

LAB SAFETY AWARENESS WEEK

We're All in this Together!

Laboratory Safety is most effective when integrated into the daily workflow.

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.
- EHS is here to support the academic community in safely achieving their research goals.