

<b>Subject:</b>  <b>Eating, Drinking, and Smoking in Radiologically Controlled Areas</b>	<b>Effective Date:</b>  May 12, 2004	<b>Initiated by:</b>  Head, ES&H & Infrastructure Support
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It is PPPL's policy to prohibit all eating, drinking and chewing (i.e., tobacco, gum, candy, etc.) in Radiologically Controlled Areas (RCAs), as defined in ES&HD 5008, Section 10.

This policy is in accordance with OSHA, good industrial practice, and ALARA policies. Areas appropriate for personnel to eat, drink and chew are located outside of the radiologically controlled area boundaries.

Smoking is prohibited in all PPPL buildings.

### **Reference**

10CFR 835, Occupational Radiation Protection  
29 CFR Part 1910.141.g.2, Consumption of Food and Beverages on the Premises  
ES&H 5008, Section 10, Radiation Safety