

## Environmental Health & Safety

Fact Sheet

## **Items Prohibited from Trash Cans and Dumpsters**

The following items may not be placed in UNO trash cans or dumpsters for landfill disposal. If you find any of these items in the trash, please contact EHS at 4-3921. Chemical Collection Tags (CCT) are available for tagging items indicated below, by calling 4-2568. If you have questions regarding disposal of other items, please call EHS for assistance.

PROHIBITED FROM TRASH	WHERE IT SHOULD GO
Used and excess chemicals	Tag for EHS.
Oil	Tag for EHS.
Appliances	Contact Surplus Property at 4-2222.
Office furniture	Contact Surplus Property at 4-2222.
Batteries – Lead acid, Ni-cad, button	Tag for EHS.
Computer and electronic equipment	Contact Surplus Property at 4-2222.
Aerosol cans	Place in designated collection container.
Fluorescent, metal halide, mercury, HID lamps	Place in designated collection container.
PCB containing lighting ballasts and transformers	Tag for EHS.
Yard waste	Contact Landscape Services at 4-2500.
Mercury containing items (e.g., thermostats)	Tag for EHS.
Oil-based paint and undried Latex paints	Tag for EHS.
Non-infectious needles and sharps, unless containerized and sealed	Containerize and seal, then place in trash.
Biohazardous materials	Contact Facilities Service Desk (4-3600) and request a biohazard collection container.
Pesticides, fertilizers, and other ag chemicals	Tag for EHS.
Propane or butane cylinders	Tag for EHS.
Compressed gas cylinders	Tag for EHS.
Asbestos containing wastes, including transite and other white insulating materials that may contain asbestos	Contact Brenda Williams (4-2239) for assistance.

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