

2022 Log of Changes

UW Laboratory Safety Manual (LSM)

Section	Description of Change
Forward	Added Forward stating the manual has been approved by the Institutional Chemical and Physical Safety Committee (ICAPS)
	For all references to information on particularly hazardous substances, removed mention of Appendix G and added link to https://www.ehs.washington.edu/resource/particularly-hazardous-substances-655
Lab specific information	Added hyperlinks to EH&S resources and tools
Section 1. B 2 a	Added to the responsibilities of the department: assign suitable space for intended lab use, follow design guide for remodel or new build, follow safety guidelines for moving and surplus, ensure new RPs have required safety training.
Section 1. C 1j	Added information on service pets in laboratory areas, per UW admin policy 46.6
Section 1C2	Expanded responsibilities for departments to include obtaining hazardous material permits
Section 2-B-1	Updated MyChem link and wording
Section 2-B-2	Updated instructions for adding chemicals in MyChem, removed reference to MyChem user guide (there is no such guide)
Section 2D2	Added storage guidance for nonflammable solvents
Section 2, D 2 table 2.1	Updated information about two points of restraint for compressed gas cylinders
Section 2G6	Updated information and links to be specific to reproductive toxicants. Information on chemotherapy and hazardous drugs was moved to section 2G13
Section 2, G 9	Added requirement to label compressed gas piping systems
Section 2G13	Added section to address chemotherapy and hazardous drugs, included links to EH&S page and resources
Section 3A	Added link to waste evaluation form
Section 3C1	Added link for Empty Chemical Containers focus sheet to provide guidance on rinsing containers to be reused for waste

Section 4-C-1	Replaced laboratory caution guide with new version
Section 4 F	Added information, best practices, and links to guidance and templates for laboratory equipment maintenance
Section 5B2	Updated guidance on lab-appropriate clothing and accessories
Section 5B2	Added information and link on medical laundry
Section 7 C 1	Expanded training expectations for undergraduate students
Section 8A5	Updated guidance and guidelines for safety training record retention
Section 8B	Add clarification of "obsolete" records.
Appendix B	Added definition for Extremely Hazardous Waste (EHW)
Appendix E, Section 4	Removed reference to MyChem training, updated MyChem contact info

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