

KDWM



Kentucky Division
Of
Waste Management

Hazardous Waste Branch

Aerosol Universal Waste Fact Sheet

Hazardous Waste Containing Aerosol Cans

- May now be **handled, stored and labeled as Universal Waste** in lieu of Hazardous Waste
- May now be **punctured and drained** on equipment designed for the purpose that prevents leaking of the contents
- Punctured and drained cans can be considered **scrap metal**
- VSQG facilities can place scrap metal in **solid waste**
- SQG and LQG facilities must **recycle the scrap metal**
- Waste contents recovered from inside the can must receive a **hazardous waste determination**
- **One-year** accumulation time limit
- The universal waste amount generated in the event **will not** be added to the facility hazardous waste total for the reporting month or year
- **Will not** change generator status
- **No modifications** necessary to registration (limit 11,000lbs)
- Does not require **Treatment On-site** if handling as universal waste

You can also email brandon.may@ky.gov for more information/assistance.