



Facilities Notice

Title:	Biosafety Cabinet Seismic Bracing – Installation Work <i>Revised 8.12.2026</i>
Locations:	Various Lab rooms in Cunningham and Petch , and Cornett B218
Description:	Update 2: Con-test ran into an issue with their equipment on Tuesday and will now begin recertification on Wednesday. This moves the recertification date for the following units: PCH 248A Cabinet 61, PCH 251B Cabinet 38, PCH 252 Cabinet 82, PCH 252 Cabinet 86, CUN 160C Cabinet 75. Update 1: revised CUN 162 and CUN 040 timing. Aral Construction and their subcontractor will be completing their install of steel reinforcement on biosafety cabinets across campus. Some of the units require simple work of tightening bolts and attaching fasteners that will be done without moving the cabinets. Others will require shifting cabinets within the room, power drilling through cabinet frames and concrete to install anchors and then recertification from Con-test prior to being returned to service. Cone barriers will be set up around construction areas, and medium/large rooms can still be used by researchers as work occurs at the cabinets. Please review the table below for a list of impacted rooms, schedule and any actions required by you. Please contact your Administrative Officer and the Project Manager for any scheduling concerns around timing of these activities.
Time frame:	Various: August 10 through August 14, 2026
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Task Name	Start	Finish	Notes for Staff/Researchers
CEILING SCOPE			
CUN Rm 056 –prep on ceiling	8am Wed	12pm Wed	Minor disruption while contractor works off a ladder. (Below CUN 160C).
CUN Rm 162 – prep on ceiling	8am Thu	12pm Thu	Minor disruption while contractor works off a ladder (below COR 268C).
CUN Rm 040 – prep on ceiling	8am Fri	2pm Fri	Minor disruption while contractor works off a ladder. (below COR136)
CABINETS SCOPE			
PCH Rm 053/053B Cabinet 60	Less that 1 hour	-	Contractor will complete when they see room is not in use.
PCH Rm 230 Cabinet 21	Less that 1 hour	-	Contractor will complete when they see room is not in use.
PCH Rm 255 Cabinet 29	Less that 2 hours	-	Contractor will complete when they see room is not in use.
PCH Rm 255 Cabinet 102	Less that 1 hour	-	Contractor will complete when they see room is not in use.
PCH Rm 248A Cabinet 61	Mon, Aug 10	Wed, Aug 12	Researchers to Clear unit and surrounding area of materials the night prior to the start date
PCH Rm 251A Cabinet 33	Less that 1 hour	-	Contractor will complete when they see room is not in use.
PCH Rm 251A Cabinet 50	Less that 1 hour	-	Contractor will complete when they see room is not in use.
PCH Rm 251B Cabinet 38	Mon, Aug 10	Wed, Aug 12	Researchers to Clear unit and surrounding area of materials the night prior to the start date
PCH Rm 252 Cabinet 82	Tues, Aug 11	Wed, Aug 12	Researchers to Clear unit and surrounding area of materials the night prior to the start date
PCH Rm 252 Cabinet 86	Tues, Aug 11	Wed, Aug 12	Researchers to Clear unit and surrounding area of materials the night prior to the start date
PCH Rm 254A Cabinet 56	Less that 1 hour	-	Contractor will complete when they see room is not in use.
PCH Rm 270A Cabinet 57	Wed, Aug 11	Wed, Aug 12	Researchers to Clear unit and surrounding area of materials the night prior to the start date
CUN Rm 160C Cabinet 75	Wed, Aug 12	Thu, Aug 12	Researchers to Clear unit and surrounding area of materials the night prior to the start date
PCH Rm 230 Cabinet 20	Wed, Aug 12	Thu, Aug 13	Researchers to Clear unit and surrounding area of materials the night prior to the start date
CUN Rm 268C Cabinet 27	Thu, Aug 13	Thu, Aug 13	Researchers to Clear unit and surrounding area of materials prior to the start date
COR Rm B218 Cabinet 16	Thu, Aug 13	Thu, Aug 13	Researchers to Clear unit and surrounding area of materials the night prior to the start date
CUN Rm 136 Cabinet 42	Fri, Aug 14	Fri, Aug 14	Researchers to Clear unit and surrounding area of materials the night prior to the start date