

# EMERGENCIES

## Fire/Evacuation

- Activate the nearest fire alarm
- **Call 911 from campus phone or 205-934-3535 from cell phone**
- Proceed to the nearest exit
- Use the stairs – NO elevators!
- Assist those with disabilities
- Meet at the designated area
- Account for all individuals
- Wait for an all clear signal

## Medical Emergency

- **Call 911 from campus phone or 205-934-3535 from cell phone**
- Give the operator the:
  - Location
  - Your name
  - A phone number
- Stay on the phone until the operator releases you
- Move the injured person ~~if~~ only danger is imminent
- Have someone meet first responders at the location

## Chemical Spill

### Large Spill

- **Call EH&S at 205-917-4766**
- **911 from campus phone or 205-934-3535 from cell phone**
- Give the operator the:
  - Type of material
  - Size of spill
  - Possible exposure
- Evacuate the area/building
- Wait for an all clear signal

### Small Spill

- Get the spill kit
- Don PPE and follow the spill response procedure
- Clean the spill only if you have appropriate spill kit and the training

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## Hazardous Materials on the Body

### Large Spills

- Locate and get under the safety shower immediately
- Remove clothes and continue to shower for 15 minutes
- Seek medical attention immediately if needed

### Small Spills

- Rinse the exposed area with large amounts of water for 15 minutes
- Seek medical attention if needed



## Hazardous Materials in the Eyes

- Flush with water for 15 minutes at the eye wash station
- Open the eyelids and force water into the eyes
- If wearing contacts, wash once and remove the contacts.
- Continue to wash for 15 minutes without the contacts
- Seek medical help as soon as possible



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