

ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS

MATERIAL TYPE	ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA
Computers - PC's & Laptops	Yes
PC & Laptop Components	Yes
All Peripherals (Keyboards, Mice, Docking Stations & Power Cords)	Yes
Servers	Yes
Network Switches & Modems	Yes
Phone Systems and Hand Sets	Yes
Hard Drives	Yes
Circuit Boards (regular boards, motherboards, PCI cards, power boards, finger boards, etc.)	Must be free of mercury containing switches, batteries, and PCB containing capacitors.
UPS (Battery Back-up) & Power Supplies	Yes
Consumer Electronics (speakers, game consoles, hair dryers, calculators, etc.)	Batteries must be removed.
Copier, Printers and Fax machines	Yes
Cameras	Must have batteries removed.
Cell Phones, Smart Phones & PDA's	Yes
Tablets & IPADS	
LCD Monitors	Charge is broken screen
CRT T.V.'s	CHARGE ITEM. DO NOT ACCEPT IF GLASS BROKEN.
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Wood Electronics (wood console T.V.'s, wooden speakers, etc.)	CHARGE ITEM.
Plasma T.V.'s	CHARGE ITEM.
Rear Projection T.V.'s	CHARGE ITEM. Projection bulb must be undamaged.
Cable Boxes, Remotes and Cords	Yes
Medical Equipment	Certification statement stating free/cleaned of any biological contaminants and/or radioactive components.
X-Ray Scanners (medical equipment, luggage scanners, person scanners, astronomical imaging, etc.)	Equipment must have all x-ray tubes removed.

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**Electric Motors	Must be free of PCBs. DO NOT ACCEPT IF OILY / FLUID FILLED.
Alkaline Batteries	CHARGE ITEM. DO NOT ACCEPT WET ALKALINE.
Lead Acid Batteries	Must be dry cell, or sealed / labeled “Non-Spillable”. DO NOT ACCEPT WET VENTED BATTERIES.
Nickel Cadmium (NiCad) Batteries	CHARGE FOR WET CELL. DO NOT ACCEPT WET VENTED BATTERIES.
Nickel Metal Hydride (NiMH) Batteries	CHARGE FOR WET CELL. DO NOT ACCEPT WET VENTED BATTERIES.
Cell Phone Batteries	Yes
Laptop Batteries	Yes
**Ballasts	Labeled “No PCBs”.

* Asbestos is likely found in older insulating materials for electric and thermal applications, drywall, fire-proofing, ceiling tiles, jointing compounds.

** PCB (polychlorinated biphenyls) can be found in capacitors, industrial transformers, lighting ballasts, and electric motors as coolants and insulating fluids. The presence of PCBs will be more prevalent in materials manufactured prior to the 1979 ban.

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