

Safety Alert

 **CAUTION**

Do Not Pour Melted Agar Down the Drain



Correct Disposal Method for Melted Agar

Melted agar clogs drains. To properly dispose of melted agar:

1. First, allow melted agar to cool and solidify after autoclaving agar plates.
2. Then, place autoclaved bag containing agar plates in a regular waste container for custodian pickup.

Note: Unused, sterilized agar can be directly discarded in a regular trash bag after it becomes solid.