

HAZARDOUS WASTE CONTAINER MANAGEMENT



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TYPES OF HAZARDOUS WASTE CONTAINERS

- **Satellite Accumulation Containers**
(also referred to as satellite containers)
 - Day accumulation containers – a special type of container that requires written approval from KDHE
- **Storage Containers** (also referred to as accumulation containers)

ALL HAZARDOUS WASTE CONTAINERS

- Must be labeled with the words “Hazardous Waste”
- Must be kept closed except when adding or removing hazardous waste.
- Must be in good condition (no rust, dents, leaks, etc.)
- Must be compatible with the contents of the container (no liquids in cardboard, etc.)

GOOD EXAMPLE



OPEN AND NOT PROPERLY LABELED



OPEN CONTAINER



POOR CONDITION AND OPEN



SATELLITE CONTAINERS

Hazardous waste may be accumulated in satellite containers without being subject to accumulation time limits provided each satellite container is managed as follows:

- No more than one container of each type of hazardous waste (55 gallons or less of non-acutely hazardous waste or one quart or less of acutely hazardous waste listed in 40 CFR 261.33(e)).
- The container is located at or near any point of generation where the waste initially accumulates.
- Each container is under the control of the operator of the process generating the waste.

SATELLITE CONTAINERS

- Mark with the accumulation start date when the container is full, when a second container of the same waste stream is started, or when **55 GALLONS** (not pounds) is exceeded.
- Move to the storage area within 3 days of becoming full (or no longer meeting the definition of satellite).
 - Alternatively, the container can be left in the satellite area and managed as a storage container.

STORAGE CONTAINERS

- Mark with the accumulation start date (the date storage began).
- Inspect weekly or monthly (depending on generator status) for condition, labeling, compatibility, etc.
 - Inspections must be documented and kept for 3 years.

Pre-Transport Requirements (When ready to ship)

- Applies to all generators except CESQGs who accumulate less than 25 kg (55 pounds) of hazardous waste on-site or CESQGs or KSQGs transporting less than 55 pounds of their own waste to a reclamation facility or household hazardous waste (HHW) facility.
 - Have placards available for transporters
 - Prior to shipping:
 - Package waste in proper DOT containers
 - Label each container per DOT regulations
 - Mark each container per DOT regulations

QUESTIONS???