

SAFE GARBAGE BAG FOR CORONA WASTE



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Contaminated medical waste (UN3291) requires specialised, professional disposal. With its new **Garbage Bag for Corona Waste (Article 93200)**, Deiss now offers the first special bag, compliant with Dangerous Goods Class 2, which enables the proper disposal of waste contaminated with Corona/COVID-19.

These bags comply with the new general permission of the Federal Institute for Materials Research and Testing (BAM) issued on 18. March 2020 and thus fulfil the provisions in Germany relating to the disposal of waste. Nevertheless, the country-specific regulations for the treatment of Corona-contaminated material apply.



THE APPLICABLE REGULATION IN GERMANY

- Medical waste contaminated with the coronavirus (UN3291) may be disposed of in garbage bags.
- The garbage bags must have been tested and certified in accordance with defined parameters.¹
- The garbage bags must be effectively sealed.
- The garbage bags are to be transported within a bulk container² by the waste-disposal company.

¹ The plastic foil (5H4) shall comply with the specifications for solid materials falling under Dangerous Goods Class/Packaging Group II and also with prescribed technical values such as an impact resistance of min 165g and a tear resistance of min 480g in cross and lengthwise directions. It shall have been UN type-tested and approved accordingly.

² Waste as per UN3291 must be transported within a closed bulk container in compliance with the requirements of currently applicable German regulations.

THE RELIABLE SOLUTION FROM DEISS

As a specialist for garbage bags, Deiss has been able to react extremely swiftly to the amended national regulation and thus, without delay, can now provide the market with the corresponding product. As a result, Deiss has launched the appropriate bag for waste defined under waste codes 18 01 03 und 18 01 04.

Thanks to the many years of expertise in quality assurance and test procedures provided by Deiss, faultless auditing and drop tests for determination of the respective dangerous goods class are ensured.

The advantages:

- Safe, secure and high-quality garbage bag for medical corona waste (suitable for liquid and dry waste).
- Swift and high availability despite any increase in the volume of contaminated waste generated by the coronavirus at hospitals and nursing homes.
- Proper disposal, in compliance with German law, of material contaminated with the coronavirus.
- Reliability as regards certification granted by the German authorities.

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Explanatory details/Labeling:



Biohazard

UN 3291

Medical waste



max.
12,5 kg

Maximum filling weight



Disposal of sharp objects not permitted



5H4/Y14/S/20/A/PA-02/8637

5H4 Code for UN type-tested and approved bags made of plastic film
Y Dangerous Goods Class II / Packaging Group II
14 Maximum permitted weight
S Code letter for solid materials
20 Year of production
A Country of approval
PA-02 ID Code of the test institut
8637 Sequence number of the test



Reliable quality in the use of recycled material

