

Dispose of household chemical products the responsible way

# Dallas County Home Chemical Collection Center

A free service for residents of the following cities  
(Photo ID and utility bill required for entry)

Addison  
Carrollton  
Dallas  
De Soto  
Duncanville

Farmers Branch  
Garland  
Highland Park  
Hutchins  
Irving

Mesquite  
Richardson  
Rowlett  
Sachse

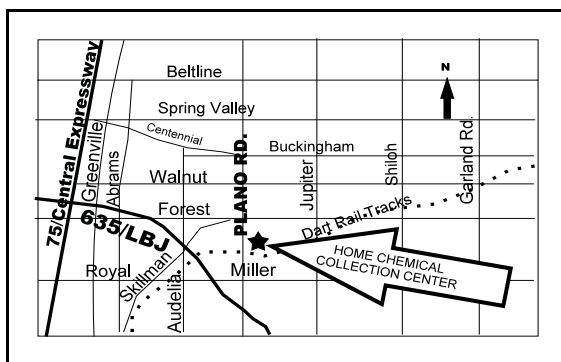
Seagoville  
Sunnyvale  
University Park  
Unincorporated  
Dallas County

## Location:

11234 Plano Road  
Dallas, Texas 75243  
(between Miller Rd. and Forest Ln.  
see MAPSCO 28-A)

## Hours of Operation:

Closed on Mondays, Fridays, and Sundays  
Tuesdays 9:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesdays 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Thursdays 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
2nd and 4th Saturdays of each month:  
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.



The Home Chemical Collection Center is located at 11234 Plano Rd., one mile north of 635, between Miller Rd. and Forest Ln. The building is easily identified by its white color and bright turquoise trim. The entrance to the collection area is the first driveway north of the railroad tracks on the east side of the street. (Do not turn into the driveway closest to the building; it is the exit gate.)

## You can bring:

Chemical products for home use  
Paint and home repair products  
Lawn & garden chemicals  
Aerosol sprays  
Pool chemicals  
Craft & hobby supplies  
Cleaners & polishes  
Batteries of all kinds  
Automotive fluids, gas, & oil filters  
Fluorescent light tubes  
Computers and cellular phones



## Don't Bring:

Business or commercial waste  
Containers larger than 5 gallons  
Explosives or ammunition  
Shock sensitive materials  
Smoke detectors  
Radioactive materials  
Medical waste  
Common trash or recyclables  
Electronics other than computers and cell phones

For more information on household hazardous waste, call  
(214) 553-1765

# HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE HOME CHECK LIST

**How many hazardous chemicals do you have in your home? Use this checklist to find out. See how many chemical products you can find that are not on the list.**

**CAUTION: Children SHOULD NOT touch chemicals nor complete this checklist without adult supervision.**

## CHECK ANY OF THE FOLLOWING THAT YOU HAVE IN YOUR HOME:

- ammonia \_\_\_\_\_
- detergents \_\_\_\_\_
- drain cleaners \_\_\_\_\_
- floor wax \_\_\_\_\_
- furniture polish \_\_\_\_\_
- metal polish \_\_\_\_\_
- mothballs \_\_\_\_\_
- oven cleaners \_\_\_\_\_
- toilet bowl cleaners \_\_\_\_\_
- tub & tile cleaners \_\_\_\_\_
- window cleaners \_\_\_\_\_
- aerosol sprays \_\_\_\_\_
- nail polish remover \_\_\_\_\_
- spot removers \_\_\_\_\_
- photo chemicals \_\_\_\_\_
- hobby paints & glazes \_\_\_\_\_
- glues & cements \_\_\_\_\_
- rechargeable batteries \_\_\_\_\_
- paints & stains \_\_\_\_\_
- stain & varnish removers \_\_\_\_\_
- pool chemicals \_\_\_\_\_
- fluorescent light tubes \_\_\_\_\_
- thermometers \_\_\_\_\_
- turpentine & paint removers \_\_\_\_\_
- varnish \_\_\_\_\_
- wood sealers \_\_\_\_\_
- gasoline \_\_\_\_\_
- vehicle batteries \_\_\_\_\_
- motor oil \_\_\_\_\_
- brake fluid \_\_\_\_\_
- transmission fluid \_\_\_\_\_
- fungicides \_\_\_\_\_
- herbicides \_\_\_\_\_
- insect repellents \_\_\_\_\_
- pesticides \_\_\_\_\_
- fertilizers \_\_\_\_\_

## WHAT SHOULD YOU DO ABOUT THESE PRODUCTS?

1. **IDENTIFY THEM:** Look for the following words and phrases on labels:  
  
**WARNING \* CAUTION \* DANGER**  
  
**Flammable, Volatile, Toxic, Corrosive, Caustic, Reactive, Poison, Contains Phosphates, Eye Irritant, Harmful if Swallowed, Do Not Mix, Wear Rubber Gloves.**
2. **USE UP ENTIRELY:** Always read labels and follow directions carefully. If you can't use a product up, try to find a neighbor, friend, or community organization who can.
3. **STORE IN A COOL DRY PLACE:** Between collection events or trips to the recycling center, keep all hazardous products in original containers with lids fastened securely. Do not mix, combine, or consolidate them.
4. **RECYCLE OR TAKE TO COLLECTION SITE:** Never throw hazardous products away with your regular trash. Motor oil, brake and transmission fluid, antifreeze, and car batteries can be recycled at most service stations.
5. **USE ENVIRONMENTALLY SAFE PRODUCTS:** Use latex paints instead of oil based paints. Look for products that say: "Environmentally safe", "Biodegradable", "Contains no phosphorus", "Non-toxic", "Non-corrosive", "Low VOC" (Volatile Organic Compounds that cause paint fumes).
6. **DON'T LET PRODUCTS GO TO WASTE:** Buy only what is needed to do the job. Avoid over purchasing with the thought that it can be used later.