

Circularizing Guide

Basics

All mailback programs are for non-infectious, non-hazardous rigid plastics. If there is any doubt about whether the contents of a plastic item is considered hazardous or infectious, please do not dispose of it in a Polycarbin Carbin. Thoroughly empty containers before disposing of them in your Carbin. Small amounts of liquid residue can add up quickly in a Carbin.

What Should I Consider Hazardous?

Polycarbin is not prescriptive about what is, or is not, considered infectious or hazardous within the customer's workflow. We defer to the customer's onsite environmental, health and safety (EH&S) specialist, or a similarly qualified professional, to assess which plastics can and cannot be recycled through Polycarbin. While states may vary on specific designations for various chemicals, a comprehensive list of chemicals recognized federally as hazardous can be found on Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) home page (ask your EH&S officer or scan below).

Further Help

Contact your lab manager or EH&S official. If you are still unsure, reach out to us at:
support@polycarbin.com



Tutorial

<https://polycarbin.com/pages/tutorial>



RCRA List

<https://www.epa.gov/hw/defining-hazardous-waste-listed-characteristic-and-mixed-radiological-wastes#listed>

Other Types of Non-Conforming Materials

- Soft Packaging
- Municipal Plastics
- Fibrous Waste
- Rubber/Latex/Nitrile/Silicone
- Metal