



Fact Sheet



NARRABRI SHIRE
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Disposal of asbestos waste

Council has strict conditions for the acceptance of asbestos. It is essential customers follow directions before and during disposal to avoid asbestos exposure to themselves, staff, and other people.

Please note asbestos waste is only accepted at Narrabri Landfill. NO Rural Transfer Station in the Council area (being Boggabri, Wee Waa, Baan Baa, Bellata, Edgeroi, Gwabegar, Pilliga or Maules Creek) have approval from the EPA to accept asbestos waste.

Conditions of entry and disposal

To dispose of asbestos waste at Narrabri Landfill, the following conditions must be met:

- Pre-Booking for disposal made prior to arrival.
- Asbestos waste must be presented for disposal in the required format.
- On arrival at the facility, you must follow the directions provide by staff.

The following is not permitted

- Delivery of asbestos which is unwrapped or otherwise improperly presented.
- Unloading asbestos in an unsafe manner.
- Not following the directions of staff.
- Disposal of asbestos hidden in waste streams including green waste and building demolition waste which results in human and/or environmental harm. Council is subject to fines and regulatory enforcement, and ultimately liability and fines will be paid by the ratepayer.

How to book in asbestos waste for disposal

Asbestos waste is accepted **by appointment only**

- Monday to Friday 8:30am to 4:30pm
- Not on weekends or public holidays
- To make a booking for asbestos waste disposal at Narrabri Landfill, please phone **(02) 6799 6730** or **0427 101 125** at least 48 hours prior to disposal.
- You will need to supply your name, address, phone number, date of disposal, type of asbestos waste (Friable or Non-Friable) and approximately how much asbestos waste you have for disposal.

Please note that when booking in to dispose of asbestos waste at Narrabri Landfill, you will need to check the minimum requirement of wrapping for the type of asbestos that is being presented for disposal.

www.narrabri.nsw.gov.au/index.cfm?page_id=1142

Fees and Charges for asbestos waste disposal

Fees for the disposal of asbestos waste are available on Council's website at

www.narrabri.nsw.gov.au/fees-and-charges-1039.html

Penalties may apply

If the conditions outlined in this Fact Sheet are not followed for the disposal of asbestos waste at the Narrabri Landfill, you may be in breach of the *NSW Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* and *Protection of the Environment Operations (Waste) Regulation 2014* and could be liable for penalties.

