

# JOB SAFETY ANALYSIS

Safety Information for the University of California, Berkeley

## OPERATING AND MAINTAINING MAT CUTTER

TASK	HAZARDS	CONTROLS
1. Changing mat blades.	Lacerations	Be aware of how you handle the blades. Handle all blades on the dull side, not the sharp cutting edge.
2. Cutting mats.	Lacerations	Keeps hands away from blades when cutting. Use the pressure bar to hold the mat in place.
<b>Required Training:</b> None	<b>Required Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)</b> None	

**Other Information:**

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