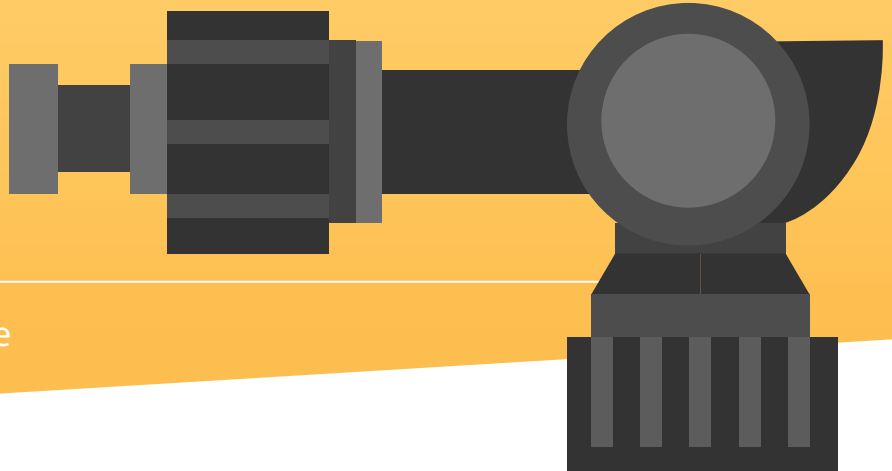


HOUSEHOLD PESTICIDES DISPOSAL



The following is general guidance

What are Waste Pesticides?

- Expired products.
- Partially used products.
- Potential risk to persons and the environment.

What should I do with my pesticides?

- Off-post: follow local (state and county) requirements.
- On-post: contact your environmental office.
- Follow the label instructions for disposal.
- Turn them in to the local household hazardous waste center.
- Don't hoard. Only buy what you need to avoid product expiration.
- Only mix what you need.
- Try to use up all the product.
- Follow label instructions for rinsing empty containers.
- Clean up spills immediately.
- Contact the local household hazardous waste center for disposal of spill material.

What should I NOT do?

- **NEVER** flush or pour pesticides down the toilet or drain.
- **NEVER** reuse empty pesticide containers for storing other products.
- **NEVER** use pesticides for purposes not listed on the label.



ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

National Pesticide Information Center

Phone: 1-800-858-7378

<http://npic.orst.edu/health/disposal.html>

— Information on safe disposal of pesticides.

U.S. EPA Household Hazardous Waste

<https://www.epa.gov/hw/household-hazardous-waste-hhw>

— Information on managing household hazardous waste.

U.S. EPA Pest Control and Pesticide Safety for Consumers

<https://www.epa.gov/safepestcontrol>

— Provides important consumer safety information.



For more information, contact your installation's Environmental Office.

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