

2018 Bucks County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Events

Why bring your household hazardous wastes to a scheduled event?

Household products containing toxic chemicals, like pesticides, oil-based paints, solvents, cleaning products, weed killers and automotive batteries can be a threat to people and the environment if improperly discarded. Never throw these materials into the trash, as the toxic chemicals may harm sanitation workers, or result in fires in collection vehicles. It is also not safe to pour them into a sink or storm drain as they can end up in the environment polluting the air, water, or soil.

2018 Schedule

Each Event will take place rain or shine from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Saturday, April 14, 2018	Lower Bucks	Harry S. Truman High School 3001 Green Lane, Levittown—Bristol Township
Saturday, June 2, 2018	Upper Bucks	Upper Bucks Area Vocational Technical School 3115 Ridge Road, Perkasié—Bedminster Township
Saturday, June 23, 2018	Central Bucks	Central Bucks South High School 1100 Folly Road, Warrington—Warrington Township
Saturday, July 7, 2018	Upper Bucks	Strayer Middle School 1200 Ronald Reagan Drive, Quakertown—Richland Township
Saturday, August 25, 2018	Lower Bucks	Bucks County Technical High School 610 Wistar Road, Fairless Hills—Bristol Township

Electronics are **NOT** accepted at these events.

This includes TVs, computers, cell phones and other corded devices.

For more information visit the Bucks County website at: www.buckscounty.org/recycling

What can you bring?

Up to 25 gallons or 220 pounds of hazardous products. Keep in mind hazardous products will have cautionary words on the label, for example: *Danger, Warning, or Caution*. Other words or phrases that can signal hazardous products include: *poisonous, hazardous, combustible, flammable, corrosive, volatile, caustic, irritant, explosive, toxic, use with adequate ventilation, or avoid inhaling*.

✔ Bring

Pesticides

- Chordane
- DDT
- Malathion
- Sevin
- Rodent Poison

Flammables

- Aerosols
- Gas/Oil Mixture
- Gasoline
- Heating Oil
- Kerosene
- Oil-based Paint
- Paint Thinner
- Spot Remover

Caustics

- Ammonia-based Cleaners
- Degreasers
- Drain Cleaner
- Household Lye
- Metal Cleaner
- Oven Cleaner

Fire Extinguishers

Toxics

- Antifreeze
- CFLs (fluorescent bulbs)
- Mercury
- Photographic Chemicals
- Pool Chemicals
- Rust/Paint Remover
- Weed Killer

Batteries

- Button Batteries
- Lithium Batteries
- Re-Chargeable Batteries

Lead-Acid Batteries

- Car
- Marine
- Motorcycle
- Truck

Propane Tanks

- 20 lbs. or Less Only

✘ Do Not Bring

- **LATEX PAINT** (Non-Hazardous Waste/Water-based)*
- Appliances (with or without Freon)
- Asbestos
- Explosives and Ammunition
- Gas Cylinders (Greater than 20 lbs.)
- Household Batteries (Regular Alkaline/)
- Medical Waste/Prescription Drugs
- Non-Hazardous Waste
- PCBs
- Pressurized CFCs / Freon
- Smoke Detectors
- Radioactive Waste
- Tires
- Unidentified Waste

*Remove lid to allow to air dry or mix with absorbent (e.g., kitty litter) until no longer a liquid and discard in plastic trash bag.

For additional information on disposal options, contact:

The PADEP Recycling Hotline at
1-800-346-4242
Bucks County Planning Commission
215-345-3400
www.buckscounty.org/recycling

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