(A) Policy Statement

It is the policy of the Food and Nutrition Services Department to ensure employee and customer health and safety from chemical hazards.

(B) Purpose of Policy

To provide a safe work environment for employee, clients and customers. To prevent possible food contamination.

(C) Procedure

- Employees receive training and orientation on Safety Data Sheets (SDS) for chemicals and cleaning agents used in the department.
- SDS are kept in the safety notebook located in the kitchen and cafeteria.
- Protective gear is available, including safety goggles, gloves and masks.
- Chemicals and cleaning supplies are properly and adequately labeled and stored in a secure separate area away from all food products.
- Flammable liquids, such as charcoal lighter fluid and Sterno, are stored in a separate and safe area.
- In the event of hazardous materials spill, employees are to call x2600.
- Online SDS for chemicals utilized at the University of Toledo Medical Center may be found at:
  - https://jr.chemwatch.net/chemwatch.web/home

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