

## Environmental Health & Safety

Fact Sheet

## Chemcycle

## UNO's Surplus Chemical Redistribution Program

CHEMCYCLE is an EHS program for making usable surplus chemicals available to UNO departments at no cost. Chemicals are collected by EHS from departments that no longer have a need for them, then delivered to requesting departments. This program (partially funded by the Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality) saves money by reducing disposal costs and eliminating associated purchasing costs, and helps protect the environment by reducing the disposal burden of unwanted chemicals.

A list of available chemicals is posted on the EHS Web Site (<a href="www.unomaha.edu/~wwwehs">www.unomaha.edu/~wwwehs</a>) under the links for Chemcycle and Recycling. The chemicals are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Surplus chemicals are typically only available to university departments for campus use. In the event chemicals are not utilized on campus, they may be made available to others. Contact EHS at 554-3921 for details.

To request Chemcycle chemicals, call EHS at 4-3921 or E-mail <u>patrickwheeler@mail.unomaha.edu</u> with specific requests. Within about a week of your request, EHS will deliver the chemical to your work area.

If you have chemicals to donate to the Chemcycle inventory, please indicate this on the Chemical Collection Tag for the chemical. In order to be placed in the Chemcycle program, chemicals must be pure in form and not expired.