Chemical Safety Inspection Violations

MOST COMMON INSPECTION VIOLATIONS 2018-2019

- Chemical containers not clearly labeled: 56
- No chemical inventory present: 33
- No chemical hygiene plan present: 21
- No date on peroxidable stocks: 27
- Waste containers not labeled as 'Hazardous Waste': 22
- Unclean and unorganized hood and bench top spaces: 59
- Workplace Hazard Assessment was not up to date: 28
- Emergency lab information card not present/current: 20

*Data provided by EH&S for 2018-2019 academic year

Other common violations:

- Chemicals not stored by compatibility and hazard class
- Flammables stored in an unapproved refrigerator
- Hazardous waste not labeled with full chemical names
- Hazardous waste not being stored at or near Satellite Accumulation Area

As of now EH&S will be not be conducting inspections in February 2021.

A couple of laughs before you leave:
What emotional disorder does a GC suffer from?
Separation Anxiety!

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