

Hazardous Waste Satellite Accumulation Area (SAA)

Do you know your responsibilities for proper handling of hazardous waste? Please review the following requirements to ensure compliance with environmental regulations and safe handling procedures. Please post this in close proximity to your SAA within the lab.

Hazardous Waste Pick Ups

Pickups of hazardous waste from labs are scheduled weekly for main campus and satellite campuses. The technician will check each SAA in your lab and remove containers that are compliant and ready for pickup.

Labeling Hazardous Waste Containers

Containers must be labeled with UMass Dartmouth hazardous waste labels (see Figure 1.). Unlabeled or incomplete labels on containers are NOT acceptable. The technician will provide you with additional labels as necessary.

Container Closure

Hazardous waste containers must be closed at all times during storage, except when waste is actively being added or removed. Keep containers closed. Regulations do not permit open funnels in waste containers.

Storage

All hazardous waste containers must be stored within a designated secondary containment tray. Hazardous waste containers must be at or near the point of generation. All waste must be removed from the SAA within three working days after the waste container becomes full OR when it reaches its end of use date.

Emergency Spill Response

Call UMass Dartmouth Campus Police at: 508-999-9191 or x9191.

The diagram shows a hazardous waste label form with several callout boxes:

- Top Left:** "Date the container becomes full OR end of use date." points to the "Full Date" field.
- Middle Left:** "Associated hazards of the waste (I.E. Flammable, Corrosive, Reactive or Toxic)." points to the hazard checkboxes.
- Top Right:** "Responsible Person, Department, Building, Room & Phone #." points to the "Responsible person", "Dept", "Bldg. & Room no.", and "Phone" fields.
- Bottom Right:** "All hazardous constituents' chemical names. Formulas or abbreviations are not permitted." points to the "Waste Description" field.

Hazardous Waste Label Form:

Hazardous Waste

Full Date 7/29/2021

Check all relevant hazards

Flammable Corrosive
 Reactive Toxic

Responsible person Jerry Smith

Dept Chemistry Bldg. & Room no. VRAD 245

Phone 508-999-8811

Waste Description

Common name, concentration & percentage

99% Acetone

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 Call 508-999-8877 for removal
 508-999-9191 for emergencies

Figure 1. UMass Dartmouth Hazardous Waste Label

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