

State of California - Health and Human Services Agency California Department of Public Health



Medical Waste Management Program Current Fees

A medical waste generator, subject to the registration requirements of the Medical Waste Management Act, shall submit the appropriate annual registration fee to the California Department of Public Health, Medical Waste Management Program. The fee can be found below and shall be submitted with the registration and/or permit application, and upon receipt of an annual registration renewal notice. **Fees increased by 14.6% on July 1st, 2022, per the California Budget Act.** Please note that fees for Small Quantity Generators (without onsite treatment) and Trauma Scene Waste Management Practitioners have not increased as these do not qualify per the California Budget Act.

| SMALL QUANTITY GENERATORS (SQG) (GENERATES LESS THAN 200 POUNDS PER MONTH) | ANNUAL FEE |
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| SQG without onsite treatment | \$25 |
| SQG with onsite treatment (Treatment by autoclaving, incineration, microwave technology or some other type of alternative treatment methods) | \$114 (Paid every two years) |

| COMMON STORAGE FACILITY (CSF) | ANNUAL FEE |
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| CSF serving 2-10 generators | \$114 |
| CSF serving 11-49 generators | \$286 |
| CSF serving 50 or more generators | \$573 |

| TRAUMA SCENE WASTE (TSW) | ANNUAL FEE |
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| Trauma Scene Waste Management Practitioner | \$200 |

| TRANSFER STATIONS & OFFSITE TREATMENT FACILITIES | ANNUAL FEE |
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| Offsite Transfer Station (plus \$114/hour initial application review fee) | \$2,292 |
| Offsite Treatment Facility (plus \$114/hour initial application review fee) | \$13,752 or \$0.01455/lb., whichever is greater |

| LARGE QUANTITY GENERATOR (LQG) (GENERATES MORE THAN 200 POUNDS PER MONTH) *FACILITY TYPES* | ANNUAL FEE WITHOUT ONSITE TREATMENT | ANNUAL FEE WITH ONSITE TREATMENT |
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| Acute Care Hospital 1-99 bed capacity | \$687 | \$1,031 |
| Acute Care Hospital 100-199 bed capacity | \$985 | \$1,558 |
| Acute Care Hospital 200-250 bed capacity | \$1,260 | \$1,833 |
| Acute Care Hospital 251 or more beds | \$1,604 | \$2,750 |
| Skilled Nursing Facility 1-99 bed capacity | \$315 | \$658 |
| Skilled Nursing Facility 100-199 bed capacity | \$401 | \$744 |
| Skilled Nursing Facility 200 or more beds | \$458 | \$802 |
| Specialty Clinic (surgical, dialysis, liposuction, etc.) | \$401 | \$744 |
| Acute Psychiatric Hospital | \$229 | \$573 |
| Intermediate Care | \$343 | \$687 |
| Primary Care Clinic | \$401 | \$744 |
| Clinical Laboratory | \$229 | \$573 |
| Health Care Service Plan Facility | \$401 | \$744 |
| Veterinary Clinic or Hospital | \$229 | \$573 |
| Medical/Dental/Veterinary Office | \$229 | \$573 |

| MAIL THE APPLICATION AND FEE TO: | OR COURIER TO: |
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| California Department of Public Health Medical Waste Management Program IMS K-2, MS 7405 P.O. Box 997377 Sacramento, CA 95899-7377 | California Department of Public Health Medical Waste Management Program 1725 23rd St, Ste 110 Sacramento, CA 95816 |