

UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

**On-Site Radiation Safety Training Form**

**FOR NEW RADIATION WORKERS**

Topics to be covered with new radiation workers by the Authorized User or Supervisor:

- 1. Radiation Safety Manual
- 2. Potential hazards from specific radionuclides in use
- 3. Radiation safety procedures
- 4. Work safety rules, SOPs
- 5. Emergency response procedures
- 6. Location of radioactive material and waste
- 7. Use of safety equipment, shields, meters, gloves, and eye protection
- 8. Radioactive material use procedures, protocols
- 9. Radiation safety records system (surveys, inventory, etc.)

I have covered all of the above topics with \_\_\_\_\_  
Worker Name

**AU/Supervisor Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

## **Instructions**

All individuals at UK proposing to work with radioactive material must, as per federal and state regulations, receive Beginning and On-Site safety training before starting as a radiation worker. Weekly training sessions are available through the Radiation Safety Office, 102 Animal Pathology. Call the Office at 3-6777 to attend a session or schedule a time.

The training is in two parts. The first part is On-Site Training which must be provided by the Authorized User or unit supervisor at the individual's place of work. A completed **On-Site Radiation Safety Training Form** must be provided to the individual as evidence of receiving this part of the training. Then contact the Radiation Safety Office for the second part, the Initial Training. The individual must bring a copy of the signed On-Site training form and a completed, signed **Radiation Worker Registration Form** to the second part. No one will be admitted without both of these forms.

The second part, Beginning Radiation Safety, is of video and/or lecture style and will take about fifteen minutes. The training outline is attached.

This Beginning and On-Site training enables an individual to begin as a radiation worker. Within four months from taking the initial training, attendance of the Basic Radiation Safety or other training is required. The Basic course is a three-hour lecture and demonstration style course that covers radioactive material radiation characteristics and safety in detail.