

Sustainability Recycling BDI

Lab Glass Recycling



Enva (the universities waste contractor) will take all **clean** lab Glass waste, in their glass recycle bins.

Accepted at the moment:

- Non- borosilicate bottles / Winchesters (non fisher (fully cleaned)
- Chemical jars / bottles (fully cleaned)
- Drink bottles (wine)

Not accepted:

- Contaminated waste glass vials / pipettes
- Borosilicate glass
- Any plastics
- Fisher Winchesters (Fisher take these back)



Safety

Removal all **labels** and make sure that the glass is fully decontaminated, first wiping with **70% IMS** and then wash with soap and water for low hazard containers.

For high hazard containers rinse with a suitable solvent first to remove any chemicals and then soap and water and drain.

Then place into the recycle bins and full bins are taken to the big Enva recycle bins outside (may need to ask a technician for help).



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