

Hazardous Chemical Waste

To ensure proper management and disposal of hazardous chemical waste in compliance with federal and state regulations and statutes, College faculty and staff who generate hazardous waste must ensure proper management of that waste. These individuals are responsible for working with the Safety Officer, to ensure that hazardous waste collection, accumulation, storage, packaging, and disposal efforts are conducted in a safe manner and comply with college policy and procedures, as well as with federal and state regulations and statutes. A properly completed hazardous waste tag must accompany all waste.

Accumulation of more than 10 gallons of non-acute hazardous waste, or one quart of acutely toxic waste (e.g., potassium cyanide, toxaphene) is prohibited. Permission to accumulate more than 10 gallons but less than 55 gallons of non-acute hazardous waste may be granted by the Safety Officer, in the Office of Safety and Security, on a case-by-case basis. College faculty and staff who generate hazardous waste are encouraged to consult with the Safety Officer prior to starting activities or operations that generate hazardous waste.