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- Adhesives
- Aerosols
- Auto wastes  
(fuel additives, starter fluid, waxes, etc. but no motor oil)
- Household batteries
- Cleaning solvents
- Consumer electronics (computers, TVs, radios, VCRs, etc., limit five of the same type)
- Drain cleaners
- Driveway sealers
- Fire extinguishers
- Fluorescent and HID lamps (25 lamp limit)
- Fuels
- Mercury items
- Rechargeable appliances (cordless tools, weed whips, etc.)
- Paint
- Paint thinners and solvents
- Pesticides
- Photographic and hobby chemicals
- Vehicle lead-acid batteries
- Wood preservatives
- Pool chemicals

## Not accepted

- Major appliances  
(refrigerators, air conditioners, washers, dryers, etc.)
- Asbestos
- Compressed gas cylinders and tanks
- Empty paint cans
- Explosives
- Garbage (food waste, furniture, carpet, lumber, etc.)
- Medical or infectious wastes
- Motor oil, oil filters
- Tires
- Radioactive waste (e.g., smoke detectors)
- Recyclables (scrap metal, paper, cardboard, etc.)

## Instructions

- Make sure containers are not leaking
- Place wastes upright in a plastic-lined cardboard box
- Place incompatible wastes in different boxes
- Secure wastes so they do not spill
- Containers must be five gallons or smaller
- Do not tape lamps together
- Identify wastes that are not in the original container or if the label is gone

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