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## <u>Ribchester – 5 Stoneygate Lane</u> Waste Management Statement

Most of the waste generated within the property will be associated with the existing domestic dwelling, and the existing waste storage and collection arrangements will remain in place.

There is provision for recycling bins within the normal Ribble Valley Borough Council arrangements and bins are currently stored within the rear yard area and this arrangement will continue.

The following waste will be generated by the proposed Acupuncture Clinic and managed as follows:

- i). Waste not in direct contact with Patients: This category covers the majority of waste generated by the Practice and includes needle wrappings, waste paper and uncontaminated couch roll. This waste will be safely disposed of in double black bags in the normal commercial waste collection or at the discretion of the Local Authority, via the normal waste collection service.
- ii). Waste contaminated by contact with blood or body fluids: A small amount of waste may be generated which has come into contact with blood or body fluids. This will be put into appropriate orange bags and sealed for collection and disposal via a legally compliant clinical waste collection and disposal service.
- iii). Sharps: All sharps will be disposed of in yellow sharps bins and collected by a legally compliant clinical waste collection and disposal service.

All contracts and receipts for clinical waste collection will be retained for inspection.