Yale Environmental Health & Safety

Biosecurity Self-Inspection Checklist Survey

PI: Location:				
Date of inspection: Inspected by:				
Following types of materials present: ☐ Chemical ☐ Biological	☐ Valuable Biological Materials ☐ Radiation			
	Yes	No	N/A	Comments
PERSONNEL SECURITY				
Personnel are aware of the reporting mechanism for any biosecurity				
breach.				
Personnel are aware that the anonymity of whistleblowers is protected.				
Personnel are provided with biosecurity educational materials.				
Personnel are aware that keys, passcodes, badges should not be shared.				
Personnel who work alone or after hours have been trained on the <u>lab-</u>				
specific working alone policy per Yale Policy 4301 Working Alone in				
Laboratories.				
FACILITY SECURITY				
Laboratory doors are self-closing.				
Access control to the lab is enforced (i.e., keep doors closed).				
Keys, passcodes, and/or badges are issued to authorized personnel only.				
Lost or stolen keys and/or badges are reported to Yale Security.				
Access is removed upon staff departure (e.g., return keys, inactivate				
badges).				
Rooms where hazardous materials are stored are lockable.				
Lock freezers and use lock boxes for sensitive materials.				
HAZARDOUS MATERIAL SECURITY				
Laboratory personnel are aware of and utilize appropriate transport				
protocols for hazardous materials.				
Safety posters and hazard labels are visible and up to date.				
INVENTORY SECURITY				
Inventory storage locations are centralized.				
Only authorized personnel have access to inventory.				
Laboratory personnel maintain and update inventory records regularly.				
Laboratory personnel are trained to recognize inventory tampering or loss of material.				
If Select Toxins* are present, they are below the Yale Watch List Quantity.				
INFORMATION SECURITY				
Sensitive or confidential records are stored in secure physical and/or			_	
online locations.				
Access to information is removed upon staff departure.				
EMERGENCY INFORMATION				
EHS and local law enforcement emergency contact information is posted				
in the laboratory (i.e., Safety Poster, Lab Door Sign)				
Personnel are informed of whom to contact for emergencies.				

Refer to www.selectagent.gov/sat/permissible.htm for current permissible select toxin limits. The Yale Watch List Quantity is set at 50% of that limit.

^{*}Select Toxins: Staphylococcal enterotoxins (subtypes A – E), botulinum neurotoxins, short, paralytic alpha conotoxins, tetrodotoxin, saxitoxin, ricin, abrin, diacetoxyscirpenol. T-2 mycotoxin