Labeling and Marking identifies the contents of each waste container and must be completed before scheduling a pick-up.

The date upon which each period of accumulation begins must be clearly marked and visible for inspection on each accumulation container/unit.

While being accumulated on site, each generator's safety can or container must be labeled or clearly marked with the words, "Hazardous Waste."

Each container in which hazardous waste is accumulated must be labeled with the following information:

1. Composition and physical state of the waste;
2. Statement or statements that call attention to the particular hazardous properties of the waste (e.g. flammable, reactive); and solid/liquid
3. PI's name and Location of the generation.

In some cases, containers are continuously reused for accumulation of the same waste stream; e.g., SAFETY CANS used to initially accumulate waste which when full are emptied into larger "collection" containers.

"Recurring use" labels may be used on such containers to revise the initial accumulation and "90-day period" dates (without having to change the other labeling information). If the container is emptied at least once each day, the word "daily" may be used in the date area of the label.

Consult with Environmental Health and Safety Office for special disposal container needs or storage arrangements.