Use the correct absorbent mats, pillows or loose absorbent in the kit to clean up. Work from the outside to the inside of the spill. Use mats for quick absorbency, maximum spill coverage and for wiping up any residue that may be left on the surface. Use pillows to soak up larger volumes of liquids. Loose absorbent provide bulk absorbency and are great for removing spilled liquid that finds its way into cracks and crevices on rough surfaces.

Double bag your spent spill material and take to the Fort Knox CDD landfill. They can be reached at 502-624-9511.



DISPOSE OF USED ABSORBENTS

When the spill is under control, and the liquid is absorbed, remove the saturated absorbents, place them in a disposable bag, and take them to the CDD Landfill, located on Baker Road and place in the contaminated soil roll-off.

Spills happen fast and without warning. Having a spill kit at hand and learning these simple techniques will help you respond quickly and reduce the impact.



NOTE

Report the spill to the appropriate Division(s): EMD, Fort Knox Fire Department, 911, and Range Control if on the range.

Make sure you replace, refill, and inventory your kit.

For spills on water, booms should be placed downstream from the spill's origin. Position them with enough slack to allow them to float freely and for liquids to collect behind them. You can also position booms at a slight angle from the flow to help channel liquids toward recovery areas.

Sock or boom ends should be overlapped about 4"-6" to the inside of the spill flow. When the flow of the liquid is heavy or the terrain is uneven or sloped, you may need multiple layers of socks or booms to create an effective barrier.

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