

WEEE & HAZARDOUS Waste Specification



ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- Large household or commercial appliances e.g. fridges, freezers, cookers, microwaves, washing machines, vending machines and dishwashers
- Small household and commercial appliances e.g. vacuum cleaners, irons, toasters and clocks
- IT and telecommunications equipment – e.g. personal computers, copying equipment, telephones and pocket calculators
- Consumer equipment e.g. radios, televisions, hi-fi equipment, camcorders and musical instruments
- Lighting equipment e.g. straight and compact fluorescent tubes and high intensity discharge lamps
- Electrical and electronic tools – e.g. drills, saws and sewing machines, electric lawnmowers
- Toys, leisure and sports equipment e.g. electric trains, games consoles and running machines
- Medical devices e.g. (non infected) dialysis machines, analysers, medical freezers and cardiology equipment
- Monitoring and control equipment e.g. smoke detectors, thermostats and heating regulators
- Automatic dispensers e.g. hot drinks dispensers and money dispensers

HAZARDOUS WASTE

Everything is considered non-hazardous except for items that contain:

- Asbestos
- Chemicals, e.g. brake fluid or print toner
- Batteries
- Solvents
- Pesticides
- Oils (except edible ones), e.g. car oil
- Equipment containing ozone depleting substances, e.g. fridges
- Hazardous waste containers

Haz waste is usually identifiable by an orange and black warning symbol on the item.

For more information on WEEE / Haz Waste and the recycling process, speak to your Countrystyle Consultant.