

# JOB SAFETY ANALYSIS

Safety Information for the University of California, Berkeley

## ENVIRONMENT, HEALTH & SAFETY – RADIOACTIVE WASTE MOVING EMPTY DRUMS

TASK	HAZARDS	CONTROLS
1. Tilting the drum.	Back or muscle strain.	Make sure the drum is empty. Use your weight rather than muscle to tilt the drum. Place your foot at the base of the drum to keep it from sliding as you begin the tilt.
	Abrasions from sharp spots and edges on the drum or the ring.	Wear gloves. No loose clothing.
2. Laying the drum on its side.	Foot injury.	Wear steel toed shoes. Keep your feet out from under the drum.
3. Rolling the drum.	Impact on others.	Make sure the path is clear and you have control of the drum.
4. Tilting back and pushing up on the drum’s end.	Muscle strain.	Lift with your back straight.
<b>Required Training:</b> 1. Proper lifting techniques.	<b>Required Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):</b> Gloves, steel toed shoes, safety glasses	

**Other Information:**

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