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## BMP Dental #9

TITLE: Lead Foil Recycling

Regulatory Citation: 6 NYCRR Part 374-3

Applicability: Lead Foil contained in X-Ray film packets.

**Purpose:** Proper handling of lead foil.

## Person or Department Responsible: Dental HygieneTechnical Assistant

- **Schedule:** End of spring semester
- **Procedures**: All lead foil removed from X-ray film packets -shall be placed into a container labeled "**Lead Foil**" located in the Radiology dark room. At the end of the spring semester the Dental Hygiene Technical Assistant will contact the Director of Environmental, Health and Safety. The Director will arrange transportation and recycling of the lead foil to one of the approved scrap metal recycling vendors. A C-7 notification to the NYSDEC must be on file specifically for lead foil for any company the College ships to. The Director of EHS is responsible for filing the C-7 notification

**Record keeping:** Shipping receipt and C-7 notification

Record Location: EHS office, environmental files

Current recycling vendor: Freedman's, Green Island, NY and others

**Contact:** Dental Hygiene Technical Assistant (629-7405 or 7481) Director of Environmental, Health and Safety (629-7163)