

QUICK REFERENCE



Do You Have Chemicals You No Longer Need?

The College of Southern Nevada must follow federal, state, and local hazardous waste regulations. This applies to all chemicals on campus, including everyday cleaning products, sanitizers, and maintenance supplies.



Contact CSN Environmental Health & Safety for assistance before disposing of any chemicals or waste.



Throw it away?

Most chemicals, including full or partial bottles of cleaning products and sanitizers, cannot go in regular trash or dumpsters.



Pour it down the drain?

Many chemicals are not drain-safe, even if they seem harmless. Contact EHS before disposing of any liquid chemical.



Move it to another campus?

Transporting chemical waste between campuses has specific requirements. Contact EHS before moving any chemicals.



Found an unlabeled container?

Do not move, open, or dispose of it. Leave it in place and contact EHS. We will assist with identification and next steps. Refer to [Hazardous Waste Management Procedure](#) and [Unknown Chemical Wastes EHS Fact Sheet](#) for additional information.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- ✗ Do not submit chemicals to the surplus system to be sold.
- ✗ Do not leave chemical containers behind when a space is vacated or reorganized. You are responsible for the chemicals in your area.
- ✗ Do not dispose of bulk quantities of any chemical product, including cleaners and sanitizers, in any trashcan or dumpster.
- ✗ Wipers, rags, and absorbents saturated with hazardous substances must be treated as hazardous waste. Refer to [Wipers, Rags, and Absorbents EHS Fact Sheet](#) for additional details.

When in doubt, contact CSN Environmental Health & Safety.

EHS is here to assist with chemical and chemical waste management on campus.

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