

## Hazardous Material Spills

A hazardous material (HAZMAT) spill is a situation in which harmful substances are released into the environment.

1. If a Hazardous Material spill occurs:
  - Call Campus Safety and Security to notify them of the spill, and provide the exact location & nature/extent of the spill.
  - Call 911 & notify Campus Safety and Security to notify them of any injuries sustained from the spill.
2. Actions to take during a Hazardous Material spill:
  - Isolate the affected area immediately, and evacuate the contaminated area to a safe location.
  - Alert others to stay clear of the area, & post a warning sign (if possible).
  - If skin is exposed to chemicals, remove contaminated clothing & use safety shower.
  - If chemical touches your eyes, immediately rinse your eyes and inner surface of eyelid with water.
3. If a Hazardous Material spill occurs, an emergency alert will be sent to provide information regarding the location and scope of the incident, as well as actions to take (if any).