

LABORATORY EMERGENCY PROCEDURE CARDS

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Public Safety	Newark/Wilmington Campus Phones 911
	Georgetown/Lewes Campus Phones (9) 911
	From a cell phone (302) 831-2222
	Red Phones in hallways
Environmental Health & Safety	(302) 831-8475
Student Health	(302) 831-2226
Poison Information Center	(9) 1-800-222-1222

ACCIDENT REPORT INFORMATION

- Accident report forms are available: Online at <http://www.udel.edu/ehs/generalhs/indhygiene/injury-reporting.html> or contacting your departmental administrative staff
- Please submit completed copy to your departmental Safety Chair

For additional emergency situations please refer to
<http://www.udel.edu/ehs/generalhs/emergency-response.html>

RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL SPILL/SPLASH

RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL SPILL	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alert others in the area Survey hands, shoes and clothing of all workers in the lab for contamination 	
<i>Is the spill totally confined on a labeled radioactive work surface AND a small volume (less than about 50 mL)?</i>	
YES	NO
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Contain the spill 2. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (gloves, goggles, lab coat) 3. Use disposable materials for cleaning and place in appropriate radioactive waste container 4. Conduct a contamination survey to assess success of the clean-up effort 5. Document spill and post-cleaning survey results in lab radiation notebook 6. Contact EHS if assistance is required or clean-up is unsuccessful 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Stop the spill from spreading (if safe to do so) by covering spill with absorbent material 2. Prevent access to affected area in lab 3. Contact either EHS during normal business hours or UD Public Safety after hours 4. EHS will conduct the cleaning with lab assistance

BODY CONTAMINATION <small>(Includes skin, clothing, or internal contamination)</small>	EYE CONTAMINATION
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Alert others in area 2. Contact either EHS during normal office hours or UD Public Safety after hours 3. Detain worker, remove all contaminated clothing, and perform gentle, repeated washing of affected area with mild detergent until EHS arrives 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Alert others in area 2. Immediately flush eyes while simultaneously removing contact lenses (if applicable). Flushing should continue for 15 minutes while holding the affected eye(s) open between finger and thumb 3. Contact for emergency assistance 4. Report incident to EHS as soon as practicable

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