Management Standards for Hazardous Waste Pharmaceuticals and Amendment to the P075 Listing for Nicotine:

Changes for Healthcare Facilities

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Presumption –

Audience has previous knowledge of hazardous waste rules...

Terms used –

- Hazardous waste determination
 - Listed
 - Characteristic
- Generator status (size)
 - Very small, Small and Large quantity generators
- DEQ id number
 - Notification and annual reporting



Terms used continued –

Pharmaceutical hazardous waste = Hazardous waste pharmaceuticals Non-pharmaceutical hazardous waste = Other hazardous waste Non-hazardous waste pharmaceuticals = Pharmaceuticals that aren't hazardous



Pharmaceutical Rule and P075 Amendment



ultimate disposal

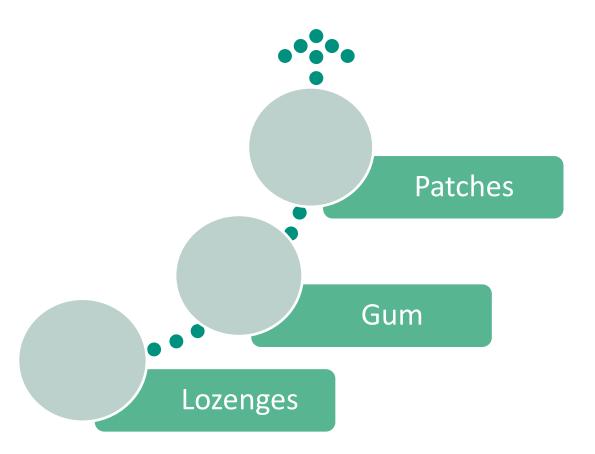


P075: Nicotine Replacement Therapies

P075 Amendment

P075¹54-11-5 Nicotine & salts

(Does not include patches, gums and lozenges that are FDA-approved over-the-counter nicotine replacement therapies)





Pharmaceutical Rule: What? Who?

- Pharmaceutical hazardous waste
- Healthcare facilities
 - Small or Large Quantity Generators for All their hazardous waste
 - pharmaceutical hazardous waste & non-pharmaceutical hazardous waste

hazardous waste pharmaceuticals + all other hazardous waste

Reverse distributors



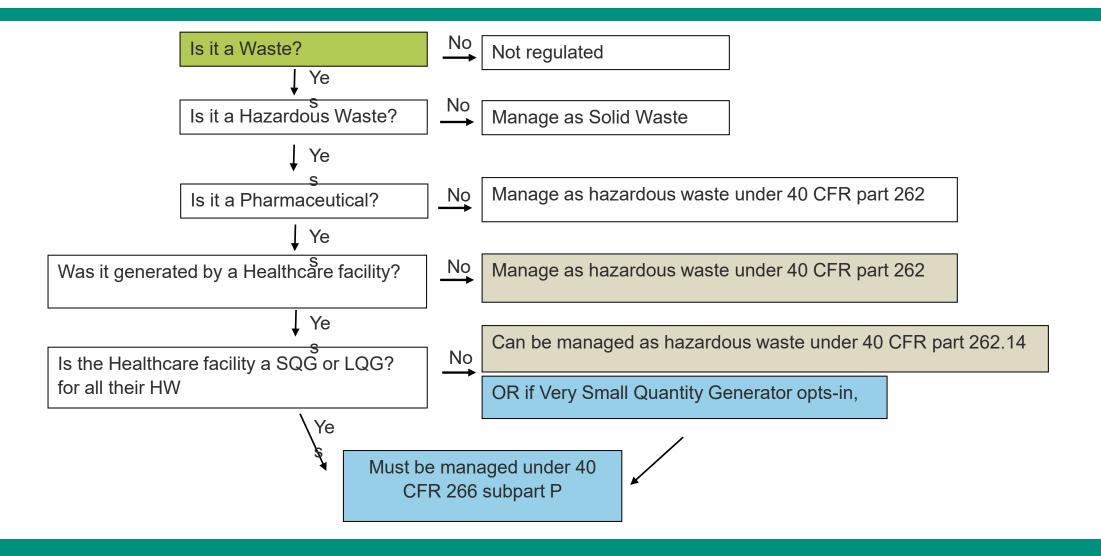
Sector and Waste Specific

Who is subject to the new Pharmaceutical Rule?

Are you automatically in because of your total hazardous wastes AND sector?



Pharmaceutical Rule Overview



DEQ

Pharmaceutical Examples (waste specific)

- Dietary supplements
- Prescription and OTC drugs
- Homeopathic drugs
- Investigational new drugs
- Residues of pharmaceuticals in non-empty containers
- PPE-contaminated with pharmaceuticals
- Cleanup material from spills of pharmaceuticals

Solvents??

Dental amalgam, sharps and medical waste ARE NOT pharmaceuticals

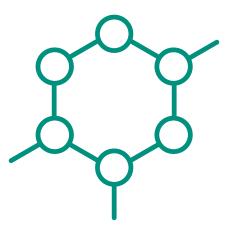


Pharmaceutical Hazardous Wastes ??

Arsenic Trioxide (P012) Nicotine (P075) Phentermine (P046) Physostigmine salicylate (P188) Warfarin >0.3% (P001) Epinephrine base (P042) Nitroglycerin (P081) Physostigmine (P204) Chloral hydrate (U034) Cyclophosphamide (U058) Dichlorodifluoromethane (U075)

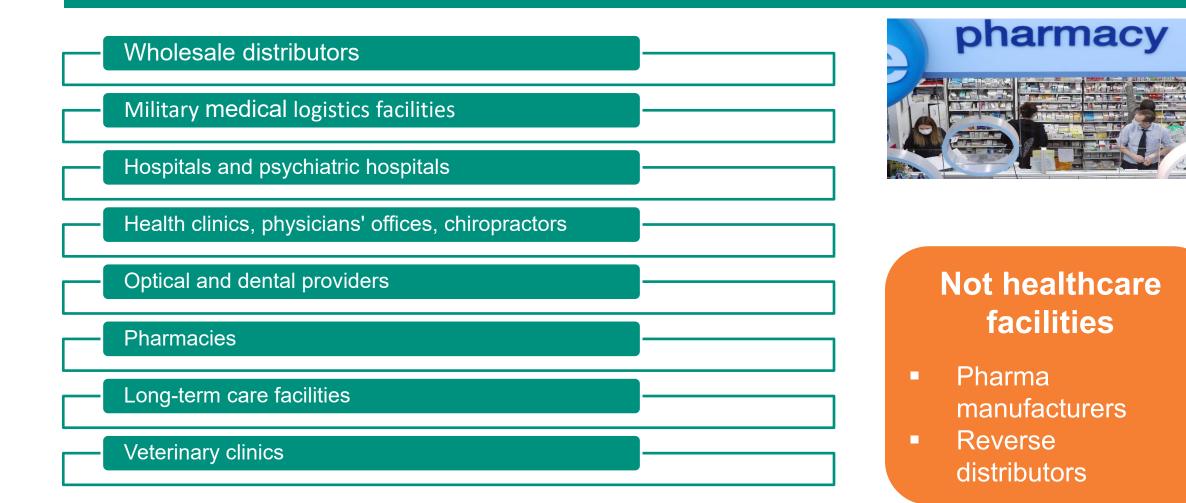
Diethylstilbestrol (U089) Hexachlorophene (U132) Melphalan (U151) Mitomycin C (U010) Phenol (U188) Resorcinol (U201) Selenium sulfide (U205) Trichloromonofluoromethane (U121)Uracil mustard (U237 Chlorambucil (U035) Daunomycin (U059) Lindane (U0129)

Mercury (U151) Paraldehyde (U182) Reserpine (U200) Saccharin (U202) Streptozotocin (U206) Warfarin \leq 0.3% (U248)

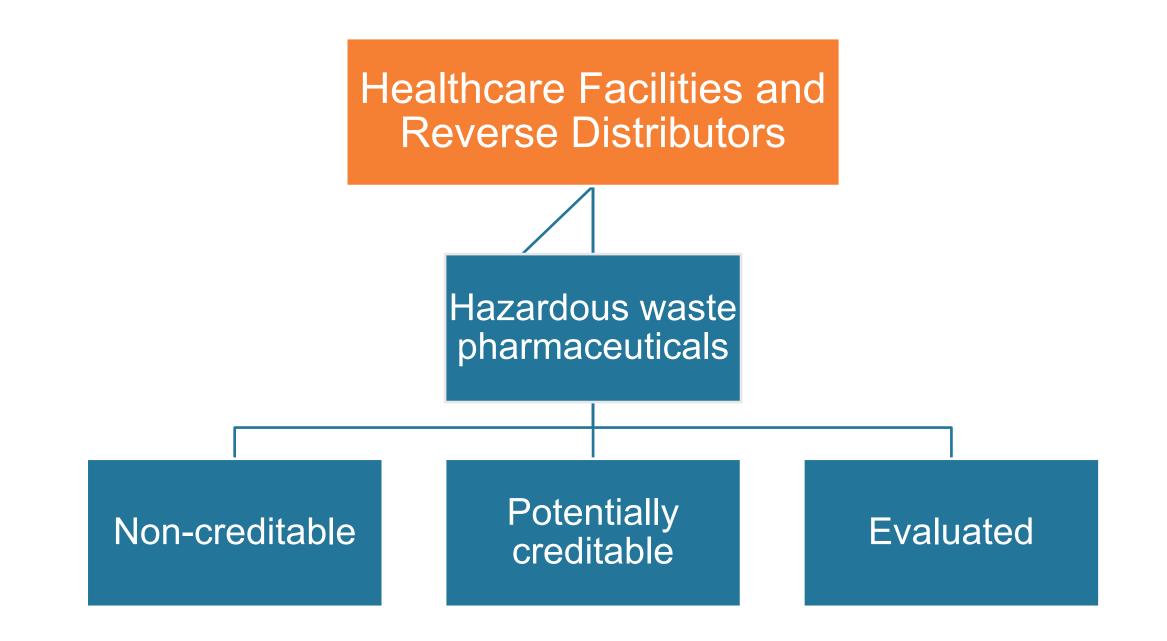




Healthcare Facilities (sector specific)













Different Pharmaceutical Hazardous Wastes

Non-Creditable

Prescription or nonprescription with no expectation of credit, and Broken or leaking Repackaged Dispensed

Expired >1 yr

Investigational new drugs

Contaminated PPE

Floor sweepings

Clean-up material



Potentially Creditable

Prescription with a reasonable expectation of receiving a manufacturer credit, and

In original manufacturer packaging

Undispensed

Unexpired or less than 1yr past expiration

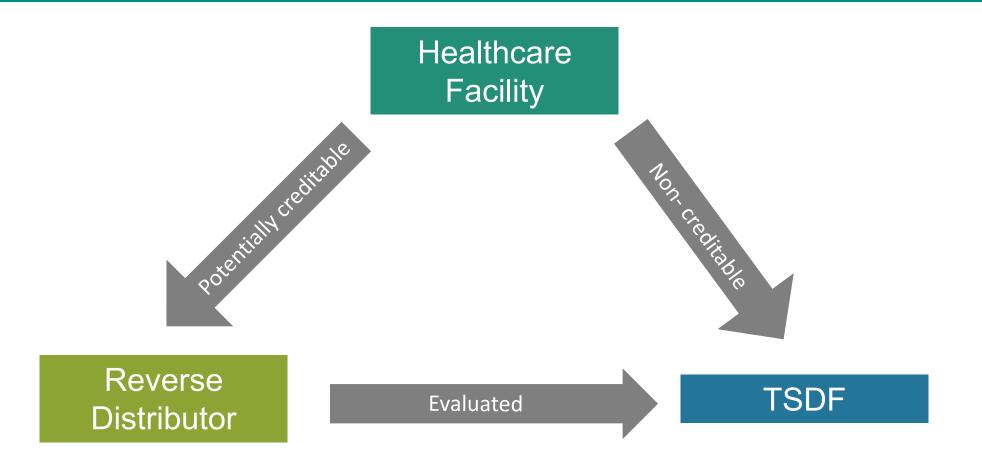


Evaluated

No further evaluation or verification of manufacturer credit is necessary



Pharmaceutical Rule: Waste Flow





Notification/withdraw - Healthcare Facility





Notify DEQ of activity as a healthcare facility or a reverse distributor – using the site identification form within 60 days of being subject to 266 subpart P If withdrawing as a Very Small Quantity Generator, notify DEQ using the DEQ site identification form

Must submit withdrawal before operating under 262.14 – must keep copy of withdrawal for 3 yrs from date of signature on withdrawal notification



Notification in YDO

14. Additional Regulated Waste Activities 1.Pharmaceutical Activities (operating under 40 CFR Subpart P for the management of hazardous waste pharmaceuticals)

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Healthcare Facility

Reverse Distributor

1a. Withdrawing from Pharmaceutical Activities



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Yes

Yes

Yes

Withdraw in YDO

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1.Pharmaceutical Activities (operating under 40 CFR Subpart P for the management of hazardous waste pharmaceuticals)	• Yes	⊖ No	
Healthcare Facility Reverse Distributor			
1a. Withdrawing from Pharmaceutical Activities	O Yes	⊖ ^{No}	
If withdrawing from pharmaceutical activities, "No" must be selected for "Pharmaceutical Activities".			
In order for a Healthcare Facility to withdraw from Subpart P, Generator Status must not equal Large Quantity Generator (LQG) or Small Quantity Generator (SQG).			



Healthcare Facilities Management Standards

	Non-creditable HW Pharms	Potentially creditable HW Pharms
Notification	✓ Healthcare	facilities Notify
Labeling	Hazardous waste Pharmaceuticals	None
Container standards		None
Max accumulation time	1- year (UW like)	None
Biennial reporting	*None	*None
Employee training		None?
Weekly inspections	None	None
Manifest	PHARMS or PHRM	None

*No reporting – just notify; *VSQGs opt-in/withdraw*



Container Standards/Labelling - Healthcare Facility

	Potentially creditable	Non-creditable
Container standards	*No	-Yes-
Labelling	*No	Hazardous waste Pharmaceuticals

*Remember potentially creditable definition



Accumulation Time - Healthcare Facility

	Potentially creditable	Non-creditable
Accumulation time limit	*None	-Yes- One year or less -Label each container with date -Inventory system -Designated area

*Remember potentially creditable definition



Employee Training - Healthcare Facility

Potentially creditable

• No

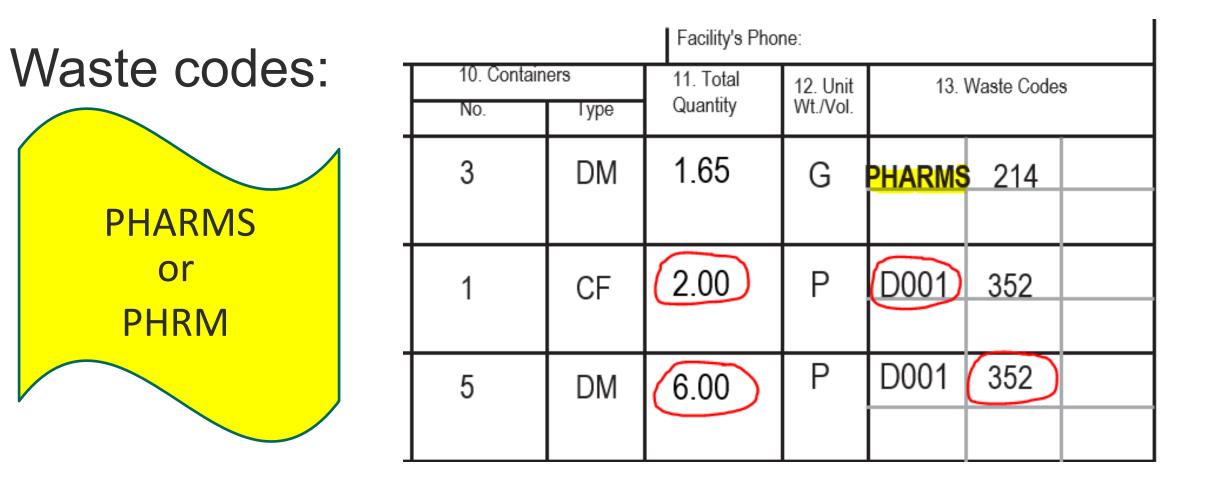
Non-creditable



 Yes - must ensure all personnel managing non-creditable hazardous waste pharmaceuticals are thoroughly familiar with *proper waste handling* and *emergency procedures* relevant to their responsibilities during normal facility operations and emergencies.



Manifesting non-creditable hazardous waste pharmaceuticals



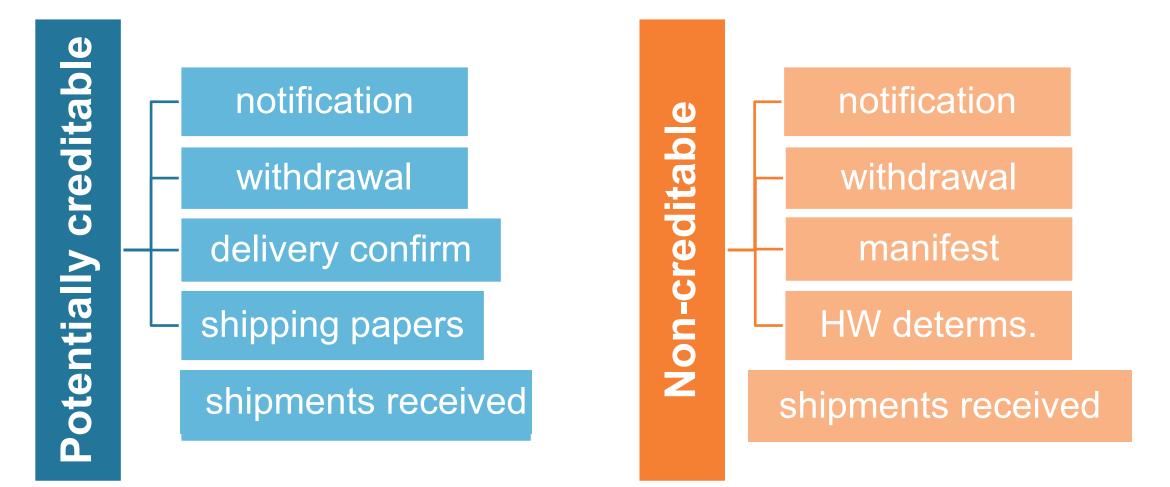


Shipping - Healthcare Facility

	Potentially creditable (49 CFR parts 171-180, if Haz Mat)	Non-creditable (containers for shipping)
	*49 CFR 171.8 – NOT a HW	
Packaging	-	49 CFR parts 172, 173 and 180
Labelling	-	49 CFR parts 172 subpart E
Marking	-	49 CFR parts 172 subpart D
Placarding	-	49 CFR parts 172 subpart F
Manifesting	NO	40 CFR 262 Subpart B
Delivery Confirm	receive delivery confirm	receive signed manifest



Recordkeeping – Healthcare Facility





Pharmaceutical Rule: VSQG Optional Provisions

VSQGs - for both HW Pharma and non-pharma HW:

- May send potentially creditable pharma to Reverse Distributor
- May send "*HW pharma" to another Healthcare Facility
 - HCF meets 266.502(I), 503(b)
- May send HW pharma to an LQG
 - VSQG meets 262.14(a)(5)(viii), LQG meets 262.17(f)

Long-term Care Facilities that are VSQGs:

- May dispose HW pharma, with exceptions, in on-site receptacle of a Drug Enforcement Agency authorized collector
- With 20 beds or less is presumed to be a VSQG



Pharmaceutical Rule: Empty Containers

Type of Container	RCRA Empty: Non-Acute HWP	RCRA Empty: Acute HWP
Stock/Dispensing Bottles (1 liter or 10,000 pills) and Unit Dose Containers	Remove Contents	Remove Contents
Syringes	Fully Depress Plunger	Fully Depress Plunger
IV Bags	Fully Administer Contents If not empty, then meet <u>40 CFR §</u> <u>261.7(b)(1)</u>	Fully Administer Contents If not empty, then manage as non-creditable HW pharma
Other Containers (includes, but is not limited to: inhalers, aerosols, neutralizers, and tubes or ointments, gels or creams)	Meets <u>40 CFR § 261.7(b)(1) or (2)</u>	Cannot be RCRA Empty. Manage as non-creditable HW pharma

DEO

Pharma and P075: Oregon Adoption

P075: Adopted by reference.

Pharmaceutical Rule:

- Adopted by reference, except less than 20 bed long-term care facility Very Small Quantity Generator presumption - OAR 340-100-0002(3)
- Tailored to Oregon state rules OAR 340-102-0500
 - Notification on Oregon Site Identification form
 - Reverse Distributors report annually to DEQ, not biennially to EPA
 - For empty container residuals follow 110 gals not 119 gals per DEQ definitions



Benefits for Healthcare Facilities

for hazardous waste pharmaceuticals

- Accumulate on site for 1 year
- Basic training requirements
- No longer -
 - large generator for 1 kg of acute hazardous waste
 - subject to satellite accumulation area rules
 - specify hazardous waste codes on manifests
 - perform weekly inspections
 - report annually to DEQ

for hazardous waste pharmaceuticals



Prohibitions for Healthcare Facilities

for hazardous waste pharmaceuticals

- Must not be sewered
- Pharmaceutical hazardous waste must end up at a permitted hazardous waste facility for final disposal
- Only potentially creditable hazardous waste pharmaceuticals can be sent to a Reverse Distributor



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