

Managing Household Hazardous Waste to Prepare Your Home for a Hurricane

Preparing for natural disasters such as hurricanes includes managing household hazardous waste (HHW). HHW can be caused by items such as cleaning agents, paint and batteries. Natural disasters can damage structures that cause HHW to leak into the environment and cause harm. This image shows examples of items in various rooms of the home that may need to be properly managed. For more information on how to properly store or dispose of HHW, visit <https://www.epa.gov/hw/household-hazardous-waste-hhw>.

