

# Safety Rules for the Physics Lab

1. Do not perform unauthorized experiments.
2. Keep quiet and disciplined, and observe cleanliness in the lab.
3. Wear lab coat, safety goggles, protective gloves and a surgical mask when needed.
4. For your protection, jewelry should not be worn in the lab.
5. Tie back long hair.
6. Wear shoes which completely cover the feet. Sandals, open-toed shoes are not permitted.
7. Do not wear contact lenses.
8. Eating, smoking and drinking are not allowed in the lab.
9. Be aware of the location of the exits, fire extinguishers, fire blankets, safety shower, eye wash, first aid box and emergency phone numbers.
10. All aisles must be kept open all times.
11. Please exercise caution when dealing with electrical devices.
12. Don't touch any equipment or electrical supplies without specific authorization.
13. Examine all apparatus for defects before performing any experiment. Don't use damaged, cracked defective glassware. If you break a thermometer or find a broken thermometer report it to your lab technician immediately.
14. If the fire alarm sounds you must evacuate the building via the nearest exit.
15. Before leaving the lab makes sure that your work area is clean and tidy. Ensure that all Bunsen burners and water taps and all electrical devices are completely turned off.