

# Specialty medical devices and diagnostic equipment recycling



## **Background**

With advancements in technology, owners of specialty medical devices and diagnostic equipment need to think twice about what happens to this equipment when it's replaced.

## **Why recycle**

Outdated medical devices and diagnostic equipment may contain hazardous materials that need to be managed properly at end-of-life.

Under Subtitle C of the Federal Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, hazardous waste must be properly identified, stored, transported, treated and disposed of. Failure to comply puts the generator at risk for non-compliance and environmental liability.

Recycling this equipment minimizes risk for the generator.

Since certain medical devices and diagnostic equipment may contain valuable metals such as platinum, silver, gold and other precious metals, Veolia will customize a recycling solution that maximizes return on asset values.

## **The Veolia solution**

Veolia provides a simplified solution to responsibly manage used medical devices and diagnostic equipment.

Our trained technicians adhere to the latest regulations and practices to ensure strict measures of compliance are followed.

## **Customized service**

We offer flexible service options that can be adapted to meet your individual requirements. We will work with you to evaluate each project and/or inventory to determine the most cost-effective, turn-key environmentally compliant option.

Veolia accepts specialty medical devices and diagnostic equipment from a variety of sources, including:

- Laboratory equipment
- Diagnostic equipment
- Patient monitors
- Patient care equipment



**Logistics**

Whether you need a pickup at one or multiple facilities across North America, Veolia can arrange national transportation or develop unique mail-back programs for smaller quantities of used equipment.

**Tracking**

Veolia maintains detailed tracking data on each pickup including BOL numbers, tracking numbers, equipment serial numbers, quantities and weights received of each item recycled.

**Data Security**

Veolia has the capability to provide eradication and shredding of medical records, and provide witnessed destruction to ensure data privacy.

**Piece of Mind**

Rest assured your waste will be recycled and documented in strict compliance with regulations. Throughout the entire process you can be confident that Veolia's chain of custody will protect you from future liability.

**Single Point of Contact**

Veolia will assign you a single point of contact ready to assist you with tracking, account updates and timely regulatory reporting.

**Asset Recovery**

Used laboratory and medical equipment may contain valuable ferrous and non-ferrous metals. Any value of materials received can be quickly applied to off-set labor, transportation and processing thus providing a solution that can save you money.

**Partial list of acceptable medical devices and diagnostic equipment for recycling**

- Anesthesia Units
- Autoclave
- Blood Analyzer
- Cast System
- Centrifuge
- Concentrator
- Defibrillator
- Dialysis Unit
- Drying Oven
- Electrocardiograph
- Endoscope
- Freeze Dryer
- Gas Chromatograph
- Goinometer
- Glucose Meter
- Incubator
- IV Pump
- Microcontroller
- Microscope
- Na+/K+analyzer
- Ophthalmoscope
- Otoscope
- Oxygen Monitor
- PH Meter
- Pulse Oximeter
- Sample Oxidizer
- Shaker
- Spectrometer
- Ultrasonic Cleaner
- Ultrasound Equipment
- UV Transilluminator
- UV Disinfection System
- UV Meter
- UV Spectrophotometer
- Water Test Kit
- Vitals Monitor



**About us**

From onsite pick-up to final treatment or disposal, Veolia North America's Environmental Solutions and Services group assures safety, environmental responsibility and regulatory compliance by channeling hazardous waste through our network of over 400 company-owned or certified service centers nationwide. These service centers include treatment, recovery and disposal facilities, sales offices and transportation locations.

**Key facts**

- 2,500 employees
- 400+ company owned or certified service centers
- 39 10-day in-transit facilities
- 14 permitted TSDFs
- 13 OSHA VPP and/or ISO certified facilities

**Waste managed**

- Lamps and ballast
- Batteries
- E-waste
- Mercury waste
- PCB & non-PCB electrical equipment
- Specialty medical devices and diagnostic equipment
- Medical waste sharps
- Tritium exit signs
- Aerosol cans
- Smoke detectors
- Pharmaceutical waste
- Damaged, defective or recalled lithium batteries
- Pharmaceutical waste



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