

Pinellas Plant – Key Historical Milestones

1957



Weapons production begins.

1960s



Expansion of neutron generator production.

1970s



Additional weapons components and specialized manufacturing.

1980s



Continued production, changing technologies, evolving radiation protection.

1993



Defense production phase-out announced.



Over nearly four decades of defense production, the Pinellas Plant experienced evolving missions, technologies, and radiation protection practices—creating a complex historical record that must be carefully evaluated in assessing occupational radiation dose reconstruction.