

Rules for Minors in Laboratory Settings at the University of Northern Iowa

1. **Complete and follow** safety training specific to the hazards in a laboratory setting.
2. Following the instructions of the sponsor or laboratory supervisor.
3. Never participate on a scheduled assignment alone in any laboratory setting without direct adult supervision from the sponsor or someone designated by the sponsor.
4. Follow general safety rules in laboratory settings, including but not limited to:
 - Wear closed-toe shoes while in any laboratory setting.
 - Tie back long hair to keep it out of all hazards that may be found in laboratory settings.
 - Never eat, drink, chew gum, apply lip balm, or touch contact lenses while in any laboratory setting.
 - Wear clothing that reduces the amount of exposed skin.
5. Wear personal protective equipment as directed and dispose of it appropriately. This personal protective equipment includes goggles, gloves, coats/gowns, and other face or body protection as dictated by the hazard with which you are working. Remove personal protective equipment when leaving the work area.
6. Immediately report any accident (regardless of severity) to the sponsor or laboratory supervisor.
7. Keep your hands away from your face and wash them well with soap and water prior to leaving any laboratory setting and after removing gloves.
8. **Ask questions** if you do not understand the safety requirements.

**BY MY SIGNATURE BELOW, I SIGNIFY THAT I HAVE READ THE RULES STATED ABOVE,
UNDERSTAND THEM, AND AGREE TO FOLLOW THEM.**

Printed Name of Minor _____

Signature of Minor _____ Date _____

Printed Name of Parent/Legal Guardian _____

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian _____ Date _____