## **ACRONYMS**

APF Assigned Protection Factor

APRs Air-Purifying Respirators

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

DOT Department of Transportation

EPA Environmental Protection Agency

GHS Globally Harmonized System

HASP Health and Safety Plan

HazCom Hazard Communication

HAZMATs Hazardous Materials

HAZWOPER Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response

HBV Hepatitis B Virus

HCS Hazard Communication Standard

HCV Hepatitis C Virus

HIV Human Immunodeficiency Virus

IC Incident Commander

ICS Incident Command System

IDLH Immediate Danger to Life and Health

MSHA Mine Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NRC Nuclear Regulatory Commission

OPIM Other Potentially Infectious Materials

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

OSH Act Occupational Safety and Health Act

PAPRs Powered Air-Purifying Respirators

PELs Permissible Exposure Limits

PPE Personal Protective Equipment

RCRA Resource Conservation and Recovery Act

RELs Recommended Exposure Limits

SARs Supplied-Air Respirators

SCBAs Self-Contained Breathing Apparatuses

SDS Safety Data Sheet

SOPs Standard Operating Procedures

TLVs Threshold Limit Values

TSDFs Treatment, Storage, and Disposal Facilities