



Membership Benefits

The Healthcare Waste Institute facilitates responsible healthcare waste management from all stakeholders handling infectious and hazardous substances.

Our primary goal is to provide transporters, disposal facilities, and regulated healthcare waste vendors a network with other companies across the country to have a powerful and organized voice for regulations and stay on top of new industry trends.

Advocacy



Strong working relationships with key regulatory organizations including EPA, DOT, CDC, and OSHA



Tariff Survey and communications with the Trump Administration



Resources such as fact sheets and one-pagers on relevant topics, such as battery EPR



Comments submitted on proposed regulations, such as OSHA's safety heat standards



Regulatory comment letters on medical waste issues at the state level



Cohesive public statements and news releases to publicize HWI's position on important issues, such as supporting the value of the CDC to proper healthcare waste responses



A forthcoming EREF report on Hospital Medical Infectious Waste Incinerators and cleaning up outdated regulatory references

Membership & Relationships



Three in-person meeting opportunities each year



Your company name and website linked on the HWI landing page



Monthly member emails



Access group experience to address your operations questions

Questions?

Contact Sara Bixby at 202.364.3737 or sbixby@wasterecycling.org

Visit Us:

www.wasterecycling.org/healthcare-waste-institute/



Membership Benefits



Education



Regulatory updates at each meeting



The Healthcare Waste Conference

What you missed over the past 12 months:



Touring CDC Emergency Operations Center



Hearing from a health system CEO about their challenges as a customer



Learning about employment pitfalls from top industry attorneys



A joint webinar with the National Emerging Special Pathogens Training and Education Center (NETEC)

Upcoming Initiatives



Container selection FAQs: Sourcing the right box for your needs



Lithium-ion batteries working group

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