Instructions for Printing Safety Signs and Labels

The document links on this page are designed to for personnel to print safety signage for immediate use.

All signs are PDF files that print a standard 8 ½ by 11 inch formatted document. Some are full color; others are designed to be printed on colored paper. A PDF viewer is needed to print these signs. If you need a reader, go to http://www.uab.edu/ohs/copyright-credits.

Stickers for marking equipment and doors are designed to print on standard sized adhesive labels. The corresponding Avery template with dimensions is listed below.

If you have difficulty printing signs or require additional templates to be made available please contact OH&S at 934-2487.

The following large stickers use Avery 5164 shipping labels (3.33" by 4"):

Biohazard (medium)

Cancer Hazard

Caution Acid

Caution-Base

Caution-Oxidizer

Caution-Poison

Caution-Water Reactive

Chemical Storage

Chemical Waste for Incineration

Designated Area-Highly Toxic

Dry Ice Refrigerant Label

Emergency Notification

Hazardous Chemical Waste

No Drain Disposal (to be placed near cup sinks)

Universal Waste

The following small stickers use Avery 5161 address labels (1" by 4")

Biohazard (small)
Flammable Storage
Food Only
No Flammable Storage
No Food Storage

Signs (8 ½" by 11") to be printed on indicated color paper only:

Biohazard (red paper)
Caution-Acid (yellow paper)
Caution-Base (yellow paper)
Caution-Chemical Storage (yellow paper)

Caution-Designated Area Highly Toxic (yellow paper)

Caution-Designated Area Select Carcinogens (yellow paper)

Caution-Oxidizer (yellow paper)

Caution-Poison (yellow paper)

Caution-Water Reactive (yellow paper)

Emergency Eyewash (white paper)

No Drain Disposal (white paper)

No Gloves Beyond This Point (white paper)

Notice-Chemical Storage (yellow or white paper)

Satellite Accumulation Area (white paper)

Warning Highly Toxic Materials in Use (yellow paper)

Other Resources

The following documents, forms and links may also be useful for maintaining laboratory safety and providing required documentation. Where applicable, printing instructions are written next to the link.

Laboratory Monitoring Form

Eyewash Testing Log - print on 8 ½" by 11", (lamination or water proof sleeve recommended for posting)

Laboratory Safety Plan Template (does not include radiation protocol)

Drain Disposal Log