**Lab Safety Handout**

**There is NOTHING that anyone else can do that will keep you safe if you are not an alert guardian of your own safety.**

**Being smart is NOT enough.**

The equipment in this lab has been designed or selected with safety in mind. But that does not eliminate all risks.

**Guidelines:**

**Appropriate dress**

Full shoes or boots - no sandals

Long pants or dress - no shorts or short skirts

**Appropriate behavior**

Avoid startling, surprising, or disruptive behavior.

If you are aware of something that you think is unsafe – say something!

For instance:

* bare electrical wires
* unsafe behavior of others
* trip or slip hazards
* chemical hazards
* suspicious smells

If needed, say something to the TA or professor.

**At the start of each lab**

Be aggressive in knowing the risks and safety issues.

Ask, if not told.

Know where the MSDS sheets are, if applicable.

Know the number for emergencies.

**Print Student Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Student Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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