HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION DAY

DOS AND DON'TS

DO...

- Label containers.
- Make sure all lids, caps and covers are tight.
- Transport containers in a sturdy cardboard box.
- Pack containers so they don’t tip into each other.
- Store products away from the passenger compartment of your vehicle.
- Separate products from other items in the vehicle.
- Transport fluorescent light bulbs in box or case.
- **STAY INSIDE YOUR VEHICLE.**

DON'T...

- Get out of your vehicle.
- Mix products/chemicals together.
- Smoke at the collection site.
- Tape together fluorescent light bulbs.

Town of Burlington Board of Health
Contact Information

61 Center Street
Burlington, MA 01803

TEL: 781-270-1955
Email: boh@burlington.org
www.burlington.org

OFFICE HOURS:
Mon, Tues, Thurs - 8:30AM to 4:30PM
Wednesday - 8:30AM to 7:00PM
Friday - 8:30AM to 1:00PM

This service is offered on behalf of The Burlington Board of Health to Burlington residents to dispose safely of household products that are considered hazardous. You must be a resident of Burlington in order to use this service.

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Saturday, April 18
8:30AM - 12:00PM

Francis Wyman Elementary School
41 Terrace Hall Avenue
ITEMS TO BRING

- **Full Aerosol Cans**: Empty cans can be placed in curbside recycling bin.
- **Automotive Products**: Oil, brake fluid, car wax, gasoline, antifreeze, engine degreaser, tire cleaners.
- **Batteries**: Lead acid, button cell, nickel-cadmium and lithium.
- **Fluorescent Light Bulbs**: Tubes and energy saving compacts.
- **Glues and Adhesives**
- **Hobby Chemicals**: Rubber cement, airplane glue.
- **Mercury and Mercury Containing Products**: Switches, thermostats and thermometers.
- **Oil Based Paint**
- **Lawn and Garden Materials**: Including herbicides, insecticides, fungicides, fertilizer with pesticides, snail/slug/rat poison and pool chemicals.
- **Kitchen Materials**: Drain cleaners, lighter fluids and oven cleaners.
- **Propane Tanks**
- **Thinners and Solvents**: Turpentine, paint stripper, paint thinner and degreaser.

HOW TO DISPOSE OF ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED AT THE COLLECTION

- **Medical Sharps**: Dispose using kiosk in the lobby of the Main Fire Department, 21 Center Street and/or the Police Department, 45 Center Street. Call the Board of Health for free sharps containers.
- **Expired/Unwanted Prescription and OTC Medications**: Dispose using kiosk in the Burlington Police Department, 45 Center Street, Main Lobby.
- **Appliances, TVs or Computer Equipment**: Republic Services at: 800-442-9006
- **Alkaline Batteries**: Household type (AA, AAA, C, D, etc.) can be thrown in household trash.
- **Construction Materials**: Asbestos materials, siding, shingles, floor tiles, etc. Contact construction & demolition disposal company.
- **Latex Paint**: Dry out or mix with kitty litter to promote hardening. Once dry, place in regular trash.
- **Tires**: Republic Services at: 800-442-9006.
- **Thermostats, Thermometers and Batteries**: Bring small non-alkaline batteries to the Board of Health office, 61 Center Street, Burlington MA during regular office hours.