Household Hazardous Waste Guide

What is Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)? Many household products contain ingredients that are corrosive, toxic, flammable or reactive - these products become HHW when disposed of improperly...hazardous to your family's health and the environment.

Bring these products to the HHW Facility:

Around the House

Oven cleaner, drain cleaner, floor polish, metal polish, cleaning solvents, moth balls, septic tank degreasers, nail polish & remover, batteries (both alkaline & rechargeable), printer ink cartridges.

Electronics (E-Waste)

Unwanted or broken electric devices - anything with an electrical cord....

EXCEPT items containing Freon or other refrigerant.

Garage & Workshop

Motor oil, gasoline & other fuels, car wax, antifreeze, brake fluid, power steering fluid, paint thinner, turpentine, paint strippers, mineral spirits, paint brush cleaner with TSP, wood preservative & stains, oil-based paints.

Latex paint should be dried out & disposed of in the trash!

Lawn & Garden

Fungicide, herbicide, pesticide, fertilizer, rodent poison, pool chemicals.

Products containing Mercury (Hg)

Compact fluorescent lamps (CFL's), fluorescent bulbs, fever thermometers, thermostats, some electrical switches, elemental mercury ("quicksilver"), Mercury vapor security lights.

Medications

NEVER flush medications down the toilet or sink drain!

Now Open! A pharmaceutical drop box is located at Washington City Hall, 101 N.E. Third Street.

Washington Household Hazardous Waste Facility ~ 304 E. Oak St. ~ Washington IN 47501 ~ Phone: 812-254-2792 Hours: Wednesday and Thursday 7am - 3pm; Or call to schedule a drop-off time. Closed Sundays & Holidays