

HAZARD COMMUNICATION PROGRAM

RSCC DENTAL HYGIENE PROGRAM

701 Briarcliff Avenue

Oak Ridge, Tennessee

Hazard Communication Program

The RSCC Dental Hygiene Program located at 701 Briarcliff Avenue, Oak Ridge, TN is complying with OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, Title 29 Code of Federal Regulations 1910.1200.

This Hazard Communication Program applies to all work operations in this clinic or laboratory where employees and students may be exposed to hazardous chemicals under normal working conditions or during emergency situations.

RSCC's Dental Hygiene Program Director - Melinda Gill, has overall responsibility for the program which is reviewed and updated as necessary by Michelle Jones, Clinical Coordinator/Faculty.

LIST OF HAZARDOUS CHEMICALS

A list of all products that contain hazardous chemicals used in this facility is located in the front of the SDS (formerly MSDS) notebook binder which is prominently located at the Clinic Instructor's Desk. The SDS binder is updated as necessary and in a timely manner.

SAFETY DATA SHEETS (SDS)

A file of the safety data sheets (formerly material safety data sheets) is kept in a binder labeled **SDS** and is located at the Clinic Instructor's Desk on the right shelf. This binder is updated as necessary and in a timely manner.

WARNING LABELS

All hazardous chemicals used in this facility are properly labeled and updated as necessary. When chemicals are transferred to secondary containers an approved label must be attached to the container. These labels are kept in the OSHA Manual, located at the instructor's desk. Chemicals transferred from a labeled container to another container for immediate use do not require labeling.

Labels for secondary containers will include:

1. Product name.
2. Chemical identity of the material.
3. Appropriate hazardous warnings.
4. Name and address of the manufacturer.

TRAINING

The Dental Hygiene Program provides training to clinical faculty and students at the initial assignment, whenever a new hazardous material is introduced into the facility and whenever procedures for safe handling and emergencies are modified.