

Laboratory PERSONNEL & TRAINING



WHO IS CLASSIFIED AS LABORATORY PERSONNEL?

All personnel participating in laboratory activities involving the use of biohazards and/or biological toxins are classified as laboratory personnel. Examples include, but are not limited to the following:

- Undergraduate and graduate students
- Post-Doctoral Fellows
- Research Assistants/Associates
- Technicians

HOW AND WHERE DO I COMPLETE TRAINING?

All training can be completed online through TrainTraq or the Gateway portal.

BIOSAFETY LEVEL – 1 (BSL-1)

RECOMMENDED

- BSL-1 Training

BIOSAFETY LEVEL – 2 (BSL-2)

REQUIRED

- BSL-2 Training
- Biosafety Cabinet Training
- Enrollment in the Biosafety Occupational Health Program (BOHP)
- Bloodborne Pathogens Training*

Please contact the Office of Biosafety at ibc@tamu.edu for additional training information.

** Required for personnel in laboratories approved for activities involving human/non-human primate blood, tissues, cell lines, etc.*

DO I NEED TO IDENTIFY LABORATORY PERSONNEL ON MY IBC APPLICATION?

BSL-1

NO,
but personnel must receive laboratory-specific training from the PI or their designee.

BSL-2

How long will personnel participate in laboratory activities?

Twelve consecutive weeks or less

NO,
but personnel must complete required biosafety training and receive laboratory-specific training from the PI or their designee.

More than twelve consecutive weeks

YES,
submit a Personnel Change Request or contact ibc@tamu.edu with questions.



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