

# WASTE MANAGEMENT

There is no evidence for spread of the disease by wastes of a patient with COVID-19.

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Wastes of a patient possibly or definitely diagnosed COVID-19 are recognized as infectious waste in hospital environment and disposed to medical waste box.

Wastes of a patient possibly or definitely diagnosed COVID-19 who is monitored at home should be collected separately through the protective preventions required, kept in double bags and disposed to domestic waste box.

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The wastes of the contacted individuals (contacted with the patients who have possibly or definitely COVID-19, individuals coming from a country or province where the disease is common) who are observed in collective accommodation places (i.e. dormitory) for 14 days should be disposed to domestic waste bag.

Disposable masks and gloves used for protection in the society should be disposed to domestic waste bag.

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There is not any information about disposal of the wastes of COVID-19 patients following a certain waiting period in the guidelines of important healthcare organizations including WHO, CDC and ECDC.

