

SAMPLE TABLE

PORTABLE ELECTRONIC DEVICE (PED) MITIGATION

The following table will assist in determining what PED functionalities need to be mitigated, how to mitigate them, and what PED capabilities are allowed or prohibited

PED Functionalities	Introduction Permitted	Approval and Registration Required	Mitigation Required Prior to Use	PED Use Permitted
Single-function RF receiver (Pager, AM/FM Radio, etc.) ¹	Yes	No	None	Yes
CD Player ²	Yes	No	None	Yes
Medical devices ³	Yes	No	None	Yes
Infrared (IR) capability	Yes	Yes	Metal Tape ⁴	Yes
PEDs with microphone ports	Yes	Yes	Disable wiring or use adapter/erase plug ⁵	Yes
Single-function cell phone ⁶	Yes	No	Battery removed ⁷	No
MP3 players ⁸	Prohibited			Prohibited
RF transmitter ⁹	Prohibited			Prohibited
Wireless transmitting capabilities	Prohibited			Prohibited
Privately owned laptops	Prohibited			Prohibited
PEDs with recording capabilities (photographic, video or audio, with the exception of mitigated microphone ports)	Prohibited			Prohibited
Removable storage media for privately owned, non-laptop PEDs (i.e. memory sticks, thumb drives, flash memory.)	Prohibited			Prohibited
Privately owned PEDs capable of connecting to systems within the SCIF without interface cables or cradles ¹⁰	Prohibited			Prohibited

1. RF Receiver may not have external cabling or contain any internal or external connectivity capabilities.
2. CD players capable of playing CD, CD-R, CD-RW, and MP3 formats are permitted. Only commercially produced media is allowed. No personally produced audio media is allowed in the SCIF.
3. Medical devices (e.g. hearing aids, amplified telephone handsets, heart pacemakers, etc.) are exceptions to these requirements and are allowed with written approval.
4. Metal tape must be a minimum of 3 mils (.003 inch) thick and completely cover the IR port while within SCIF.
5. Microphone wires must be cut/disabled on non-laptop PEDs. An adapter/erase plug must be inserted into laptop external microphone ports. Any adaptor that is designed for the external microphone port may be used provided that the adapter does not provide any functionality other than disabling the internal microphone.
6. Single-function cell phone is defined as a cellular phone with no additional capabilities (can only be used for voice communications over a cellular network, storage of speed dial and caller ID information is permitted).
7. Cell phones must be turned off and the battery removed while in the SCIF. In addition, multi-function cell phones must be approved and meet all other mitigation requirements.
8. PEDs with MP3 functionality (algorithms) that meet all other mitigation requirements are allowed.
9. RF transmitter is defined as any radio frequency transmitter, except single-function cell phones that are addressed separately.
10. Excludes properly mitigated IR functionality. Cables and cradles for privately owned PEDs are prohibited.