### LABELS and POSTING SAMPLES ENTRANCE/DOOR POSTING

The purpose of the entrance posting is:

- To inform persons entering the area that hazardous materials are present; and
- To supply emergency responders with contact information regarding access to or information about the area. The emergency contact information must be complete and upto-date.

CAUTION
This Area Contains Hazardous Chemicals
Building/Room Department
Emergency Contact Information
Name
Campus Phone #
Home Phone #
Office Location

### LABELS and POSTING SAMPLES DESIGNATED AREA

The purpose of the "designated area posting" is to inform individuals that precautionary measures must be observed because highly hazardous substances are in use. Only trained individuals should work there. The area should be decontaminated as appropriate. Chemicals used in a designated area may include carcinogens, reproductive hazards, and substances with highly acute toxic effects such as volatile or extreme poisons. OSHA defined theses types of chemicals as "<u>Particularly Hazardous</u> <u>Substances</u>" (PHS).

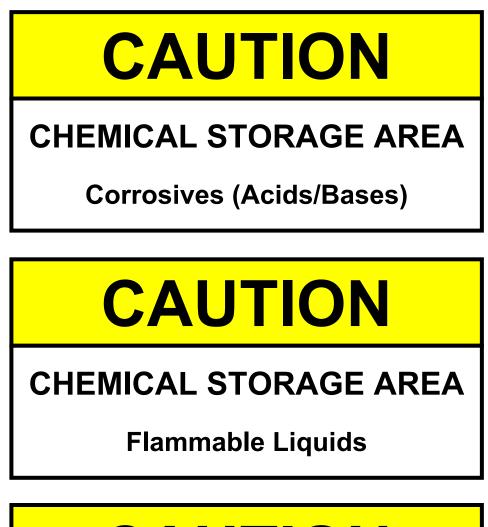


Particulary Hazardous Substance May Be In Use

CAUTION
This Area Contains Compressed Gas Cylinders
Building/Room Department
<b>Emergency Contact Information</b>
Name

### LABELS and POSTING SAMPLES STORAGE AREA

The purpose of labeling or marking storage areas is to indicate that hazardous materials are stored inside cabinets (those without glass doors). It also assists users in returning items to a safe storage location helping reduce potential hazards and exposures in the event container contents accidentally mix together if a spill or fire occurs.



# CAUTION

CHEMICAL STORAGE AREA

**Poisons or Toxics** 

### LABELS and POSTING SAMPLES

#### **REFRIGERATORS and OTHER EQUIPMENT**

The purpose of labeling equipment that could be used for lab use or food/drink use is to avoid cross contamination of contents to reduce potential for exposure by ingestion. Label equipment such as domestic refrigerators and ovens and ice machines.

Domestic refrigerators also need to be labeled "Do Not Store Flammables in This Refrigerator." Flammable liquids should never be stored in domestic refrigerators because vapors can accumulate inside it and an ignition source such as the refrigerator's light switch or thermostat can cause the vapors to ignite or explode.



## CAUTION

Do Not Store/Use Flammable Liquids Within

Unit is Not Explosion-Safe Flammable Vapors May Ignite