

UNIVERSITY RULE

24.01.01.M3 Hazardous Chemical Waste Management Program

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Rule Statement

A hazardous waste management program shall be implemented to comply with all local, state, and federal regulations on the proper management of hazardous waste and provide personnel safety and environmental preservation associated with hazardous waste management activities.

A copy of the complete written Hazardous Chemical Waste Management Program is available from the TAMU Environmental Health and Safety Department (EHS) and through the [EHS home page](#).

Official Rule

1. TAMU at QATAR – HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM
 - 1.1 Responsibility for the Hazardous Chemical Waste Management Program at Texas A&M University at Qatar (TAMUQ) lies with the TAMUQ Health, Security, Safety and Environment (HSSE) Office. In addition to the requirements in this document, TAMUQ is obligated to follow the hazardous waste generation, storage, and disposal requirements of the State of Qatar. As a result, TAMUQ develops and maintains its own specific program to incorporate State of Qatar requirements. Specific hazardous waste management requirements for TAMUQ can be obtained from safety@qatar.tamu.edu
2. TAMU at GALVESTON – HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM
 - 2.1 Responsibility for the Hazardous Chemical Waste Management Program at Texas A&M University at Galveston (TAMUG) lies with the TAMUG Environmental Health and Safety (EHS) Office. For additional information, contact EHS@tamug.edu
3. GENERAL
 - 3.1 The Hazardous Chemical Waste Management Program for Texas A&M University and Texas A&M University members located at the College Station, RELIS, and

TAMUG campuses shall include:

3.1.1 A hazardous waste collection, storage, and disposal program compliant with requirements established by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ).

3.1.2 A hazardous waste collection, storage, and disposal service for Texas A&M departments and local members operated in a safe, approved manner.

3.2 The Hazardous Chemical Waste Management Program for Texas A&M University at Qatar shall include:

3.2.1 A hazardous waste collection, storage, and disposal program meeting the requirements established by the Qatar Ministry of Environment.

3.2.2 A hazardous waste collection, storage, and disposal service operated in a safe, approved manner.

4. RESPONSIBILITIES

4.1 EHS shall perform the following for Texas A&M University and Texas A&M members located at the College Station, RELLIS, and TAMUG campuses and TAMUQ HSSE shall do the following for the Qatar campus:

4.1.1 Administer the Texas A&M, TAMUG, and TAMUQ Hazardous Chemical Waste Management Programs with qualified/trained personnel.

4.1.2 Ensure a qualified waste disposal service contractor is used.

4.1.3 Ensure hazardous waste is disposed of at authorized/permitted hazardous waste disposal sites.

4.1.4 Provide reports to federal, state and Qatar agencies, as required.

4.1.5 Maintain records of hazardous waste program activities.

4.2 Departments/members shall:

4.2.1 Comply with the Texas A&M Hazardous Chemical Waste Management Program at the College Station, RELLIS, and TAMUG campuses and the TAMUQ Hazardous Chemical Waste Management Program at the Qatar campus.

4.2.2 Ensure employees are properly trained.

4.3 Employees shall:

4.3.1 Comply with the written Hazardous Chemical Waste Management Program for their location.

Related Statutes, Policies, or Requirements

[System Policy 24.01, Risk Management](#)

[System Regulation 24.01.01, Health and Safety](#)

AUTHORITATIVE REFERENCES

[EPA Standards for Hazardous Waste Generators – 40 CFR 262](#)

[TCEQ Industrial Solid Waste and Municipal Hazardous Waste – 30 TAC 335](#)

Qatar Ministry of Environment Hazardous Waste Requirements

Contact Office

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