



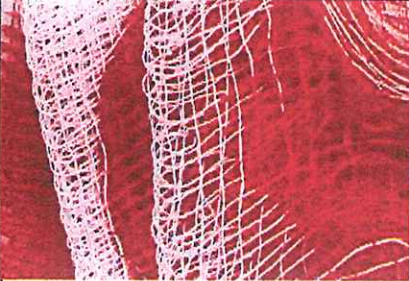





HEALTHCARE RISK WASTE

CLASS	CONTAMINATED/ INFECTIOUS	SHARPS	ANATOMICAL	PHARMACEUTICAL
CONTAINER COLOUR				
TYPE OF WASTE				
NOTES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All contaminated (blood and bloody fluids) items. Ex. Gloves, swabs, dressings ect • Do not overfill the containers and ensure they don't weigh more than 15kg • Storage period: 14 days 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Sharps • Mounted securely. Ensure that the lid is securely fitted before • Never fill above the fill line • Storage period: 90 days 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any Human Tissue, body fluids, body parts • Storage period: If not refrigerated – 72 hours If kept at 4°C – 1 week If kept at -2°C – 90 days 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All expired medication • Schedule 1 – 4 needs to go into a plastic green container • Schedule 5 -7 needs to go into a metal container. • A register needs to be kept of all items that is placed in the container