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## Ivy Tech, Saint Francis, IPFW and Indiana Wesleyan Hosting U-Cycle Community Recyling Event May 19

Ivy Tech Community College-Northeast, University of Saint Francis, Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne (IPFW), and Indiana Wesleyan University are sponsoring a recycling day for the community on Saturday, May 19. U-Cycle will be from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. at Ivy Tech-Northeast and University of Saint Francis.

The schools are partnering with Disposal Alternatives Organization, LLC, (DAO) a comprehensive environmental organization focusing on recycling in addition to career training and targeted employment opportunities. Recycling materials is a great way to protect the environment while meeting the needs of others. The event expects to serve hundreds of households and reclaim thousands of pounds of waste.

Two Locations:

- Ivy Tech Coliseum Campus in the west parking lot area ( 3800 N. Anthony Blvd.)
- University of Saint Francis North Campus in the front drive (2702 Spring St.)

Recyclable items:

- For a fee of $\$ 5$ per item: mattresses, televisions and computer monitors
- At no cost: electronics, small and large appliances, bicycles, household goods, books, tools, musical instruments, clothing, paper, plastic, metal and food-grade glass will be accepted.
- Not accepted: chemicals, tires, windows, mirrors, plate glass or wood items (i.e. furniture).

Cash donations will be accepted to fund environmental initiatives on the campuses.

