



# 2013 Montgomery County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Program

All events take place 9AM - 3PM

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL MONTGOMERY COUNTY RECYCLING  
HOTLINE 610.278.3618 OR VISIT ([www.montgomerycountyclec.org](http://www.montgomerycountyclec.org))

## Perkiomen Valley High School

**Saturday, April 27, 2013**

509 Gravel Pike  
Collegeville, PA 19426

## Pottsgrove Senior High School

**Saturday, September 7, 2013**

1345 Kauffman Rd,  
Pottstown, PA 19464

## Temple-Ambler Campus

**Saturday, June 22, 2013**

Enter near 1431 E. Butler Ave.  
Ambler, PA 19002

## Lower Merion Transfer Station

**Sunday, October 20, 2013**

1300 N. Woodbine Ave.  
Penn Valley, PA 19072

## Upper Perkiomen High School

**Saturday, July 13, 2013**

2 Walt Road  
Pennsburg, PA 18073

## Abington Junior High School

**Sunday, August 11, 2013**

Enter via Tyler Rd.  
970 Highland Ave.  
Abington, PA 19001



- This program is a community service to the residents of Montgomery County and the 4 Southeastern Pennsylvania County Regions (Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Philadelphia) ONLY and is NOT open to businesses, institutions and industry.
- All collection events will accept HHW (Household Hazardous Waste) ONLY.



# ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

## PAINT PRODUCTS

Oil-based Paint  
Paint Thinner  
Turpentine  
Shellac  
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Stains & Varnish  
Furniture Stripper & Finisher  
Wallpaper Cement

## OUTDOOR PRODUCTS

Swimming Pool Chemicals  
Weed Killers  
Septic Tank Degreasers  
Caulking Compounds  
Rodent Poison

## AUTOMOTIVE PRODUCTS

Grease & Rust Solvents  
Fuel Additives  
Motor Oil  
Antifreeze  
Gasoline  
Carburetor Cleaners  
Transmission/Brake Fluid  
Lead Acid Batteries

## HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS

Drain/Oven Cleaners  
Rug Cleaners  
Kerosene  
Toilet Bowl Cleaners  
Adhesives/Solvents  
Mothballs/Flakes  
Spot Removers  
Dry Cleaning Fluid  
Wood & Metal Cleaners  
Fire Extinguishers

## MISCELLANEOUS

Acids, Caustics, Solvents  
Flammables  
Oxidizers  
Organic Peroxide  
Reactives  
Lead  
Pesticides  
Rechargeable Batteries  
Mercury Bearing Items  
*(Lamps, Bulbs, Switches, Thermometers,  
Thermostats, etc.)*  
Propane Cylinders  
*(20 lbs. or less)*

## HOW TO PACKAGE HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE FOR TRANSPORTATION

*The guidelines for safely transporting Household Hazardous Waste to collection sites are as follows:*

1. Keep all products in original containers with labels intact if possible.
2. Wrap leaking containers in newspaper and place in a plastic bag or garbage container.
3. Make sure all lids and caps are tight.
4. Place items securely in a box for transport. Use newspaper or cardboard as filler.
5. Place chemicals, which will react with one another, in separate parts of the vehicle.
6. DO NOT leave materials in hot, unventilated area for long periods of time.
7. DO NOT SMOKE NEAR CHEMICALS!

## NOT Acceptable

- ⊗ **Electronics** – Bring to a County sponsored Electronics Collection Event.
- ⊗ **Latex Paint** – NOT Hazardous (Throw in trash after it is dried out completely.)
- ⊗ **Alkaline Batteries** – NOT Hazardous *(Throw in trash if made after 1996.)*
- ⊗ **Large Appliances/White Goods** – Contact your township or trash/recycling hauler to schedule a pick up or call Montgomery County Recycling Hotline – 610.278.3618
- ⊗ **Explosives & Ammunition** – Contact your local police department or the Montgomery County Bomb Squad at 610.278.3331.

- ⊗ **Infectious or Medical Waste**
- ⊗ **Radioactive Waste**
- ⊗ **Asbestos**
- ⊗ **Air Conditioners, De/Humidifiers, Refrigerators** – Contact your township or trash/recycling hauler to schedule a pick up or call 610-278-3618 for more information. For working refrigerators contact PECO at 1-888-5-PECO-SAVE.
- ⊗ **Smoke Detectors** – Send back to the manufacturer. Check the back of the item for more information OR throw in trash.

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