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<td>• Fentanyl patches • HYDOcodone • Morphine • OxyCODONE Some controlled substances will be incompatible to place in these containers, there will be a message on the Pyxis indicating that you call a Pharmacist for waste management</td>
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<td>• Trace PPE • Empty Chemo IV Bags • Empty Chemo Vials Anything that is not considered EMPTY is disposed in <strong>BLACK Bin</strong></td>
<td>YES – Empty sharp in <strong>YELLOW</strong> Partial sharp in <strong>BLACK</strong></td>
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<td><strong>CHEMO</strong></td>
<td>For TRACE (Empty) Chemotherapy Waste with biohazardous/ infectious waste symbol</td>
<td>• Needles • Broken glass vials/ ampules (that did not contain chemotherapy nor characteristic and/or P-/U-listed drug)</td>
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<td><strong>Additional Waste</strong></td>
<td>For sharps (i.e. needles, broken glass vials/ampules)</td>
<td>• Blood and blood product in plastic containers • Body fluids • Blood-saturated materials • Blood transfusion tubing and bags • Chest tubes</td>
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<td>Used on NURSING UNITS for biohazardous items and used IV bags and sets. (These are NOT for Regular Trash &amp; NOT for Sharps)</td>
<td>• Empty IV bags • Medication wrappers • Uncontaminated gloves</td>
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<td>• IV solutions or IVPB containing any of following • Potassium chloride • Potassium phosphate • Sodium phosphate • Calcium • Sodium bicarbonate • Dextrose SodiumChloride</td>
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