ANATOMY LABORATORY SAFETY RULES

Here are some safety rules that should be followed in the Anatomy Laboratory to avoid accidents and injuries and to protect yourself and your surrounding environment. Please *sign the sheet after reading carefully.* You can ask your instructor if any of the items need clarification.

1	Laboratory coats must be worn for each practice session and buttoned up, they should not be worn outside of the laboratory.
2	Long hair should be tied back neatly, away from the shoulders.
3	Enclosed footwear must be worn - (thongs and open sandals are not allowed).
4	Loose clothing should be secured so they do not get caught in a flame or chemicals.
5	Avoid wearing jewelry in the lab as this can pose multiple safety hazards.
6	Keep your personal stuff or things (mobile phone, bags, and laptop) out from the laboratory or put them on the cupboard.
7	Wear **safety goggles, disposable hair covers, and masks** to protect yourself.
8	Gloves must be disposed of properly before leaving the lab.
9	Smoking, eating, drinking, and chewing gum are prohibited while in the laboratory. Do not apply any type of make-up, lotions, or other substances to your body during a lab.
10	Avoid placing any object in your mouth - (pencils, pens, fingers etc.). During lab work, keep your hands away from your face so that you do not contaminate your skin.
11	Do not taste or smell chemicals. If you need to smell the odor of a chemical, waft the fumes toward your nose with one hand. Do not put your nose over the container and inhale the fumes.
12	**Never** point a scalpel or any sharp surgical instrument at another student or yourself. Never turn your eyes from the area of interest while you are using a scalpel or any sharp surgical instrument.
13	Leave your workstation/dissection table clean and in good order before leaving the laboratory.
14	Do not lean, hangover, or sit on the laboratory/dissection tables.
15	Do not leave your assigned laboratory/dissection station without permission of the teacher.
16	Learn the location of the fire extinguisher, eyewash station and safety shower.
17	Learn emergency exit routes.
18	Report all accidents, injuries, and breakage of glass or equipment to the instructor immediately.
19	Learn how to transport all materials and equipment safely.

20	Treat all specimens and cadavers with respect.
21	Photography and videos of human cadavers are **NOT** permitted under any circumstances. It will be considered a serious disciplinary offense for a student to take pictures
22	Photography, videos, and recordings (of materials and activities unrelated to the human cadavers) can only be taken with instructor consent. They may not be given, sold, or published in print or online without the written consent of the instructor, and can only be used for the purposes of the class.
23	When you remove tissue from the cadaver during dissection, always place the tissue and human materials into the container provided.
24	When you are assigned to a cadaver, you assume responsibility for its proper care. The whole body has been kept moist by adequate wrappings.
25	Inspect every part of the cadaver periodically, and renew and moisten the wrappings as the occasion demands. **Do not leave any part of the cadaver exposed to the air needlessly.**
26	When you finished a dissection session wash all surgical equipment with tap water. Scalpel blades (sharps) are to be disposed of in the appropriate sharp-box container.
27	Unauthorized experiments or procedures must not be attempted.
28	Students found in violation of this safety rule will be barred from participating in future labs and could result in suspension.
29	Doors and windows are to be kept closed at all times. Visitors are not allowed in the lab.
30	Wash your hands before leaving the laboratory.

I certify that I have read and understood the safety rules and that I agree to abide by them.

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STUDENT ID	
STUDENT NAME-SURNAME	
SIGNATURE	