



The purpose of this form is to ensure a safe work environment for new lab occupants and non-lab workers involved in renovations and/or removal of surplus materials. Please ensure the lab owner or department administration completes all sections and returns this form to ohs@uvic.ca.

Inspected by: _____ Department: _____

Room number: _____ Date: _____

	YES	NO	N/A	COMMENTS
GENERAL LAB				
Clean and decontaminate laboratory furniture (bench tops, drawers, etc.) with an appropriate cleaner.				
Clean and decontaminate laboratory equipment (fume hoods, acid/flammable cabinets, etc.) with an appropriate cleaner.				
Label decontaminated laboratory equipment with an approved furniture/equipment decontamination tag				
Ensure all storage units such as refrigerators, storage cabinets, freezers, etc. have been checked and cleared of hazardous materials.				
Ensure all chemical containers have WHMIS labels and are securely closed for transfer or storage.				
Dispose all chemical wastes through the hazardous waste management program .				
Update chemical inventory records.				
Contact Science Stores to arrange for transfer or return of compressed gas cylinders.				
Ensure all laboratory signage has been removed or updated, including door signage, hazard signs, door diamonds and window numbers.				
BIOLOGICAL MATERIALS				
Contact the Biosafety Officer if a biosafety cabinet needs to be relocated or disposed.				
Transfer remaining inventory of biological materials to an approved storage area or lab.				
Ensure all biohazardous waste is properly disposed.				
RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS				
Contact the Radiation Safety Officer (RSO) to update Radionuclide Permit or to decommission lab.				
Dispose of radioactive waste, in accordance with the University's Radiation Safety Program.				
Decontaminate all surfaces and contact the RSO to perform a final wipe test.				
Remove all radioactive warning signs, labels, etc.				

Signature: Department Chair (or designate) _____