

Hazardous Chemical Categories:




Radioactive Materials

RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS ARE DANGEROUS!


A radioactive material is any material giving off a specific amount of radioactive energy.

Radioactives can also be described as materials which spontaneously emit ionizing radiation.



Radioactives include a wide variety of materials such as:

 nuclear fuel  medical supplies and equipment  radium-dial watches


The Physical Effects of Radiation

 may not be apparent for weeks, months or even years after exposure.

Always

-  Limit the time you spend in close proximity to radioactive materials.
-  Use appropriate labels and placards when transporting radioactive materials.

Remember

-  Handle all hazardous materials according to directions on the material's MSDS or warning label.

