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Website: rlss.arizona.edu
Email: rlss-rad-support@email.arizona.edu

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Radiation Safety Officer
Laser Safety Officer
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(520) 870-7752 (cell)
harris23@arizona.edu
Health, Safety & Compliance

Ionizing Radiation
- Radioactive Material
- Sealed Radioactive Sources
- Radiation Generating Machines
  - Industrial/Analytical
  - Clinical

Laser
- Regulated laser sources

Safety and compliance impacts the University’s ability to use and possess radioactive materials.

- 14 active licenses and registrations - ADHS
- Largest RAM license and laser registration in the state of Arizona
Services

Procurement → Disposal/Transport

• Inspections & Hazard Assessments
• Training & Event Response
• Personnel Monitoring
• Calibration of Radiation Detection Equipment

Research Laboratory & Safety Services

Common postings - for reference
Facilities

RLSS Can Help!

- Lab Setup/Design
- Renovations & Remodels
- Legacy RAM or Equipment
- Contamination
- Lab Hygiene

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We Need Your Help!

Key Communications

- Security
- Concerned Personnel
- Contamination Events
- Environmental Releases
- Unauthorized Access
- Lab Hygiene
- Food & Drink

IMPORTANT: Any concern you have is worth a call.

Contact RLSS
520-626-6850
Acquisition Disposal & Inactivation

Registration
- Regulated sources of RAM

Surplus or Disposal
- X-ray units
- Lasers
- Lab equipment

Inactivation
- Rooms
- PI’s

Contact RLSS
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IMPORTANT: Often times inventory changes require amendments to licenses and registrations.
Radiation Emergency Notification Procedure

Date: January 25, 2021
To: Distribution
From: Leon Harris
Radiation Safety Officer (RSO)
Subject: Research Laboratory & Safety Services Notification Procedure

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RLSS 520-626-6850
(Monday – Friday 7:30-4:00)

If no answer, or if it is outside RLSS office hours, the RLSS staff member on call can be reached via pager by calling the UA Police Department (UAPD) and requesting RLSS be paged:

UAPD 520-621-8273
RLSS Emergency Pager 520-616-8758

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*Radiation Emergency Notification Procedure

Distributed via Email

CONTACT INFORMATION

UAPD 621-8273 or 911
Leon Harris 626-5468
RSO/LSO
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Risk Mgmt. Srvcs 621-1790
Injury Report
Questions?

Thank you For Your Partnership!

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https://rgw.arizona.edu/compliance/RLSS/radiation-safety
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