Site Specific Training

Applicable Farm:

Dairy Teaching and Research Center

The PI should meet with the manager prior to the start of their project or course to determine where research and teaching supplies will be stored.

1) Chemical Safety

All users of the dairy farm are required to provide procedure training for their staff. In addition, they also provide their own spill kits and sharps containers.

2) Biological Safety

All users of the dairy farm provide their own biological safety manuals and training to their staff. They dispose of their own biological waste generated from a trial. They also have their own PPE and take care of the cleaning of it.

3) Bloodborne Pathogens

Dairy Farm users provide their own sharps containers and are responsible for the monitoring and labeling of them. Full sharps containers are placed in the laboratory in the office building and are picked up by MSU EHS. Principal investigators or their laboratory managers are responsible for the cleanliness and disinfecting of each of their work areas and personal protection equipment.

4) Emergencies

Emergency contacts and emergency response information are posted at the farm entrance and classroom.

Eye wash stations can be found in the shop, milk mixing room, and milkhouse.

The farm is equipped with fire extinguishers.

Farm management is trained on what to do in case of an emergency. If someone hired by a PI or lab is injured, it is the responsibility of their direct supervisor to act in the case of an emergency and fill out the correct injury reports.