

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS - LAWRENCE CAMPUS

LABORATORY SAFETY MANUAL

PART V - LASER SAFETY PLAN

6) Safe Disposal of Hazardous Laser-Associated Waste and Transfer of Laser Ownership

The applicable portions of Part I - Chapter 6 shall be followed by all personnel/students/visitors in the handling & disposal of lasers and laser-associated waste. The conditions and requirements of this chapter are in addition to applicable portions of Part I – Chapter 6. The generator (lab, researcher, unit) is responsible for ensuring that all laser associated waste is disposed of in a manner that minimizes the risk to health, safety, and the environment and in accordance with the KU Hazardous Materials/Waste Management Manual. All lasers must be transferred or disposed under the authority of the EHS Laser Safety Officer.

KU Hazardous Materials/Waste Management Manual
<https://ehs.ku.edu/hazardous-materialswaste-management-manual>

Safe Disposal of Lasers and Associated Waste

6.1) Introduction

Authorized Laboratory Supervisors and Authorized Users shall:

6.2) Disposal of Laser-Associated Hazardous Waste

6.3) Disposal/Transfer of Lasers