

Waste Assessment

Wadars, Hangleton Lane, Ferring. BN12 6PP

Statement re storage and disposal of different waste types at Wadars

On a daily basis staff at Wadars animal rescue come into contact with a number of different types of waste. In order to comply with legislation, we ensure that each type of waste is stored and disposed of correctly and where necessary, documented.

Clinical waste – contaminated animal bedding, dressings, cat litter and PPE from our isolation units (including from animals displaying signs of zoonotic diseases) would be stored in clinical waste bins and kept away from public areas until they could be collected from site by our provider.

Offensive waste – non-infectious waste including cat litter and faeces, wildlife faeces (from hedgehogs, birds, and other small mammals), disposal PPE such as plastic aprons; gloves, oversleeves and overshoes, soiled animal bedding, plus a small amount of dog faeces will be stored in offensive waste bins and kept away from public areas until collected on no less than a weekly basis.

Sharps waste – whilst we do not have a veterinary facility on site, and therefore don't have vast quantities, we do still use a certain number of sharps including vaccination and microchipping needles. Once used these are stored in a sharps bin until they are disposed of by our veterinary surgeons (who provide a weekly visit to our Ferring site).

General waste – from around the site (including staff kitchens) is stored in a large wheelie bin and collected from site twice a week.

Sanitary waste - is stored in sanitary bins in each bathroom area and is regularly collected by our provider.

Recycling waste – is collected from site once a week by our provider.

Our waste needs will be reviewed and amended as necessary on a regular basis as part of our ongoing site management.