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Waste Acceptance Policy for Non-Hazardous Waste Pharmaceutical Program

This policy defines acceptable and unacceptable waste for Stericycle's non-hazardous waste pharmaceutical services. This policy is not intended to summarize or capture all federal, state or local requirements that may apply to a particular facility's pharmaceutical waste, and reliance on this policy is not a substitute for seeking legal advice. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to appropriately characterize and manage the waste it generates, and to comply with this policy. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to remove or obscure any protected health information or other personally identifiable information prior to providing waste to Stericycle. If you have questions regarding this policy, please contact your Stericycle representative.

ACCEPTED / CONFORMING PHARMACEUTICAL WASTE

Stericycle accepts non-hazardous waste pharmaceuticals generated at healthcare facilities that have been characterized pursuant to the applicable service agreement.

NON-CONFORMING WASTE

Stericycle does not accept the following as part of the non-hazardous waste pharmaceutical services:

- Any waste that is classified as hazardous by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency or equivalent state agency
- Controlled substances which are regulated by the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration or equivalent state agency
- Chemical waste (such as lab reagents, solvents, chemical preservatives, cleaning products, amalgam, and/or chemicals used in compounding pharmaceuticals)
- Universal wastes (such as batteries, fluorescent lamps, or mercury-contaminated equipment)
- Regulated medical waste, biohazardous waste other potentially infectious materials
- Radioactive waste
- Any non-hazardous waste pharmaceutical services container that is damaged, breached, leaking or improperly packaged
- Any waste that is not non-hazardous pharmaceutical waste

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