We work with chemicals, sharp objects, and giant magnets. Let's keep ourselves, our labmates, and visitors safe!

Link to MANDATORY online lab safety training: [http://learn.med.yale.edu/chemsafe-intro/welcome.html](http://learn.med.yale.edu/chemsafe-intro/welcome.html)

Form for minors in labs (12-17): [http://provost.yale.edu/faculty/policy/minors-in-labs](http://provost.yale.edu/faculty/policy/minors-in-labs)

Form for visitors in labs: [http://provost.yale.edu/faculty/policy/visiting-students-in-labs](http://provost.yale.edu/faculty/policy/visiting-students-in-labs)

**First-order Safety Concerns:**

1. Remind newcomers & visitors to the lab about the magnet. Use the floor marking as a guideline for safe distance for pacemakers, computers, and credit cards.

2. Gas cylinder deliveries & gas cylinder moves must happen through the office or around the other side of the lab-- no gas cylinders are to be transported in front of the magnet.

3. Close-toed shoes, long pants, chemical-resistant gloves, lab coats and safety glasses are imperative for chemical work.

4. Safety glasses and lab coats must be provided to visitors to the lab. Extra safety glasses can be found in the supplies cabinet. Un-labeled lab coats on the hooks are available for loan. Eyeglasses do not count as safety glasses.

5. All solvent work must be done in the hood.

6. No glass, needles, syringes, or razor blades in the trash. Use red sharps containers on counters.

7. Do not pour any chemicals down the sink. Use labeled organic or inorganic bottles in hood. Rinse stubborn material with solvent into waste bottles.

8. Label all vials so if there is a spill and you are not there we know what to do.

Please see attached documents for detailed descriptions of waste protocols and list of required trainings.

**Waste pickups**

The safety officer should schedule waste pickups as necessary. Forms can be found from Yale EH&S at the addresses listed below:

**Chemical waste:**

See attachments below for "Chemical Waste Pickup Form" which should be filled out and e-mailed to waste.requests@yale.edu
Biomedical waste (red needle boxes packed in large cardboard biohazard boxes):

http://ehs.yale.edu/forms-tools/biom...-waste-request

If possible, please attach any pickup forms to this page.