

## Ministry of Health and Seniors

## **Department of Health**

# **Application to Register Radiation Emitting Device**

Occupational Safety and Health Regulations 2009 (Section 156c)
The Radiation Act 1972

Section A. Operator/Owner Information

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ection A. Operatory	Owner information		
Name of Owner:			
	First Initial	Middle Initial	Surname
Business Address:			
	Building # Address		
Parish and Postal Code:			
Phone:			
	Business No.	Cellular No.	Fax No.
E-mail:			
Name for Billing if Different			
Name of Operator:			
	First Initial	Middle Initial	Surname
Business Address:			
	Building # Address		
Parish and Postal Code:			
Phone:			
	Business No.	Cellular No.	Fax No.
E-mail:			
Radiation Safety Person (same as above?)	YES/NO		
If NO, provide additional contact information.			

# **Section B. Equipment/ Machine Information**

Enter the NUMBER of radiation machines (X-RAY tube heads, radioisotopes...) in the applicable block(s).

1. MEDICAL X-RAYS AND MRI	6. INDUSTRIAL/EDUCATIONAL X-RAYS (Non-human use)
D. P 1	Industrial radiographers must submit copy of operating and safety
Radiographic	procedures, training program, radiographer qualifications
Fluoroscopic	Non-cabinet Radiographic
Radiographic/Fluoro (one tube)	Non-cabinet Fluoroscopic
Mammographic	Diffraction
Bone Densitometer	Spectrometry
CT Scanner	Fluorescence
MRI	Gauge
Therapy	Cabinet
Other (describe in C below)	Ion Implanter (< 1 MeV)
2. DENTAL X-RAYS	Baggage
Intra-oral	Other (explain in comments)
Panoramic, Cephalometric, Combination	7. RADIOISOTOPES INDUSTRY, EDUCATION AND RESEARCH (Enclose list in C)
3. MEDICAL ACCELERATOR (describe in C below)	Sealed Sources
Electron linear	Open Sources
4. VETERINARY X-RAYS	Build in the equipment
5. RADIOISOTOPES MEDICAL (Enclose list in C)	8. ELECTROMAGNETIC RADIATION IN COMMUNICATIONS
Sealed Sources	Broadcast RF facility
Open Sources	Open field RF heating devices
Built in the equipment	
Enter Yes (Y) /No (N) in the applicable block(s) below.	
1. Enclosed copy of the specifications of the machine	4 Facility designed by an architect

2. License Conditions received and accepted	5. Facility dr	awings approved by Medical	Physicist		
3. Maintenance documentation available	6. Quality Co	ontrol and Safety Information	available		
Radiation Equipment Information (use additional forms if necessary)					
1 Manufacturer's Name Model	Number	Serial Number	Date of Purchase		
	Number	Serial Number	Date of Purchase		
3 Manufacturer's Name Model	Number	Serial Number	Date of Purchase		
COMMENTS: Please use the following space to enter any additional information.					

Safety tests on all radiation units are carried out at least once every (2) years. **The ultimate goal for monitoring is to assure production of the highest quality imaging at the lowest reasonable dose.** The level of testing for diagnostic x-ray units is at Accreditation level.

Annual licenses are issued on the 1st July.

All units have a Department of Health ID# affixed.

Licenses and licensing conditions are to be displayed in a prominent position visible to clients.

# Important: Any changes to the address or operator information must be reported to the Department of Health.

## X-ray equipment operators and users of radioactive materials should:

- Be aware of the radiation hazards associated with their work
- Know their duty to protect themselves, their patients and others
- Have a thorough understanding of their profession, of safe working methods and of special techniques
- Be conscientious in the use of prepare techniques and procedures, strive to eliminate or reduce to lowest practical values all patient and staff exposures.

By the signature below, the registrant acknowledges this is an accurate record of the equipment and intended use.

Signature	Position
Print Name	Date
Office Use Only	
Bermuda Radiation Device Number(s)	Bermuda Radiation Office Number

# **Appendix A: Shielding Calculations**

In addition to the completed application and information provided please utilize the checklist on the following pages to provide the information necessary for the calculation of appropriate shielding.

## **Factors Used for Calculation**

## Typical Workloads Table (NCRP 2004)

	Total Workload per patient	Typical Number of Patients (per 40 hour week)		Total Workload per week (mA min/week)	
	(mA min/patient)	Average	Busy	Average	Busy
Radiographic Room (chest)	0.6	120	160	75	100
Radiographic Room (other)	1.9	120	160	240	320
Dedicated Chest Room	0.22	200	400	50	100
R and F <sup>a</sup> Room (radioscopic system)	13	20	30	260	400
R and F <sup>a</sup> Room (radiographic system)	1.5	25	40	40	40
Angiography Room (cardiac)	160	20	30	3,200	4,800
Angiography Room (other vascular)	64	20	30	1,300	2,000

## **Occupancy Factors Table**

T=1	Administrative offices and receptionist areas, laboratories, pharmacies and other areas fully occupied by an individual, attended waiting rooms, children's indoor play areas, adjacent X-ray rooms, image viewing areas, nurses' stations, X-ray control rooms, living quarters.
T=1/2	Rooms used for patient examinations and treatments.
T=1/5	Corridors, patient rooms, staff lounges, staff rest rooms.
T=1/8	Corridor doors.
T=1/20	Public toilets, unattended vending areas, storage rooms, outdoor areas with seating, unattended waiting rooms, patient holding areas.
T=1/40	Outdoor areas with only transient pedestrian or vehicular traffic, unattended parking lots, vehicular drop off areas (unattended), attics, stairways, unattended elevators, janitor's closets.

## **Primary Barrier Factors Table**

Primary	Primary Barrier			
U=1	Floors of radiation rooms, walls containing a vertical image receptor; any other walls, doors or ceiling areas routinely exposed to the direct radiation beam.			
U=1/4	Doors and wall areas of radiation rooms not routinely exposed to the direct radiation beam.			
U= 1/16	Ceiling areas of radiation rooms not routinely exposed to the direct radiation beam.			
Seconda	Secondary barrier			
U=1	The use factor for secondary protective barriers is always taken to be 1.			

# Utilizing the checklist below please provide information on the following:

Information Required for Radiographic X-ray Systems			
Floor Plan (scaled blueprint or sketch) including:			
	Dimensions of the X-ray room, and location of the control booth if present		
	Location(s) of the X-ray tube, X-ray table, wall mounted imaging device, CR reader, etc.		
	Direction(s) of the radiation beam during normal operation		
	Distance(s) between the areas to be shielded and the operational position of the X-ray tube		
	Location of the control panel and irradiation switch		
	Identification of all adjacent rooms, including those rooms located above and below, e.g., offices, storage rooms, crawl spaces, etc.		
	The designation of the area to be shielded, controlled area (for radiation workers), or uncontrolled area (for non-radiation workers and the public)		
	The Occupancy and Use factors for the areas to be shielded		
Medical X-ray Eq	uipment		
	Manufacturer, brand name and model number of the X-ray system(s)		
	Maximum selectable tube voltage (kV)		
	Maximum selectable tube current (mA) or maximum selectable tube current time product (mAs)		
	Maximum selectable irradiation time (sec)		
	For film screen system: the manufacturer, type and speed of film screen combination used		
	For CR system: the manufacturer and brand name of CR reader and storage phosphor system used		
Equipment Workload			
	Number of patients per week		
	Average tube voltage per procedure (kV)		
	Average current time product per patient (mAs)		

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Information Required for Radioscopic X-ray Systems				
Floor Plan (scaled blueprint or sketch) including:				
	Dimensions of the X-ray room, and location of the control booth if present			
	Location(s) of the X-ray tube, X-ray table, image receptor, image display units, etc.			
	Direction(s) of the radiation beam during normal operation			
	Distance(s) between the areas to be shielded and the operational position of the X-ray tube			
	Location of the control panel and irradiation switches			
	Identification of all adjacent rooms, including those rooms located above and below, e.g., offices, storage rooms, crawl spaces, etc.			
	The designation of the area to be shielded, controlled area (for radiation workers), or uncontrolled area (for non-radiation workers and the public)			
	The Occupancy factor for the areas to be shielded			
Medical X-ray Eq	uipment			
	Manufacturer, brand name and model number of the X-ray system(s)			
	Maximum tube voltage (kV)			
	Maximum tube current time product (mAs)			
	Number of X-ray tubes on the system			
Equipment Workload				
	Number of patients per week			
	Average tube voltage per procedure (kV)			
	Average current time product per patient (mAs)			

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	Information Required for CT Systems			
Floor Plan (scaled	Floor Plan (scaled blueprint or sketch) including:			
	Dimensions of the X-ray room, and location of the control booth			
	Location(s) of the gantry, patient support, etc.			
	Distance(s) between the areas to be shielded and the position of the gantry			
	Location of the control panel and irradiation control			
	Identification of all adjacent rooms, including those rooms located above and below, e.g., offices, storage rooms, crawl spaces, etc.			
	The designation of the area to be shielded, controlled area (for radiation workers), or uncontrolled area (for non-radiation workers and the public)			
	The Occupancy factor for the areas to be shielded			
Medical X-ray Eq	uipment			
	Manufacturer, brand name and model number of the CT system			
	Maximum tube voltage (kV)			
	Maximum tube current time product (mAs)			
	Isodose curve for the system (to be provided by the manufacturer)			
Equipment Work	Equipment Workload			
	Number of patients per procedure type per week			
	Average tube voltage per procedure (kV)			
	CDTI <sub>100</sub> and DLP values, if known			

## For information only:

Thickness		Thickness Wei for 1 Square F	
Inches	Millimetre Equivalent	Nominal Weight	Actual Weight
1/64	0.40	1	0.92
3/128	0.60	1 1/2	1.38
1/32	0.79	2	1.85
5/128	1.00	2 1/2	2.31
3/64	1.19	3	2.76
7/128	1.39	3 1/2	3.22
-	1.50	-	3.48
1/16	1.58	4	3.69
5/64	1.98	5	4.60
3/32	2.38	6	5.53
-	2.50	-	5.80
-	3.00	-	6.98
1/8	3.17	8	7.38
5/32	3.97	10	9.22
3/16	4.76	12	11.06
7/32	5.55	14	12.90
1/4	6.35	16	14.75
1/3	8.47	20	19.66
2/5	10.76	24	23.60
1/2	12.70	30	29.50
2/3	16.93	40	39.33
1	25.40	60	59.00

#### Notes:

- 1. The density of commercially rolled lead is 11.36 g cm-3.
- 2. The commercial tolerances are  $\pm$  0.005 inches for lead up to 7/128 and  $\pm$  1/32 for heavier sheets.
- 3. Lead sheets less than 1/32 inches thick are frequently more expensive than heavier sheets in cost of material and cost of installation.

Tables and Forms are adopted from Canada Safety Code 35 By Josip Nosil, Sc D., Medical Physicist and MOH Radiation Inspector.