

## **CuriePortal<sup>SM</sup> - Radiation Portal Training & Response Services**

### **Seven Risk Management Questions:**

1. Are you prepared in the case of a portal alarm for radioactive material?
2. Do you have written Standard Operating Procedures to deal with a portal alarm situation?
3. Are your hand-held radiation detection instruments calibrated annually?
4. Do you have a designated employee and a designated back-up who know how to use the equipment (portal and hand-held instruments) and understand the readings?
5. Are your employees trained per OSHA Ionizing Radiation Standards in 29 CFR 1910.1096?
6. Are you able to alleviate employee concerns concerning radiation doses in the case of a portal alarm?

**If you cannot answer YES to ALL six of these questions, then you need the CuriePortal<sup>SM</sup> program.**

**OR**

7. Have you (or know somebody that has) ever unknowingly shipped radioactive material in an outbound load of scrap or waste?

**If you cannot answer NO, then you need the CuriePortal<sup>SM</sup> program. You need proactive operating procedures at your facility in order to avoid the time and expense required to resolve a “hot” outbound load.**

Curie Environmental Services provides radiation protection services for facilities that utilize a radiation portal monitor. Typical industries covered include:

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| Scrap Metal Recyclers          | Solid Waste Landfills                           |
| HHW Collection Facilities      | Solid Waste Transfer Stations                   |
| Hazardous Waste TSD Facilities | Medical Waste Transfer and Treatment Facilities |

The goal of the CuriePortal<sup>SM</sup> program is to ensure facility personnel have the knowledge to respond to an actual portal alarm and how to isolate the radioactive material that entered the facility.

The CuriePortal<sup>SM</sup> program is offered via an annual subscription plan that will include:

- A review of existing facility procedures related to radiation safety and operational procedures
- Recommendations, if needed, for revised Standard Operating Procedures
- An on-site training program to ensure compliance with the OSHA Ionizing Radiation Standards in 29 CFR 1910.1096
- Portal monitor and survey meter calibration
- Ongoing regulatory support by phone and e-mail consultation with a Curie Radiation Specialist

CuriePortal<sup>SM</sup> subscribers enjoy discounted professional services for actual portal alarms including:

- On-site isotope identification and quantification
- Radioactive materials management: packaging/transportation/recycling/disposal

Do you have radioactive material currently stored at your facility? Curie is the disposal expert. We can help.