

Transcript for Recycle the right way

The Recycle the right way video shows just a days worth of recycling from Cheshire East homes!

But not all the recycling we receive is good! Our teams have to sift through all this recycling everyday! The video shows a large pile of recycling.

We sift through the recycling to ensure it's not contaminated with non-recyclable items such as:

- Nappies and sanitary products
- Scrap metals
- Batteries (these can cause fires!)
- Hard plastics
- Bagged recycling and rubbish (remember to Leave it Loose!)
- Hypodermic needles and syringes
- Electrical items (we call it W.E.E.E -Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment)

The video shows some of the contamination we find on a daily basis!

- Food and hard plastics!
- An incontinence sheet in the recycling! Yuk!
- Scrap metals and beer kegs!
- Even these once loved cuddly toys!
- and W.E.E.E (remember that's Waste Electrical and electronic equipment!)

Don't forget if you are unsure what goes where?

Visit our webpage - www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/waste_and_recycling - this has all the information you need to become a recycle hero.

Please ensure you recycle correctly!