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- 7.00 In "undergraduate" laboratories, it is the responsibility of the Lab's Demonstrator(s), Teaching Assistants, and Technicians to ensure that the requirements of this policy are met by the students under their supervision.
- 8.00 Hazardous chemical waste must not be left unattended at any location on campus without the prior approval of Occupational Health & Safety.
- 9.00 Decommissioning of Laboratories: Where hazardous chemicals have been left in a laboratory, or any location in a building, due to retirement, graduate students leaving, or the relocation of laboratories, proper disposal of these materials (including labeling and packaging) is the responsibility of the immediate supervisor, and ultimately of the Chair of that particular faculty/department.
- 10.00 The cost of disposing of abandoned, unlabeled containers of chemicals will be charged to the faculty/department where they were produced.
- 11.00 **OHS must be notified of any hazardous material spills. All calls must be directed to (519) 661-2036; if there is no answer do not leave a message; call Western Special Constable Service at 911 immediately.**