

# Best Management Practices for Dental Waste Recycling Information

The companies listed below provide recycling services in the indicated areas. You may find other companies also provide recycling (e.g. yellow pages under hazardous waste or recycling). The Oregon Dental Association does not endorse or recommend any company or their services.



## AMALGAM ..... Drop-Off Services

<p><b>METRO Portland</b>          NW Portland and Oregon City at Hazardous Waste Facilities          (503) 223-8133 or (503) 234-3000          6161 NW 61st Street (NW Portland)          2001 Washington Street (Oregon City)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ask for a Conditionally Exempt Generator (CEG) information packet appt req'd for drop off, modest fees for liquid mercury and mercury containing materials</li> </ul>	<p><b>Outside Portland area</b></p> <p><b>DEQ Sponsored Waste Events</b></p> <p>Check on line at DEQ Technical Assistance  <a href="http://www.deq.state.or.us/wmc/hw/hwta.html">http://www.deq.state.or.us/wmc/hw/hwta.html</a></p> <p>Or call: (503) 229-5913</p>
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## AMALGAM ..... In-Chair Units

Check with the distributor for your chair units to see if an amalgam unit is available for the chair.

## AMALGAM ..... Mail Disposal Services

<p><b>Amalgaway</b>          (800) 267-1467          3672 E Raymond Street          Indianapolis, IN 46203</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Will accept filters and gloves</li> </ul>	<p><b>Century Metals</b>          (800) 883-9016          PO Box 5815          Trenton, NJ 08638  <a href="mailto:customerservice@centurymetalsco.com">customerservice@centurymetalsco.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clean, bone dry amalgam only; prefer no extraneous material. They supply prepaid mailing labels. Also buy crowns.</li> </ul>
<p><b>DRNA (Dental Recycling North America)</b>          (800) 360-1001          145 W 58<sup>th</sup> Street          New York, NY 10019  <a href="http://www.drna.com">www.drna.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accept amalgam, filters and gloves</li> </ul>	<p><b>EnviroChem</b>          (763) 428-4002          21821 Industrial Boulevard          Rodgers, MN 55374</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accept amalgam, no gloves or filters</li> </ul>

**AMALGAM ..... Mail Disposal Services (continued)**

<p><b>Garfield Refining</b>                  (800) 523-0968, Attn: Joel (215) 533-5902 fax                  810 East Cayuga Street                  Philadelphia, PA 19124  <a href="http://www.garfield-refining.com">www.garfield-refining.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Accept amalgam, no gloves, filters, or standing liquid</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>Heraeus-Kulzer</b> (formerly JF Jelenko)                  (800) 431-1785                  99 Business Park Drive                  Armonk, NY 10504</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>No standing water; will accept gloves &amp; filters, they supply prepaid labels</i></li> </ul>
<p><b>Mercury Refining Company</b>                  (800) 833-3505                  26 Railroad Ave                  Albany, NY 12205  <a href="mailto:leocohen17@aol.com">leocohen17@aol.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Accept amalgam, no gloves, filters, or standing liquid</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>Precious Metals Processors</b>                  (303) 7:58-2566                  PO Box 22313                  Denver, CO 80222-0313</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Will pay for amalgam, clean and dry only; will buy crowns</i></li> </ul>
<p><b>Pure Water Development LLC</b>                  (877) 638-2797                  5001 SW 74<sup>th</sup> Court, Suite 206                  Miami, FL 33155</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Accepts amalgam, contact and non-contact amalgam scraps (traps and filters inc.), amalgam separators. No gloves.</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>Superior Special Services</b>                  (formerly Recyclights)                  (800) 831-2852 Attn: Deanna                  2960 Yorkton Blvd                  Little Canada, MN 55420  <a href="http://www.superspecial.com">www.superspecial.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Also accepts raw mercury</i></li> </ul>

**AMALGAM ..... Pick-Up Services**

<p><b>Dental Refiners</b>                  (800) 786-1742  <a href="mailto:dentalrefiners@aol.com">dentalrefiners@aol.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Clean, disinfected amalgam only, no traps, will pay for amalgam, call for pickup appt, also buys crowns</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>Romic – Portland</b>                  (800) 819-5912                  14434 SE Industrial Way, Bldg. C                  Clackamas, OR 97015  <a href="http://www.romic.com/romic.html">www.romic.com/romic.html</a></p>
<p><b>Safety-Kleen Corporation</b>                  (800) 669-5913                  16540 SE 130<sup>th</sup> Avenue                  Clackamas, OR 97015-8995                  Attn: David Liddane  <a href="mailto:dliddane@safetv-kleen.com">dliddane@safetv-kleen.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Service statewide, will accept gloves and filters for a higher fee</i></li> </ul>	

**AMALGAM ..... Separation Equipment**

<p><b>Burkhart Dental Supply</b>                  (503) 252-9777                  12702 NE Marx Street                  Portland, OR 97230</p>	<p><b>DRNA Systems</b>                  Dental Recycling North America                  (see Amalgam)</p>
<p><b>Patterson Dental Supply</b>                  (see Amalgam Storage)</p>	<p><b>Pure Water Development LLC</b>                  5001 SW 74<sup>th</sup> Court, Suite 206                  Miami, FL 33155                  (877) 638-2797  <a href="http://www.ecotwo.com">www.ecotwo.com</a></p>
<p><b>R&amp;D Services, Inc.</b>                  8120 Greenlake Drive N.                  Seattle, WA 98103                  (206) 525-2063  <a href="http://www.r-dservicesinc.com">www.r-dservicesinc.com</a></p>	<p><b>Sullivan-Schein Dental Supply</b>                  (503) 682-0923 Attn: Lee Lehman                  7929 SW Burns Way, Ste. A                  Wilsonville, OR 97070</p>

**AMALGAM ..... Storage**

<p><b>Patterson Dental Supply</b>                  Amalgam Safe                  (503) 282-3688                  Attn: Greg Sork, Equipment Mgr.                  7535 NE Ambassador Place, Ste. L                  Portland, OR 97220</p>
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**FIXER TREATMENT SYSTEMS**

See **Amalgam Storage** and **Amalgam Separation Equipment** listings for contact info for:

- Patterson Dental Supply
- Sullivan-Schein Dental Supply

<p><b>DRNA (Dental Recycling North America)</b>                  (800) 360-1001                  145 W 58<sup>th</sup> Street                  New York, NY 10019  <a href="mailto:sales@drna.com">sales@drna.com</a></p>	<p><b>Pearson Dental Supply</b>                  (253) 854-9696</p>
<p><b>Triple Dental Repair</b>                  (503) 492-1659 Attn: Craig                  1022 NW Corporate Drive                  Troutdale, OR 97060</p>	

**LEAD FOIL FROM X-RAY FILM ..... Drop-Off Services**

Many of the scrap metal companies listed in local business directories will accept dropped-off lead foil.

<p><b>Bockman &amp; Son</b>                  (503) 288-4571                  3210 SW 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave.                  Portland, OR 97201</p>	<p><b>Calbag Metals</b>                  (503) 226-3441                  2495 NW Nicholai                  Portland, OR 97210</p>
<p><b>Calbag Metals</b>                  (503) 286-0501                  12000 N. Burgard                  Portland, OR 97208</p>	<p><b>Far West Fibers</b>                  (503) 238-1640                  5525 SE 28<sup>th</sup> Ave.                  Portland, OR 97202</p>
<p><b>Metro Metals NW, Inc.</b>                  (503) 287-8861                  5611 NE Columbia Blvd.                  Portland, OR 97218</p>	

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<p><b>Elven Precious Metals</b>                  (800) 645-5113                  PO Box 27489                  San Francisco, CA 94127  <a href="http://www.elvenpreciousmetals.com">www.elvenpreciousmetals.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>For their customers only</i></li> </ul>	

**LEAD FOIL FROM X-RAY FILM ..... Pick-Up Services**

<p><b>Beaverton Dental Equipment &amp; Service</b>  <i>(see Amalgam)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>For their customers only</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>Dental Refiners</b>  <i>(see Amalgam)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Only for their crown customers</i></li> </ul>
<p><b>MRS Environmental Services</b>  <i>(see X-ray Fixer)</i></p>	<p><b>Romic – Portland</b>                  (800) 819-5912                  14434 SE Industrial Way, Bldg. C                  Clackamas, OR 97015  <a href="http://www.romic.com/romic.html">www.romic.com/romic.html</a></p>
<p><b>Safety-Kleen Corporation</b>  <i>(see Amalgam)</i></p>	

**SPENT X-RAY FIXER..... Drop-Off Services**

*Check with your local photo finishers. Many will accept spent x-ray fixer from dental offices.*

<p><b>Citizens Photo</b>                  (503) 232-8501                  709 SE 7th Avenue                  Portland, OR 97214</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Accepts drop off at their address</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>N&amp;S Photo</b>                  (503) 223-2602                  5125 SW Macadam Avenue                  Portland, OR 97201  <a href="http://www.pictureperfect-pdx.com">www.pictureperfect-pdx.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Accepts drop off at their address</i></li> </ul>
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**SPENT X-RAY FIXER.....Fixer Treatment Units**

Fixer treatment units sized for dental offices. Requires annual replacement of unit.

<p><b>Always Recycle System</b>                  Representation and annual pick up</p>	<p><b>Valley Dental Supply</b>                  (503) 227-1949                  3215 NW Yeon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Portland, OR 97210</i></li> </ul>
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**SPENT X-RAY FIXER..... Pick-Up Services**

<p><b>Beaverton Dental Equipment &amp; Service</b>                  (503) 642-9277                  5175 SW 166<sup>th</sup> Avenue                  Beaverton, OR 97007  <a href="http://www.beavertondental.com">www.beavertondental.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>For their customers only</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>City Microfilming</b>                  (503) 736-3274                  1516 SE 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue                  Portland, OR 97212  <a href="mailto:citvmfilm@msn.com">citvmfilm@msn.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>\$30 charge for pick up (outside Portland area) any amount, drop off for free</i></li> </ul>
<p><b>Hallmark Metals Company</b>                  (503) 657-9918                  13929 Fir St.                  Oregon City, OR 97045</p>	<p><b>Merry X-Ray Company</b>                  (503) 222-4722                  1723 NW 24th Avenue                  Portland, OR 97210  <a href="mailto:mxr@teleport.com">mxr@teleport.com</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Pickup for their customers</i></li> <li>• <i>Will accept drop off at their address</i></li> </ul>
<p><b>MRS Environmental Services</b>                  (360) 687-7764                  23826 NE 182nd Avenue                  Battle Ground, WA 98604</p>	<p><b>My-Jay Enterprises</b>                  (503) 632-4103 Attn: Mike or Janet                  PO Box 569                  Beavercreek, OR 97004</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Picks up fixer on call basis for their panorama film customers only</i></li> </ul>
<p><b>Philips Medical Systems</b>                  (formerly Marconi Medical and Pacific X-ray)                  22100 Bothell Everett Highway                  Bothell, WA 98041-3003                  (800) 526-4963                  Attn: Kerry Ward                  (916) 716-9348</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Pickup for their customers only</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>Romic – Portland</b>                  (800) 819-5912                  14434 SE Industrial Way, Bldg. C                  Clackamas, OR 97015  <a href="http://www.romic.com/romic.html">www.romic.com/romic.html</a></p>
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