Safety in the Stall

Lines of Defense: Chemical Safety

1. Engineering Controls

Physical changes to the work area or process that minimizes a worker’s exposure to the hazard.

- Pumping, instead of pouring, to transfer volatile solvents.
- Fume Hoods

2. Administrative & Work Practice Controls

Changes in work procedures, schedules and training that reduce the duration, frequency and severity of exposure to identified hazards

- Standard Operating Procedures
- Training
- Buddy Systems

3. PPE (Personal Protective Equipment)

Equipment worn to minimize exposure to a variety of hazards.