

Laboratory Hazardous Chemical Waste Guidelines

Follow the steps below to appropriately manage your hazardous chemical waste.

1. **Labels** must be completed upon the start of accumulation.
2. **Segregate** waste by hazard class to prevent incompatible mixtures. For information on chemical incompatibility, consult a safety data sheet (SDS).
3. **Keep lid closed** except when adding waste.



Use for Solids Only



Use for Solids or Liquids

4. **Store** in secondary container and inspect weekly for leaks.
5. **Dispose** within 6 months by submitting a [Chemical Waste Collection](#) or [Text a Pickup](#). Visit www.ehs.uci.edu.

Hazardous chemical waste training is available online at www.uclc.uci.edu.

Do not dispose of hazardous waste using sinks, drains, intentional evaporation, or as regular trash.

For more information on hazardous chemical waste management visit www.ehs.uci.edu.