

Chapter XXIII

Drugs, Biologicals, and Reagents

(Federal Supply Class (FSC) 6505)

A. GENERAL.

1. Follow instructions for RTDS or final disposal of FSC 6505 items found in DRMS-I 4160.14, Volume II, Chapter 4, paragraph B.31.

B. SPECIFIC

1. The FSC 6505 disposal mission does not include receipt of infectious wastes (e.g., known as “red bag” wastes”), vaccines, or radioactive items.

2. For purposes of ultimate disposal by hazardous waste service contract, DRMOs may accept both accountability, and physical custody, of FSC 6505 non-controlled items that meet the definition of a RCRA Subtitle C or state regulated waste when discarded. For example condemned, shelf-life expired, discolored, or defective items.

C. INTERNATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

International generators and DRMOs must evaluate medical items in FSC 6505 for hazard classification under Chapter 5, Hazardous Materials, and Chapter 8, Medical Waste of the applicable country-specific FGS or, in the absence of an FGS, with the OEBGD.