

## **Objectives and Programmes - Biological Spill Response Hands-On Workshop**

The Department's safety and health objectives for 2022 was "Enhancing Biological Safety in the Labs and to Achieve Zero Medium and High Impact Accidents related to Use of Biologicals."

The aim was to provide refresher courses for current biological spill responders, train new responders, and to provide a hands-on experience for any lab staff interested to know more about the biological spill response procedure.

3 workshops were conducted on 14 July 2022, 21 July 2022 and 19 September 2022. A total of 19 lab staff participated (7 new biological spill responders, 1 current spill responder and 11 interested staff) in the workshop.

The participants welcomed the conduct of the workshop as they had the opportunity to gain practical experience by using items from the biological spill kit items in a simulated spill scenario.

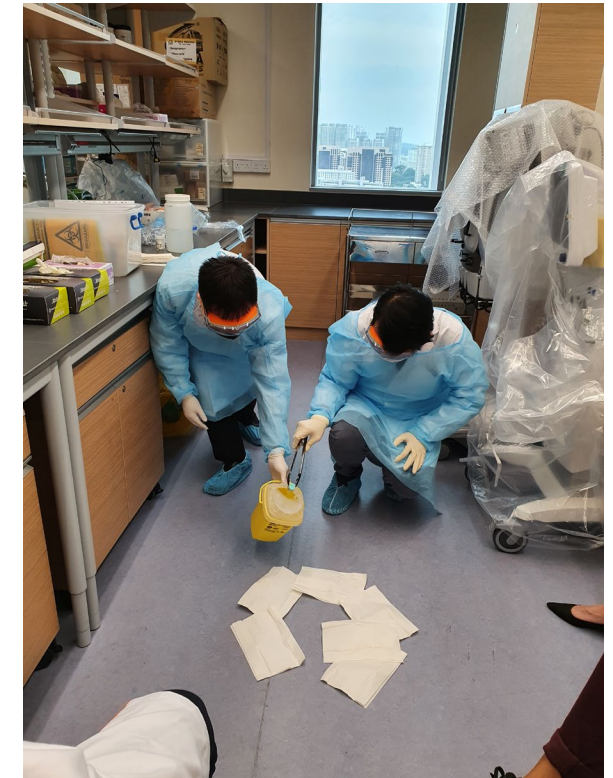
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Trainer giving the participants a short briefing before the hands on session



Participants donning on the PPE



Participants removing sharps and disposing into the sharps bin during the simulated biological spill response cleanup