Health & Safety Matters

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New Starter

Welcome to Suzie Lynn our new Health and Safety Administration Officer.

Visit the <u>contact us</u> page for all of the Health and Safety Services teams specific areas of expertise and contact details.

Clarification of Emergency procedures

If you need to call for an emergency service, please call the Community Safety Team (024 765 22222 or 22222 on an internal phone) and confirm the exact location and details of the incident.

The Community Safety team will call the relevant emergency service and escort them to the right place to avoid any delays regarding access etc.

LapCup

Inventory Management Software



What is the LabCup Project?

This project will implement new chemical inventory software and processes to support the consistent tracking and storage of chemicals within the University. The software is provided by LabCup who provide chemical inventory and laboratory management software to other universities and the wider industry.

LabCup will initially be provided to Chemistry before a wider roll out to other departments. Findings from the pilot in Chemistry will be shared in December 2022.

Fire Safety Training Moodle

This new course covers an introduction and insight into fire safety on campus. It replaces the previous Fire Safety Awareness, Fire Extinguisher and Fire Warden Moodles. This course is now live and can be viewed using the link; https://moodle.warwick.ac.uk/course/view.php?id=48288



Automated External Defibrillators (AED)

An AED is a portable medical device designed to analyse the hearts rhythm and deliver an electric shock to victims of cardiac arrest to restore the heart rhythm to normal.

To help someone effectively, an AED needs to be found as quickly as possible. For every minute it takes for the defibrillator to reach someone and deliver a shock, their chances of survival reduce.

Whilst our first aiders are all trained in the use of AED's, there is no need for specific training: anyone can use an AED.

There are a number of AED's at the University of Warwick. Are you aware of the closest AED to you? Find out all the <u>locations</u> of AED's on campus.

If you require access to an AED located inside a secure box where a keycode is required, please contact the Community Safety Team for the code.

Small Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (SUAs)

For all activities involving Small Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (SUAs) - including drones and model aircraft - a new policy document, code of practice, and template flight plan are now available online.

'Ask for H&S Advice'

If you have a Health and Safety query that you cannot find an answer to on the Health and Safety webpages remember

there is an option to use the 'Ask for H&S Advice' form using the SHE Assure system.



If your enquiry is of an urgent nature, please call the relevant Health and Safety Services Team member, visit the <u>contact us</u> page to find out more about the team.