

Hazardous Waste Management

Tripura University, like other entities that generate and manage hazardous wastes, is faced with a range of problems. Most of the departments do not generate hazardous waste and can be classified as conditionally exempt small quantity generators (generators of less than 100 grams of hazardous waste per month). Hazardous chemical or biochemical including contagious disease pathogen, patient blood, and radioactive substances are not used in the university campus yet. Ideally, handling, collection, and transportation and proper handling of chemicals begin with understanding the potential hazards related to their use. All stakeholders, especially from Academic Departments and laboratories are responsible for disseminating information on hazardous materials being used in the facility. As the amount of hazardous waste is nil or very negligible amount, there is not facility developed to transport and manage it in proper place.