

How to handle...

UNIVERSAL WASTE

[As per NR 673 W.A.C. Refer to code for details.]



LAMPS

Labels must read:
 "Universal Waste - Lamps"
 or "Used Lamps"
 or "Waste Lamps"

NOTE: "BULBS" IS NOT A PROPER LABEL.

TRAIN
 Employees who handle universal waste require training. Keep training records.

KEEP CLOSED
 All containers of used lamps, antifreeze, pesticides and mercury-containing equipment must be kept closed.

LABEL
 All containers or individual items must be correctly labelled.

DATE
 Containers or individual items must be labelled with the date when the item was first placed in the container or the date when the item became waste.



BATTERIES

Labels must read:
 "Universal Waste - Batteries"
 or "Used Batteries"
 or "Waste Batteries"



RECALLED OR UNUSED PESTICIDES

Labels must read:
 "Universal Waste - Pesticides"
 or "Waste Pesticides"
 and have original product label

REMOVE
 Waste must be picked up or taken for recycling within one year of the date on the container.



ANTIFREEZE

Label must read:
 "Used Antifreeze"



MERCURY-CONTAINING EQUIP.

Labels must read:
 "Used Mercury-Containing Equipment"
 or "Waste Mercury-Containing Equipment"

EQUIPMENT: THERMOSTATS, SWITCHES, THERMOMETERS, BAROMETERS



GOT A LEAK?

Any items that are leaking or damaged must be contained in closed, leakproof containers.

IMPORTANT REMINDER...

If not managed as universal waste, these items **must** be managed as hazardous waste.

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