**Universal Waste**

According to UCD safety regulations universal waste is any old pieces of equipment that are no longer being used, any old burnt fluorescent tubes or CFL bulbs, old used batteries, used printer cartridges or toner, old computer parts and peripherals, etc.. According to CCR Title 22§66273.35 it is a violation to store these items any longer than 1 year.

* The department has recycling bins for some universal hazardous waste like batteries or fluorescent tube waste which we dispose of at least annually through the proper university hazardous waste channels:
	+ PLP department – Fluorescent tubes or CFL bulbs in room 1 Hutchison Hall and batteries in room 370 Hutchison Hall
	+ ENT department - Fluorescent tubes or CFL bulbs in room 42A Briggs Hall and batteries in room 42A Briggs Hall
* Old printer cartridges or toner can be returned in the original packaging to the VetMed store in 1131 Haring Hall
* All computer parts can be disposed of through the departmental IT team
* All old equipment can be decommissioned and disposed through Aggie Surplus by submitting a work request at: <https://supplychain.ucdavis.edu/procure-contract/stores/aggie-surplus/srvc-request>