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Medical Waste Management

How to Package Medical Waste

Properly packaging your medical waste is required by local, state, and federal regulations. Generators are the companies producing the waste, as a generator you are responsible for the proper packaging.

COMPLIANCE TRAINING

Employees must understand how to properly classify, segregate, package, and seal medical waste for transportation.



USE THE RIGHT CONTAINER

Using the right medical waste container is a key factor in a successful medical waste management program.



SMALL SHARPS CONTAINERS

Small sharps containers can go right inside the medical waste box or bin, after being secured and sealed closed.



SECURING THE CONTAINER

If using a reusable container, secure the auto-locking flaps or secure the lid by snapping on (depends on the container design).



LABELING FOR TRANSPORT

(1) Generator's name, (2) Generator's address, and (3) Generator's phone number (24-hour number, if available).



DO NOT DISPOSE OF IN RMW

- DON'T put loose sharps directly inside red medical waste containers.
- DON'T dispose pharmaceuticals inside medical waste containers.
- DON'T dispose of waste from chemotherapy inside medical waste containers.



SAFE HANDLING

Educate employees, if employees do not understand the proper PPE to use or how to use it, they are likely to cause safety issues.



FOLLOW THE FILL LINE

Medical waste must not be filled past the fill line indicated on the side of the container.



SECURING THE BAG

For the bag use a gooseneck knot to prevent any leakage. You can also use a zip tie or tape to secure the knot if that's easier.



STORING MEDICAL WASTE

Store the waste in a manner that affords protection from weather, animals, and is secure from unauthorized access.



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