



# Global perspectives on waste in post Covid-19 times

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# Waste in times of Covid-19

- Several guidance documents have been issued. A comprehensive list can be found on ISWA's website.
- ISWA considers three overall priorities for waste management during the period of the Covid-19 pandemic:
  - Waste management services should not be disrupted. Waste management workers, especially those in waste collection, should take additional precautions and ensure health & safety procedures to be protected by any potential infection by the waste streams and/or the equipment.
  - Recycling activities should be re-adjusted to avoid cross-contamination and infections.
  - The increased quantities of healthcare and medical waste should be safely treated and disposed of, making sure that they pose no risk for further infections and pollution.

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and lockdown orders.



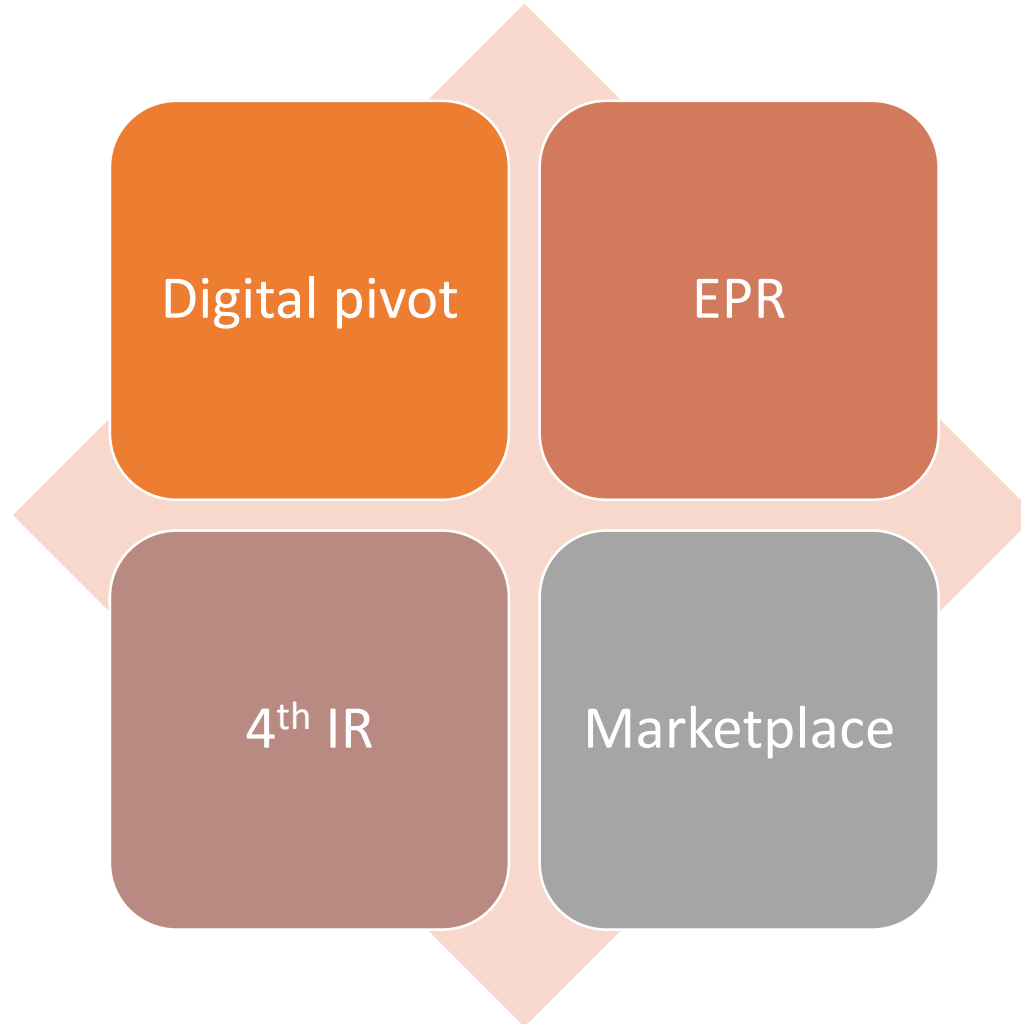
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