

R2V3 VS R2 CERTIFICATION

DMD Systems Recovery Inc. (DMD) holds industry-leading certifications for delivering IT Asset Disposition (ITAD) services including R2v3 and with four R2v3 appendices: Downstream Recycling Chain, Data Sanitization, Testing and Repair, and Brokering.

R2V3

R2v3, created in 2020, focuses on responsible recycling **AND DATA PROTECTION**.

R2:2013

R2, created in 2013, focuses on responsible recycling.

PURPOSE OF R2 CERTIFICATIONS

R2 was designed as a minimum standard for environmental responsibility by maximizing the lifespan of IT assets and the responsible recycle of end-of-life electronics including hazardous materials.

KEY CHANGES IN PROCESS REQUIREMENTS

Requires downstream vendors that perform tests and repairs to be certified **with R2v3 and QMS**.

DOWNSTREAM RECYCLING CHAIN

Requires downstream vendors that perform tests and repairs to be certified with R2.

Requires EHSMS certifications and adherence to NIST Guidelines for Media Sanitization **with an enhanced level of physical and logical data sanitization**.

DATA SANITIZATION

Requires EHSMS certifications and adherence to NIST Guidelines for Media Sanitization.

Requires testing on device functionality and verification of device condition **and certified in QMS or RIOS**.

TESTING & REPAIR

Requires testing on device functionality and verification of device condition.

Requires proper management of all asset transfers to downstream vendors with documentation **and QMS and EHSMS certification conformance for all brokering activities**.

BROKERING

Requires proper management of all asset transfers to downstream vendors with documentation.

WHY THE CHANGE...

R2v3 was created to reflect the progression towards environmental responsibility and data destruction of all IT assets by increasing the level of difficulty and responsibility facilities must adhere to for processes, procedures, and documentation to be R2v3 certified.

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