

Site Specific Training

Applicable Farms:

Beef Teaching and Research Center
Sheep Teaching and Research Center
Veterinary Research Farm

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 Beef, Sheep, and Vet farms 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 Beef, Sheep, and Vet farms 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

Beef, Sheep, and Vet Farm users provide their own sharps containers and are responsible for the monitoring and labeling of them. Full sharps containers are placed in the office 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 is posted at the farm. Signage can be found at the entrances at the feedlot, cow-calf barn, and both sheep barns. Signage at Veterinary Research can be found outside of Barn A.

None of the farms have eye wash stations.

All farms are 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.