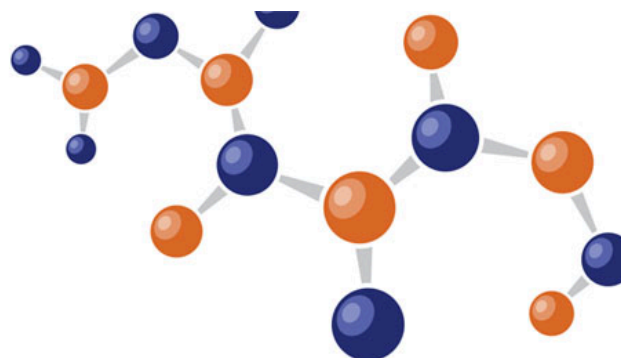






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Radioactive waste laws in Brazil were designed according to the volume of radioactive waste produced. However, the laws and regulations do not classify nor provide guidance on the disposal of disused sealed radioactive sources (DSRS), a special category of radioactive waste due to its particularities with high potential for damage. Therefore, this work aims to propose specific regulations for disposing DSRS, which is essential for the continuity of radioactive waste disposal, since the current regulations do not offer the most adequate treatment for DSRS, in addition to being completely out of step with disposal in practice.

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