



Campus Hazardous Waste Program Fact Sheet

Functional Role

The Hazardous Waste Program is responsible for providing cost-effective hazardous waste management in compliance with federal, state, and local regulations. Customer service is provided for chemical pickups, emergency spill response, and assistance on shipping hazardous materials. The Program is also responsible for pollution prevention, regulatory reporting, and maintaining campus emergency response capabilities. Staff provides researchers, staff and students with consultation and support regarding handling, storage and disposal of hazardous materials.

Performance Objectives

- Ensure compliance with the university hazardous waste regulatory obligations
- Manage the campus hazardous waste disposal operations (cradle to grave)
- Provide training in proper hazardous waste management practices
- Train and assist the campus community with regard to hazardous materials shipping
- Assist in hazardous materials emergency response activities
- Manage the campus Hazardous Waste Facility
- Provide 24/7 customer service and support regarding hazardous waste management

Program Elements

- Hazardous waste management
- Universal waste management and recycling
- Sustainability and Pollution Prevention (ex. mercury thermometer exchange)
- Hazardous waste awareness and training
- Emergency response and spill management
- Project management, system design and plan review

Regulatory Compliance

Federal:

- Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) 40 CFR 260-299 (see also 42 USC 6901 et seq.).
- Comprehensive Environmental Recovery, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) 40 CFR 300-311; 42 USC 9601 et seq. (includes 1986 Amendments).
- Department of Transportation – Hazardous Materials 49 CFR 100-185
- Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response 29 CFR 1910.120

State:

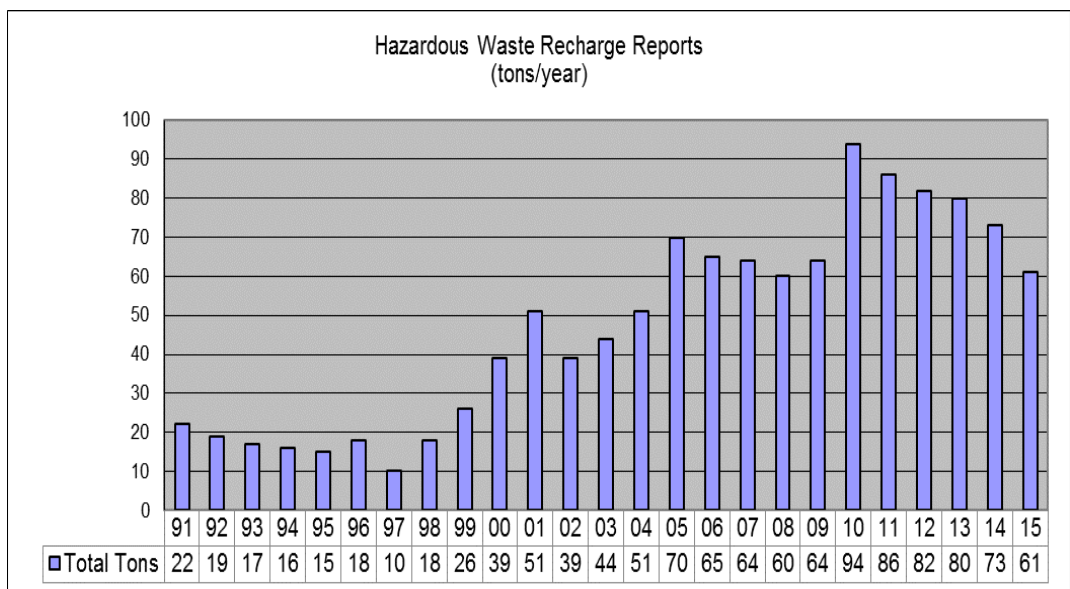
- California Hazardous Waste Regulations Title 22 CCR: Social Security Section 66261 et seq.
- Hazardous Waste Control Law H&SC 25100-25249
- Title 26 CCR: Toxics. Compilation of all other law related to hazardous materials and waste

Program Performance Management Statistics

Total Number of Hazardous Waste Recharge Reports submitted by Year (1991-2015)

Measures the amount of hazardous waste processed (in tons) submitted by year. Illustrates the amount of waste processed/disposed of by year.

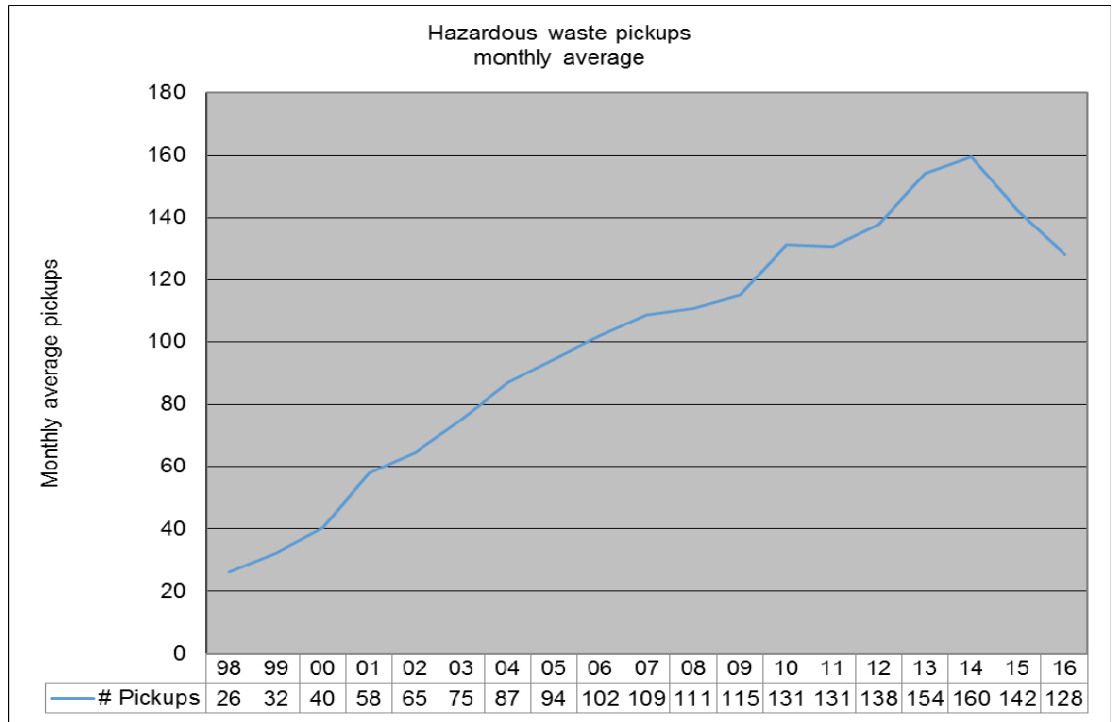
The chart represents a **177% increase** in the amount of waste processed/disposed of per year.



Total Number Hazardous Waste Monthly Pickups by Year (1998-2015)

Measures the average number of monthly hazardous waste pickups by year.

The chart represents a **392% increase** in the monthly average of hazardous waste pickups.



Contact the EH&S, Risk and Emergency Services at (805) 893-7534 if you have any questions.