






# Regulated Medical Waste



## YES OK to place in red bag:

GLOVES	PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT	GAUZE	BANDAGES	BLOOD-SATURATED ITEMS
BLOOD & BODILY FLUIDS	CLOSED SHARPS CONTAINERS	PLASTIC TUBING	PATHOLOGICAL WASTE	TRACE-CHEMOTHERAPY WASTE

## NO Not OK for red bag:

 MEDICATION	 COMPRESSED GAS CYLINDERS	 LOOSE SHARPS	 HAZARDOUS & CHEMICAL WASTE	 RADIOACTIVE WASTE
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## Definitions

### Sharps:

Needles, syringes, broken glass, scalpels, culture slides, culture dishes, broken capillary tubes, broken rigid plastic and wires.

### Regulated Medical Waste:

A waste or reusable material known to contain or suspected of containing an infectious substance in Risk Group 2 or 3 and generated in the diagnosis, treatment, or immunization of human beings or animals; research on the diagnosis, treatment or immunization of human beings or animals; or the production or testing of biological products.

### Trace-Chemotherapy Contaminated Waste:

RCRA Empty drug vials, syringes and needles, spill kits, IV tubing and bags, contaminated gloves and gowns, and related materials.

### Pathological Waste:

Human or animal body parts, organs, tissues and surgical specimens

All regulations are subject to change.