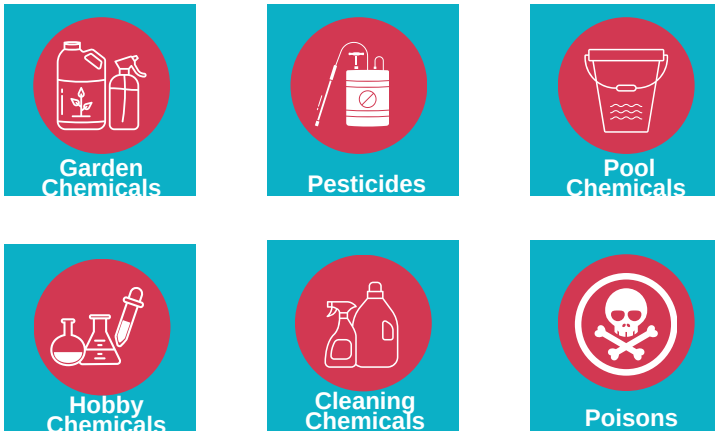


## The Lithgow Solid Waste Facility

# Household Chemical Cleanout (HCC)

and the Community Recycling Centre (CRC)



# Household Chemical Cleanout (HCC)

The Household Chemical Cleanout (HCC) is held:

- Once each year
- For half a day.

The HCC, is the only place to drop off:

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- Chemicals,
  - Cleaning chemicals
  - Pesticides and herbicides
  - Pool Chemicals and
  - Poisons

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## HCC Date

For the date of the HCC, please visit Council's website at:

<https://council.lithgow.com/waste-recycling/>



## HCC Location

The HCC is held at the Resource Recovery Centre, within the Lithgow Solid Waste Facility  
Address: 68 Geordie Street, Lithgow

# Community Recycling Centre (CRC) Hours

The items below are also accepted at the **Community Recycling Centre (CRC)**.

At the **CRC**, you can drop off the following problem waste items, 7 days a week:

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- Batteries - car & household
  - Fire extinguishers
  - Fluorescent globes
  - Gas bottles
  - Oils - incl. cooking and motor oils
  - Paint & paint-related products
  - Smoke detectors

The above items *never* go into the kerbside bins

### Opening hours:

The CRC is open from 8am - 4.45pm, 7 days a week

**All vehicles must be off the site by 5pm**

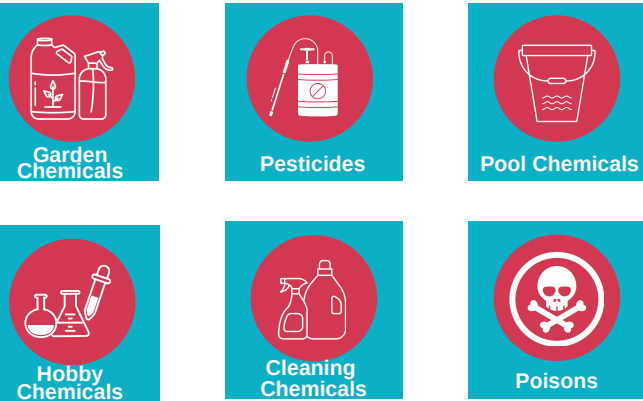
Please plan your visit to have enough time to unload and leave the site within opening hours.

### Public Holidays:

- Closed Good Friday,
- Closed Christmas Day,
- Open on other public holidays.

## What can be dropped off at the: Household Chemical CleanOut (HCC)

The following items are **only accepted** at the annual, half-day, HCC:



The chemicals that can only be disposed of at the HCC include:

- **Acids and alkalis**
- **Ammonia-based cleaners**
- **Chemicals - hobby and pool**
- **Floor care products**
- **Household cleaners and solvents**
- **Pesticides and herbicides**
- **Poisons**

The date of the annual HCC will be published on Council's website once the date has been confirmed. Visit:

<https://council.lithgow.com/waste-recycling/household-chemicals/>



## What can be dropped off at the: Community Recycling Centre (CRC)

The CRC is open 7 days, 8am-4.45pm

What can I take to a CRC?



- The CRC is a drop-off centre for the problem waste items above. These problem items cannot go into kerbside bins or into landfill.
- NSW residents can drop off problem items at CRCs free of charge.
- The CRC is open at the same time as the RRC, every day except Good Friday and Christmas day.
- Only household quantities of each item will be accepted - a maximum of 20 litres or 20 kilograms of each type of waste.
- There is no charge to dispose of accepted items at the CRC.
- Businesses cannot use the CRC and should contact a waste disposal services provider. Visit: <https://businessrecycling.com.au/>

## Using the Household Chemical CleanOut (HCC)

Safely transport chemicals to the HCC

- Never mix chemicals. Dangerous reactions could occur.
- Keep chemicals in the original containers if possible.
- Label and seal containers. If substance is unknown, label the container 'unknown chemical'.
- Prevent leaks during transport by wrapping containers in newspaper, sealing in plastic bags and placing in plastic buckets or trays.
- Keep chemicals away from passengers, for example, by securing the chemicals in the boot of your car.

Who can use the HCC?

- Only residents of the Lithgow LGA can use the HCC.
- Business related and commercial quantities are **not accepted** at the HCC. Please visit [www.businessrecycling.com.au](http://www.businessrecycling.com.au) for information on commercial waste disposal.