Laboratory Sign

Example

In Case of Emergency Call 911

Department: Chemistry

Lab Supervisor/Principal Investigator: Jane J. Smith

Emergency Contacts for Laboratory

Name	Office Location	Office Phone	Home Phone
Jane J. Smith	244	257-5555	257-5556
David R. White	222	257-4321	268-1234
John C. Doe	123	257-4322	268-1235

Special Hazards: High-pressure reactions, water-reactive materials

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Department: enter the faculty/P.I. or lab supervisor's department

Lab Supervisor/Principal Investigator: enter first name, middle initial, followed by full last name

Emergency Contacts for Laboratory: enter prompted information for faculty/P.I. or lab supervisor. These are individuals to be contacted in the event of an emergency within the laboratory. Types of emergencies would include but not be limited to: fire, chemical spills/releases, injuries to employees/students, failure of control equipment, etc.

Special Hazards: enter severe or unusual hazards. Examples would include:

- Unstable chemicals
- Carcinogens, mutagens, and teratogens
- High-pressure reactions
- Water-reactive materials
- Cryogens
- Corrosives

It is important to recognize that a special hazard need not be identified as a proportionately hazardous substance. The quantity of the substance, the ease of penetration of its container or risk of its release by fire, and the probability of harming emergency response personnel are the true measures of the hazard level.

The primary intent of this section is to communicate to emergency personnel that special hazards (severe or unusual chemical hazards) are located within your laboratory. To indicate specifically where within the laboratory these hazards are located is not required. This information will also serve as notice to visitors of these hazards.

<u>Note</u>: The information in this sign must be updated immediately in the event of any change of emergency contacts or special hazards.

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Template

Cut line

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Lab Supervisor/Principal Investigator:

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Name Office Location Office Phone Home Phone

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