

LAB SAFETY AWARENESS WEEK

We're All in this Together!

Safety is everyone's responsibility!

When each person in the lab does their part, the lab is a safer place to work.

- Avoid working alone in the lab. Notify others if solitary work cannot be avoided and have someone periodically check in.
- Review standard operating procedures and follow them carefully.
- Review chemical [Safety Data Sheets \(SDS\)](#) and be knowledgeable about the hazards of the chemical being handled and waste disposal.
- Frequently check hazardous waste accumulation storage areas and arrange for [disposal](#) as needed. Avoid accumulating large amounts of hazardous waste.
- A clean lab is a safe lab! Keep areas tidy and organized.
- Include safety topics in your lab, school, and departmental meetings.
- Review and share EH&S [onboarding resources](#) with new faculty and staff.
- [Email EH&S staff](#) for support in safely achieving research goals.