

Laboratory Pipette and Pipette Tips Collection Containers

Working in labs necessitates the use of pipettes, plastic/glass pipette tips or other single use items that accumulate at the workstation. The guidelines below ensure state and federal regulatory compliance in management of these items.

Biohazardous Pipettes and pipette tips collection container:

- Label – “Empty daily” and add a biohazardous sticker
- Empty – into permanent biohazardous waste container with a lid at the end of day or when you leave the lab for the day.

Chemically contaminated pipette and pipette tips collection container:

- Label – “Empty daily” and “Chemically contaminated pipettes and tips”
- Empty – into appropriately labeled waste container at the conclusion of work each day.

Non-Contaminated pipette and pipette tips collection container:

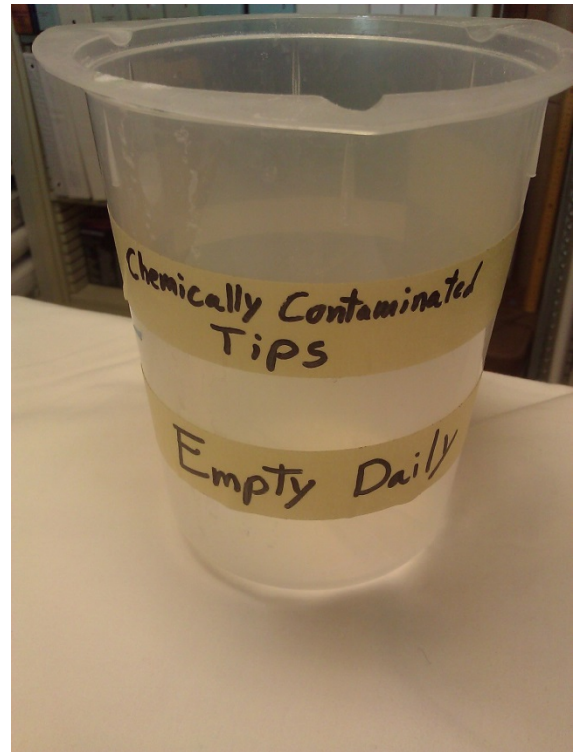
- Label – “Empty daily” and “Non-Contaminated pipettes and tips”
- Empty – into trash can, if plastic, or glass waste box, if glass, at the conclusion of work each day.

DO NOT: label the container as used, dirty, waste, or unwanted

DO NOT: leave pipettes or tips in collection container overnight

Please call EH&S, 9x2553, with questions or concerns.

Chemical Contamination:



Biohazard:



Non-Contaminated:

