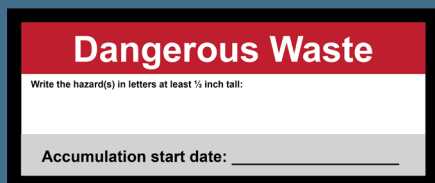


# WHAT ARE THE LABELING REQUIREMENTS?

## BASIC LABELING REQUIREMENTS

- ◇ The words “dangerous waste” or “hazardous waste”
- ◇ Showing all hazards and their nature
- ◇ Accumulation start dates (except for satellite area containers)

## TEXT-ONLY LABEL REQUIREMENTS



- ◇ You may label entirely with text-only labels. If you do, the lettering may have a size or visibility requirement depending on the container size.

## PICTOGRAM LABEL REQUIREMENTS

- ◇ Hazard labels can also be pictograms (pictures) that may or may not include text. If you choose to display a hazard label that uses a pictogram, make sure the label is clearly recognizable.



# CONTACT US



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## ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

### HAZARDOUS WASTE HANDLING:

Department of Ecology  
(509) 329-3400  
[www.ecy.wa.gov](http://www.ecy.wa.gov)

Spokane Regional Health District  
(509) 324-1560 ext. 3  
[www.srhd.org](http://www.srhd.org)

For hazardous spills or any other  
emergencies call 911

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# LABELING DANGEROUS WASTE

## Hazardous Waste

FEDERAL LAW PROHIBITS IMPROPER DISPOSAL

If found, contact the nearest police or public safety authority, and the  
Washington State Department of Ecology or the Environmental Protection Agency

Accumulation Start Date:	Generator Name:
Reportable Quantities (RQ): <small>40 CFR Subchapter J, Part 302, Table 302.4</small>	Address:
Manifest Document #:	City:
Emergency Response Guide #:	State:
EPA Waste Code(s) and/or Characteristic(s)	Zip:
	EPA ID #:

EPA/DOT Shipping Name:

Hazard Class:

UN/NA #:

Packing Group (PG):

In the event of a spill or release of this hazardous waste, contact the US Coast Guard  
National Response Center at 1-800-424-8802 for information and assistance.

## COMMERCIAL WASTEWATER

## BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (BMPs)

## LARGE CONTAINERS

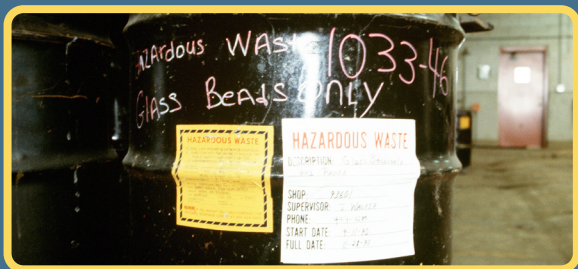
(Greater than 1 gal or 4 L)

- ◇ "Hazardous waste" or "Dangerous waste" legible from 25 feet or lettering at least 0.5 inches high
- ◇ Hazard labels (with pictograms) recognizable from 25 feet, or (text-only) legible from 25 feet or lettering at least 0.5 inches high
- ◇ The accumulation date has no size requirement

## SMALL CONTAINERS

(Less than or equal to 1 gal or 4 L)

- ◇ "Hazardous waste" or "Dangerous waste" legible from 25 feet
- ◇ Hazard labels (with pictograms) or (text-only) sized appropriately for the container
- ◇ The accumulation date has no size requirement



## TANKS

(Labels by category)

### MEDIUM QUANTITY GENERATORS

- ◇ "Hazardous waste" or "Dangerous waste" legible from 25 feet
- ◇ Hazard labels (with pictograms) recognizable from 25 feet, or (text only) legible from 25 feet
- ◇ Accumulation start date has no size requirement



### LARGE QUANTITY GENERATORS

- ◇ "Hazardous waste" or "Dangerous waste" legible from 50 feet
- ◇ Hazard labels (with pictograms) recognizable from 50 feet or (text only) legible from 50 feet
- ◇ Accumulation start date has no size requirement



## PICTOGRAMS FOR COMMON HAZARDS



### Health Hazard

- ◇ Carcinogen
- ◇ Respiratory Sensitizer
- ◇ Reproductive Toxicity
- ◇ Target Organ Toxicity
- ◇ Mutagenicity
- ◇ Aspiration Toxicity



### Exclamation Point

- ◇ Irritant
- ◇ Dermal Sensitizer
- ◇ Acute Toxicity
- ◇ Narcotic Effects
- ◇ Respiratory Tract Irritation



### Flame

- ◇ Flammables
- ◇ Self Reactives
- ◇ Pyrophonics
- ◇ Self-Heating
- ◇ Emits Flammable Gas
- ◇ Organic Peroxides



### Exploding Bomb

- ◇ Explosives
- ◇ Self Reactives
- ◇ Organic Peroxides



### Flame Over Circle

- ◇ Oxidizers



### Corrosion



### Gas Cylinder



### Environmental Hazard

- ◇ Aquatic Toxicity



### Skull & Crossbones

- ◇ Acute Toxicity