

**§482.53(b)(2) - There is proper storage and disposal of radioactive material.**

**Survey Procedures §482.53(b)(2)**

- Verify through observation and document review that radioactive materials, including radioactive waste, have appropriate storage and disposal.
- Determine how the hospital disposes of unneeded radio nuclides and radio pharmaceuticals.
  - Are these methods in accordance with Federal and State laws, regulations and guidelines?
  - Are the methods described in hospital policy?