

# **RADIOACTIVE WASTE ACCUMULATION AREA BASIC RULES**

1. All waste has been placed in the proper packaging or container, and packages or containers are in good condition, labeled, and surveyed.
2. Radioactive waste bags are J-sealed and RWCFs or ANMWCFs and supporting characterization documentation have been completed for each waste item.
3. Liquid Low-Level Radioactive Wastes (LLLRW) is placed in secondary containment.
4. Wastes are segregated by classification (i.e., Decay-in-storage, accountable waste, liquid waste, mixed waste, LLRW, etc.)
5. Appropriate spill-control equipment is located in or adjacent to the accumulation area.
6. No waste has been staged for  $\geq 90$  days.
7. Aisles are clear of obstructions and can be easily accessed.
8. Area is periodically surveyed and current dose rates are posted in accordance with the [BNL Radiological Control Manual](#).
9. At a minimum, the accumulation area is inspected monthly.

**QUESTIONS?**  
**Contact the Radioactive Waste Program Manager**  
**Call ext. 7251 or 7488**