

All Red-in-Red: waste items with blood of any kind in any amount are biohazardous waste

UC Health is transitioning to an All Red-in-Red practice to simplify waste decisions for staff. Going forward, all waste with any amount and type of blood (dried, fluid, flakeable) or contaminated with OPIM—Policy 2005.

Utilize biohazard bins and bags that you already have in your department. Contact EH&S or EVS if you need larger or smaller bins or bags, and remind your colleagues about this change too!

Recognizable tissue is always disposed of in a Pathology waste bin.



Help us make sure that waste finds its place!