

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

## HAZARDOUS MATERIAL FACT SHEET Chemical Disposal

All used and unused chemicals must properly be disposed of by submitting a pick-up request to EHS (see section on Chemical Collection Tags below). Please contact EHS at 402-559-6356 or <a href="mailto:ehspickups@unmc.edu">ehspickups@unmc.edu</a> if you have any questions.

## **Basic Rules for Used Chemical Collection**

- Label containers "Chemical Waste" and list chemical contents.
- Use full chemical names (no abbreviations) and list all chemicals and their percentages in the container.
- Choose collection containers that are in good condition, clean and that are **compatible** with the contents you will be adding (e.g., no acids in metal containers).
- DO NOT place incompatible chemicals in the same container.
- Keep used chemical collection containers **closed**, except when adding chemical.
- Store used chemical collection containers in **secondary containment**.
- Separate incompatible chemicals in storage, and store all used chemicals that are flammable in a flammable liquid storage cabinet.



## **Chemical Collection Tags**

When you have chemicals to dispose or your chemical waste collection container is full (or you are no longer adding to it), please complete a Chemical Collection Tag. Complete the top half of the tag and secure the tag to the container. Complete and submit the Chemical Waste Pick-up form online at:

https://www.unmc.edu/ehs/pickups/cso-pickup-form.html

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Blue Tags = Nebraska Medicine

Green Tags = UNMC

Please allow up to 5 working days for waste to be picked up for proper disposal.

## SAMPLE OF ON-LINE CHEMICAL WASTE PICK-UP FORM

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