

Occupational Health and Safety

956-3204

This program is responsible for the identification, evaluation and control of workplace hazards, such as asbestos, chemical exposure, indoor air quality, excessive noise, ergonomics, and other potentially hazardous conditions. General occupational health and safety issues are addressed and consultations are available upon request.

Laboratory Safety

956-5097

This program monitors employee exposures to chemical and physical hazards in campus laboratories. Safety equipment such as laboratory chemical hoods, emergency showers, and eyewash stations are periodically tested. Laboratory audits conducted periodically or upon request. Laboratory safety training and workplace evaluation available upon request.

Hazardous Materials Management

956-3198

This program monitors the transportation, segregation, consolidation, identification and storage of potentially hazardous materials/chemicals in compliance with EPA and DOT regulations. Ultimate disposal of hazardous waste at mainland sites. Materials exchange and waste minimization assistance also provided.

Diving Safety

956-9643

This program is responsible for the authorization of UH faculty, staff, student and volunteer scuba divers working under UH auspices; evaluation and approval of dive plans; training and program support, including advanced and scientific diving techniques, diving rescue, diving first aid, equipment inspection and authorization services; and investigation of SCUBA diving accidents.



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Environmental Health &
Safety Office ensures safe
campus environments
through the development
and administration of
health and safety
programs critical to your
university experience.**

Fire Safety

956-4954

This program ensures a fire safe campus environment by emphasizing compliance with applicable fire and building codes through comprehensive building fire inspections. Review of Mānoa campus project designs with emphasis on life safety issues. Responsible for the inspection and maintenance of all fire protection equipment on the Mānoa campus. Fire extinguisher use training is available upon request.

Environmental Compliance

956-9173

This program facilitates adherence to various Federal and State environmental laws by: interpreting regulatory applicability, consulting with agencies such as EPA and DOH, conducting audits and training, reviewing projects/plans for environmental compliance, and acquiring necessary permits. Focus areas include, water quality (e.g., NPDES permits, storm water runoff, cesspool closures, and sediment control), soil contamination, AST spills/maintenance, and hazardous materials release reports.

Radiation Safety

956-6475

This program monitors regulatory compliance with respect to use, storage and disposal of radiation sources. Provides information about radiation protection to personnel and surveys all areas in which radioactive materials are used. Manages the Laser Safety Program and ensures the use of laser; registers all Class 3B and 4 lasers used systemwide. Evaluates the use of microwaves and other RF antennas safety for building and ground installation.

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