



Welcome to Waste: Course Brief

People new to the waste industry that are keen to fast track their knowledge



Learning Outcomes

By the end of this course, you will have a solid foundation in the waste industry, including:

- ◆ Industry Terminology: Master the common language and "lingo" used on-site and in the office.
- ◆ Waste Streams: A high-level understanding of the different waste types we manage daily.
- ◆ Processes & Equipment: Recognition of the common machinery and workflows that keep us moving.
- ◆ Legislative Essentials: Knowledge of the key laws and compliance standards our industry must adhere to.

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Course Overview

- ◆ Duration: 30–40 Minutes
- ◆ Qualification: Certificate of Completion
- ◆ Target Audience: All Waste & Recycling Personnel
- ◆ Legislation: Environment Protection Act 2017



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Welcome to
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A Preview of Your Welcome to Waste Course

Regulation of waste

In Victoria, waste is regulated by the Environment Protection Authority Victoria (EPA Victoria, or EPA).

Established in 1971, the EPA is an independent regulator, enforcing environmental laws and regulations to minimize the harmful effects of pollution and waste on Victoria's environment.

EPA Victoria regulate waste movement and disposal activities in Victoria and set (and enforce) the rules for transporting and disposing of waste.



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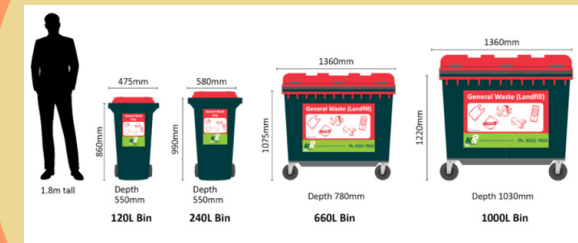
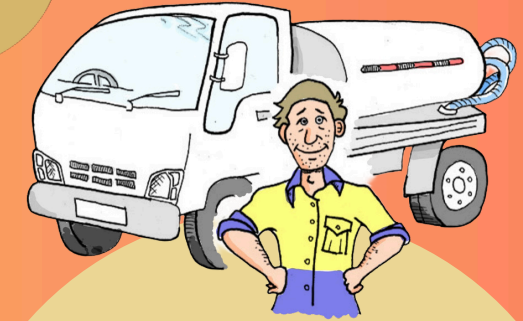
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 - [W2W] Welcome to the waste industry!
- II. COMMON TERMS
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- III. HOW BIG IS THE WASTE INDUSTRY?
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- IV. Regulation of Waste
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- V. TYPES OF WASTE
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- VI. WASTE COLLECTION
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An efficient waste industry provides a safe workplace for its employees while protecting the environment by providing lawful transport, recycling and disposal options for all wastes generated in our everyday life.

This course walks you through the basics of our industry, explaining common terminology, a high-level understanding of the different waste types produced, common processes and the types of equipment used, right through to the legislative aspects that the industry must adhere to.

It's a big industry, an interesting industry and an essential one.



For reputable businesses in our industry, the safety of workers and the general public is the number one priority. It is up to all of us to always consider and assess the risks involved in our activities and those of our fellow workers.

- Stop
- Assess
- Look
- Manage