

# TEXTILE BAGGING POLICY

This bagging policy ensures compliance to Department of Health HTM 01-04 Decontamination of linen and social care.



## HTM 01-04 - COLOUR CODING TEXTILE BAGGING POLICY

### USED LINEN HIRE ITEMS

E.g. Sheets, Pillowcases,  
Towels, Night Wear etc



White Elis Bag

### REJECTED LINEN



Rejected / Return  
Items Only  
Pink Elis Bag

### INFECTED LINEN HIRE ITEMS



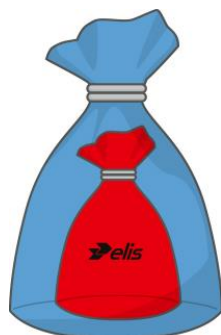
Dissolvable Red Bag  
Inside White Elis Bag

### HOSPITAL OWNED ITEMS



Blue Elis Bag

### INFECTED HOSPITAL OWNED ITEMS



Dissolvable Red Bag Inside  
Blue Elis Bag

### SURGEONS' GOWNS, THEATRE DRAPES



Green Elis Reusable  
Surgical Bag

### INFECTED SURGEONS' GOWNS, THEATRE DRAPES



Inner Dissolvable Red Bag  
Outer Green Elis  
Reusable Bag

**This supersedes all previous linen bagging policies, in  
adherence to Department of Health guidelines HTM 01-04**