







# WISCONSIN'S UNIVERSAL WASTE RULES:

These hazardous waste items require special handling protocols...



Waste Category:	Waste Type & Label Description:	Handling Protocol:
<b>MERCURY CONTAINING EQUIPMENT</b> 	Thermostats, barometers, thermometers, and mercury containing devices. <b>Label: "Waste Mercury Containing Equipment"</b>	1) Employees who handle universal waste must have documented training.  2) Waste must be in a closed, leak proof container.  3) Label the container with the date that the first item was placed inside.  4) Remove container from facility for recycling within one year of date on the label.
<b>BATTERIES</b> 	Lithium, silver oxide, mercury oxide, nickel-metal hydride, and sealed lead acid batteries. Separate by type, tape both ends, and place in nonmetal container. <b>Label: "Waste Batteries"</b>	
<b>LAMPS</b> 	Fluorescent, mercury vapor, metal halide, high pressure sodium vapor, UV, neon, blacklight, and LED lamps. Separate by type, secure, and place in nonmetal container. <b>Label: "Waste Lamps"</b>	
<b>USED OILS</b> 	Any used oil. Do not mix oil with any other chemicals as it becomes unrecyclable. If spill occurs, clean with absorbent material and store in separate container. <b>Label: "Used Oil" NOT "Waste Oil"</b>	
<b>PESTICIDES</b> 	Pesticides that are recalled, banned, unused, or leftover in spray tank. <b>Label: "Waste Pesticides" and include original product label!</b>	
<b>ANTIFREEZE</b> 	Do not mix antifreeze with any other chemical as it becomes unrecyclable. <b>Label: "Used Antifreeze"</b>	