

ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

Home Materials

Kitchen

- Drain cleaners
- Oven cleaners
- Floor cleaners
- Waxes, polishes, and cleaners

Bathroom

- Toilet bowl cleaners
- Fingernail polish removers
- Disinfectants
- Hair color
- Aerosol deodorant

Laundry

- Spot removers
- Spray starch
- Chlorine bleach

Home Improvement

- Asphalt
- Roofing cement

General Household

- Lead-based paint
- Lighter fluid
- Rug & upholstery cleaners
- Adhesives
- Carbon tetrachloride
- Chlordane
- Acids and bases
- Oxidizers

- Chemicals (incl. photo chemicals)
- Chemistry sets
- Fire extinguishers
- Mothballs
- Septic tank degreasers
- Wood & metal cleaners
- Fluorescent light bulbs
- Alkaline batteries
- Mercury thermometers
- Full or partially full aerosol containers that contain a non-paint chemical

Automotive Materials

- Motor oil
- Gasoline and diesel fuel
- Transmission fluid, fuel, and oil additives
- Grease and rust solvents
- Carburetor and fuel injection cleaners
- Brake fluid
- Starter, lubricating, and radiator fluids
- Antifreeze

Yard and Garden Materials

- Fertilizers
- Pool chemicals
- Sevin

- Herbicides, insecticides, and pesticides
- Poisons
- Fungicides/wood treating chemicals
- Flea/tick powder or spray
- 1-pound gas cylinders

PaintCare Items

Interior and Exterior Paints

- Latex
- Acrylic
- Water-based
- Alkyd
- Oil-based
- Enamel

Other Paint Products

- Primers, sealers, and undercoaters
- Stains
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, and urethanes (single component)
- Waterproofing concrete, masonry, wood sealers and repellents (no tar or bitumen based)
- Metal coatings
- Rust preservatives
- Field and lawn paints



UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- Full or partially full spray paint
- Car and lead acid batteries
- Tires
- Empty aerosols or other empty containers of any kind
- Smoke detectors
- Shock sensitive materials
- Radioactive materials
- Compressed gas cylinders
- Asbestos
- Lead dust
- Joint compound
- Sand blasting grit
- Explosives (ammunition, fireworks, explosives flares, picric acid, etc.
- PCBs, DDT
- Dioxin/dioxin forming materials (pentachlorophenol), pesticides containing 245 T, Silvex
- Infectious or biological wastes (as defined by the CT State Department of Health)
- Medicines/syringes
- Commercial or industrial waste
- Gas cylinders larger than 1 pound
- E-cigs/Vapes

Please note: For safety reasons, containers used to hold hazardous materials cannot be returned. Please use containers you do not need back and make sure they are sealed properly.

