4130-115394--,00.html)

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### MINNESOTA

#### Minnesota Pollution Control Agency

##### HHW Collection Site

<https://www.pca.state.mn.us/living-green/find-your-household-hazardous-waste-collection-site>

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### MISSISSIPPI

#### Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality

##### HHW Info

[http://www.deq.state.ms.us/MDEQ.nsf/page/Recycling\\_HouseholdHazardousWasteFAQs/](http://www.deq.state.ms.us/MDEQ.nsf/page/Recycling_HouseholdHazardousWasteFAQs/)

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### MISSOURI

#### Missouri Department of Natural Resources

##### HHW Info

<https://dnr.mo.gov/env/swmp/hhw/hhw.htm>

##### HHW Collection Facilities

<http://dnr.mo.gov/env/swmp/hhw/permanenthhwfacilities.htm>

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#### Example

*Household Hazardous Waste [City or County Name] State*

**So if you live in Lansing, Michigan, your search terms would be:**

*Household Hazardous Waste Lansing Michigan*

**You may also want to add the search terms collection or program:**

*Household Hazardous Waste Collection Lansing Michigan*

*or...*

*Household Hazardous Waste Program Lansing Michigan*

## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE SOLUTIONS

### MONTANA

#### Montana Household Hazardous Waste

##### HHW Info

<http://deq.mt.gov/Land/recycle/montanahhwprograms>

##### The Waste Not Project

<http://www.wastenotproject.org/recycle-for-businesses/>

### NEBRASKA

#### Nebraska Department of Agriculture

##### HHW Collection Events/Facilities (PDF)

[www.nda.nebraska.gov/pesticide/hhw\\_directory.pdf](http://www.nda.nebraska.gov/pesticide/hhw_directory.pdf)

##### Nebraska Household Hazardous Waste

[http://www.knb.org/house\\_hazard.html](http://www.knb.org/house_hazard.html)

### NEVADA

#### Nevada Dept. of Conservation and Natural Resources

##### HHW Info

[http://nevadarecycles.nv.gov/Recycle/Household\\_Hazardous\\_Waste/](http://nevadarecycles.nv.gov/Recycle/Household_Hazardous_Waste/)

### NEW HAMPSHIRE

#### New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services

##### HHW Programs

<http://des.nh.gov/organization/commissioner/p2au/pps/hhwp/>

### NEW JERSEY

#### Association of New Jersey Household Hazardous Waste Coordinators

##### County Programs

<http://njhazwaste.com/counties/>

### NEW MEXICO

#### New Mexico Household Hazardous Waste

*NOTE: Refine your search using Google or Bing to include your city or county name, for example, "Household Hazardous Waste Albuquerque, NM."*

### NEW YORK

#### New York Department of Environmental Conservation

##### HHW Info

<http://www.dec.ny.gov/chemical/8485.html>

### NORTH CAROLINA

#### North Carolina Environmental Quality

##### HHW Info

<https://deq.nc.gov/about/divisions/waste-management/hhw>

##### HHW Collection Facilities

<http://deq.nc.gov/about/divisions/waste-management/hhw/permanent-collection-facilities>

### NORTH DAKOTA

#### North Dakota Department of Health

##### HHW Info

[www.ndhealth.gov/wm/HazardousWasteProgram/HouseholdHazardousWaste.htm](http://www.ndhealth.gov/wm/HazardousWasteProgram/HouseholdHazardousWaste.htm)

### OHIO

#### Ohio Household Hazardous Waste

##### HHW Info (PDF)

<http://epa.ohio.gov/portals/47/facts/HouseholdHazardousWaste.pdf>

*NOTE: Refine your search using Google or Bing to include your city or county name, for example, "Household Hazardous Waste Dayton, OH."*

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*Household Hazardous Waste [City or County Name] State*

**So if you live in Columbus, Ohio, your search terms would be:**

*Household Hazardous Waste Columbus Ohio*

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*Household Hazardous Waste Collection Columbus Ohio*

*or...*

*Household Hazardous Waste Program Columbus Ohio*

**OKLAHOMA**

**Oklahoma Household Hazardous Waste**

**HHW Handling Procedures (PDF)**

<http://www.deq.state.ok.us/lpdnew/HW/f-7463.pdf>

**Household Hazardous Materials: A Guide for Citizens (PDF)**

<http://www.deq.state.ok.us/lpdnew/FactSheets/IS55brochure.pdf>

*NOTE: Refine your search using Google or Bing to include your city or county name, for example, "Household Hazardous Waste Tulsa, OK."*

**OREGON**

**Oregon.gov**

**HHW Info**

<http://www.oregon.gov/deq/Hazards-and-Cleanup/hw/Pages/hhw.aspx>

**PENNSYLVANIA**

**Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection**

**HHW Info**

<http://www.dep.pa.gov/Citizens/RecyclingDisposal/HouseholdHazardousWaste/Pages/default.aspx>

**HHW Collection Programs**

<http://www.dep.pa.gov/Business/Land/Waste/SolidWaste/HazardousWaste/Household/Pages/HHW-Collection-Programs.aspx>

**RHODE ISLAND**

**Rhode Island Resource Recovery Corporation**

**HHW Info**

<https://www.rirrc.org/recycling-composting-disposal/hazardous-waste/household-hazardous-waste>

**SOUTH CAROLINA**

**South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control**

**Recycling Hard to Manage Items**

<http://www.scdhec.gov/HomeAndEnvironment/Recycling/HardtoManageltems/>

*NOTE: Scroll to middle of the page to view Hazardous Household Products.*

**SOUTH DAKOTA**

**South Dakota Household Hazardous Waste**

*NOTE: Refine your search using Google or Bing to include your city or county name, for example, "Household Hazardous Waste Sioux Falls, SD."*

**TENNESSEE**

**Tennessee Department of Environment & Conservation**

**HHW Info**

<https://www.tn.gov/environment/article/sw-mm-household-hazardous-waste-coordinators>

**HHW Waste Programs**

<https://www.tn.gov/environment/topic/sw-mm-household-hazardous-waste-program>

**HHW Event Schedule**

<https://www.tn.gov/environment/article/sw-mm-household-hazardous-waste-collection-event-schedule>

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*or...*

*Household Hazardous Waste Program Houston Texas*

**TEXAS**      **Texas Commission on Environmental Quality**

**HHW Info**  
<https://www.tceq.texas.gov/p2/hhw/hhw.html>

**HHW Programs Contacts**  
<http://www.tceq.texas.gov/p2/hhw/contacts.html>

**UTAH**      **Utah Department of Environmental Quality**

**HHW Collections**  
<http://www.deq.utah.gov/ProgramsServices/programs/waste/recycling/HHHWCollections.htm>

**VERMONT**      **Vermont Agency of Natural Resources Department of Environmental Conservation**

**HHW Info**  
<http://dec.vermont.gov/waste-management/solid/materials-mgmt/HHW>

**WASHINGTON**      **Washington Department of Ecology**

**HHW Contacts**  
[http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/swfa/mrw/mrw\\_contacts.html](http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/swfa/mrw/mrw_contacts.html)

**WASHINGTON, D.C.**      **District of Columbia Department of Public Works**

**Handling HHW Materials**  
<http://dpw.dc.gov/service/handling-household-hazardous-waste-materials>

**WEST VIRGINIA**      **West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection**

**HHW Info**  
<http://www.dep.wv.gov/WWE/ee/hw/Pages/default.aspx>

**WISCONSIN**      **Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources**

**HHW Info**  
<http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/waste/householdHW.html>

**WYOMING**      **Wyoming Household Hazardous Waste**

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*Household Hazardous Waste Collection Madison Wisconsin*

*or...*

*Household Hazardous Waste Program Madison Wisconsin*

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