

In case of disaster

When cleaning up after a disaster, a large amount of disaster waste such as wet tatami and muddy furniture, is generated that would not normally be generated as household waste.

In order to properly dispose of disaster waste, the city will decide how to separate the garbage and where to bring it, depending on the type of disaster and the extent of damage.

Citizens will be notified by the following means:

- ① Websites
- ② The Garbage sorting app, "Sana~ru" ("さんあ~る")
- ③ Leaflets (Post and distribute in shelters, community centers* etc.)
- ④ PR vehicles

*The public halls in the city are the 4 major public halls in Kurashiki, Mizushima, Kojima, and Tamashima, 24 community centers and their branch centers.
Kurashiki, Kurashiki East, Kurashiki West, Kurashiki South, Kurashiki North, Tatsumi, Shinden, Sho, Chayamachi, Nishiachi, Mizushima, Fukuda, Fukuda South, Tsurajima, Tsurajima South, Kojima, Shimotsui, Honjo, Kotoura, Karakoto, Gonai, Tamashima, Tamashima East, Tamashima west, Tamashima North, Tamashima Kurosaki, Funao, Mabi etc.

Please download and register the app.



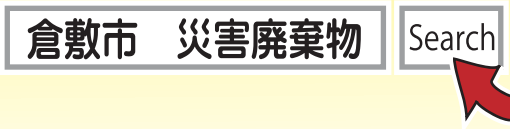
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Know where to get information
in an emergency.

What to do with the garbage generated in a disaster?

【Basic Version】

About Kurashiki City's disaster waste



Kurashiki character for the environment, 'Kulife'
The name 'Kulife' comes from the desire for 'everyone in Kurashiki to live an eco-friendly life'. It conveys the idea of changing our energy-intensive lifestyles to create a comfortable Kurashiki. Kulife's body represents a 'warehouse' and expresses the character of Kurashiki, his large head represents a round earth, the leaves on his head represent abundant greenery and the Ku (<) of Kurashiki, and his blue legs represent the clear waters of the Takahashi River.



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The method of **separating** and **disposing** of disaster waste is different from usual.

When cleaning up a house after a large-scale disaster, **check the garbage separation method and carry-in locations that the city will decide and inform you after the disaster**, and carry out referring to the following procedure.

STEP1 ~ The first sorting of garbage ~

Let's divide waste into daily waste and disaster waste.

It may seem better to just dispose of them promptly together, but doing so will actually require more time to collect and transport the garbage.

A large amount of food waste is contained in daily waste and, if its disposal is delayed, it may cause a stench and attract pests.

Why separate daily waste and disaster waste?



STEP2 ~ Second sorting of garbage ~

Let's separate out disaster waste.

Waste that has not been sorted will take extra time to process as it cannot be handed over to a disposal company without further sorting at temporary storage spaces.

Kurashiki City has conducted extensive studies with businesses that have actually disposed of disaster waste from heavy rains in western Japan, and is envisioning the following categories to facilitate prompt sorting and disposal.

(note) Categories may change depending on the type of disaster.

Why do we have to separate disaster waste?



STEP3 ~ Where should we put the garbage? ~

Daily waste to garbage station,
disaster waste to temporary storage spaces.

Much of the disaster waste that is generated in large quantities is not normally disposed of as household waste and, due to damage, much of it cannot be treated as usual. Therefore, in addition to garbage stations, temporary storage spaces for disaster waste will also be opened in the disaster area.

We are considering a transportation support system, in cooperation with the volunteer center, of door-to-door collection for those, such as elderly households, who do not have transportation.

What is a temporary storage space?



- ① Debris mixed with earth and sand
- ② Combustibles (Wooden furniture, Dirty clothes, Plastic products)
- ③ Incombustibles (Glass, China, Bottles, Fluorescent tubes)
- ④ Metals (Metal furniture, Bicycle)
- ⑤ Debris (Tile, Block, Brick, Concrete)
- ⑥ 4 specific household appliances (TV, Refrigerators / Freezers, Washing machines / Clothes dryers, Air conditioners)
- ⑦ Small appliances (Microwaves, Rice cookers, Fans)
- ⑧ Tatami, Mattresses, Sofas
- ⑨ Gypsum board, Slate, Siding
- ⑩ Hazardous Materials (Fire extinguishers, Kerosene stoves, Batteries)



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We apologize for any inconvenience caused in a disaster, but we appreciate your understanding and cooperation to dispose disaster waste as soon as possible.