

HAZARDOUS MATERIAL RELEASE

BEFORE

- 1. Be familiar with your hazardous materials and associated Safety Data Sheets (SDS).
- 2. Understand you work area's safety procedures and location of safety equipment and spill kit.
- 3. Be familiar with the locations of the eye wash and safety shower stations in all laboratory spaces you work in.

DURING

- 1. Notifications:
 - a. Call 911 if the situation is life-threatening.
 - b. If not life-threatening call UOPD at (541)346-2919 and request Environmental Health and Safety assistance.
- 2. Containment and Control
 - a. Notify others in the area of the release.
 - b. Contain the spill with absorbent materials and, if applicable, follow proper neutralization procedures as outlined in the SDS.
 - c. Protect interior and exterior drains, if safe to do so.
 - d. Avoid inhalation of air contaminants.
 - e. Leave the contaminated area and prevent access to the release area.
 - f. Obtain SDS and provide it to incident responders.

3. First Aid

- a. Rinse exposed skin or eyes for at least 15 minutes.
- b. Remove contaminated clothing and place in a liquidtight, closed container.
- c. Assist others if safe to do so. Use protective equipment.

AFTER

- 1. Review incident with affected parties and subject matter experts.
- 2. Identify root cause and implement prevention measures.



Ensure materials are secured properly.



Prevent spills of potentially hazardous materials from entering sewer drains.



Notify first responders.

EMERGENCY: 911 EHS: (541)346-3192 UOPD: (541)346-2919



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