

WASTE SEGREGATION MATRIX FOR SKILLED NURSING FACILITIES

BIOHAZARDOUS WASTE



Contained separately in a biohazard bag labeled with the words "Biohazardous Waste" or with the international biohazard symbol.



Blood tubing/bags/
hemovacs/pleuravacs



Suction canisters or liners
with bloody fluid or OPIM



All disposable items soaked
or dripping with blood or
other body fluids

SHARPS



All used sharps capable of cutting or piercing the skin (except those contaminated with chemo).



Needles / Syringes



Broken Ampoules



Blades

CHEMO WASTE (TRACE)



Waste that is contaminated through contact with chemotherapeutic agents. Labeled as "Incineration Only".



Tubing and empty bags



Needles / Syringes



Masks and gowns

PHARMACEUTICAL WASTE



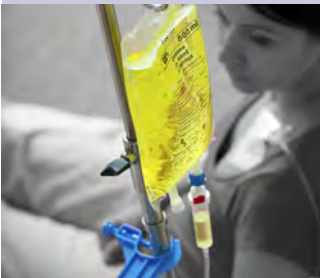
Includes all pharmaceuticals that are not a listed or characteristic RCRA waste, not a NIOSH hazardous drug, and not an investigative chemotherapy agent. Labeled as "Incineration Only".



Carpuest with residual meds



Syringes with residual meds



IV bags with residual meds

HAZARDOUS PHARMACEUTICAL WASTE



Hazardous R.C.R.A
Pharmaceuticals



Insulin



Flu Vaccines



Physostigmine

MEDICAL DEVICE RECOVERY



Compression Sleeves



Laparoscopic Instruments



Pulse Oximeters



Trocars

REGULAR WASTE



Food Packaging



Chux/underpads and
disposable patient items



Non Infectious Gloves



Masks and Aprons

RECYCLABLE WASTE



Non-confidential paper



Sterile packaging



Plastic bottles and drink cans



Uncontaminated cardboard