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Division of Environmental Health and Safety (Storrs)

The mission of the Division of Environmental Health and Safety (EHS) is to provide comprehensive environmental health and safety services for the University community to prevent personal injuries and maintain regulatory compliance in the areas of biological, chemical, occupational, and radiation safety, thereby supporting the University’s mission of teaching, research, and public service.

EHS strives to provide the highest level of service for UConn’s faculty, staff, students, and visitors. We achieve this by delivering comprehensive safety training, assessing workplace risks, managing hazardous materials and regulated waste, providing consultative services, and performing workplace inspections, audits and accident investigations. EHS provides these services in partnership with faculty, staff, and students in its commitment to promote and maintain a safe and healthful campus and work environment.

We are here to help!

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The goals and activities of the EHS staff at UConn Health mirror those at Storrs, with a keen focus on the specific needs of research being conducted in a clinical setting. We are dedicated to providing comprehensive services to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of researchers, medical professionals, and support staff alike with services relating to:

- Biosafety
- Chemical Safety
- Radiation Safety
- Infection Control
- Workplace Ergonomics
- Extensive Training Programs

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