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Infectious Waste / Regulated Medical Waste Categories of Medical Waste

Waste Stream	Description	Storage & Labeling
Radioactive Waste	Unwanted radioactive material, including Thorium & Uranium compounds.	A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A
Hazardous Waste	Any unwanted or inherently waste-like material that because of its concentration, quantity, physical, or chemical characteristics (toxic, reactive, ignitable, or corrosive) is considered hazardous under RCRA	
Mixed & Combined Waste	 Waste with more than one category of hazard as follows: Radioactive: any quantity Chemical: > 1% Biohazardous: any quantity 	
Pharmaceuticals Waste	Unwanted prescription or over the counter human & veterinary drugs, if NOT a "controlled substance1" or radioactive material.	
Regulated Medical Waste	All biologically contaminated waste that could potentially cause harm to human/ animal health or environment.	
Pathological Waste	Animal carcasses/ tissues & unrecognizable human specimens/ tissues	*
Sharps	Sharp or pointed objects contaminated with biohazardous waste.	
Universal & Electronic Waste	All used batteries and equipment containing a circuit board.	WASTE WASTE WASTE
Non-Hazardous Waste	Uncontaminated solid trash. Non-infectious liquids.	
HIPAA Waste	Confidential documents	