



## Department of Environmental Safety

Environmental Safety

rn Reserve University buildings have alarm systems in place which signal to Security if activated. When Security receive an alarm from a building they immediately summon the Fire Department. If an alarm goes off the alarm will come.

Recent responses to campus alarms have found uncooperative people. This is unacceptable: when the sound they expect the alarm to be activated people exiting a building to safety in greater numbers than is normal. This behaviour can not be tolerated because it may lead to personal injury or property damage.

can be caused by the Fire Department's behavior which has been, for example, the case in this undisclosed instance.



control laboratory ergonomic risk factors, you can improve employee comfort and productivity while lowering chances for occupational injuries.

## *Controlling Laboratory Ergonomic Risk Factors (continued from page 3)*

### **To Control Excessive Force:**

- x Choose pipetters requiring less finger or thumb motion to activate.
- x Choose pipetters requiring less force to activate.
- x Use only the force necessary to activate.

### **To Control Contact Stresses:**

- x Choose pipetters that best fit your hand.
- x

“A new chemical inventory should be submitted to DOES after disposal of any chemicals. If some of the chemicals are transferred to a co-worker's lab, that person must also submit an updated inventory list reflecting the changes.”

## *Summer Cleaning for Safety's Sake*







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