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EH&S recommends the use of appropriate cabinets to store hazardous materials in laboratories. If storage of liquid hazardous materials on the floor is necessary, secondary containment is required to prevent or minimize the possibility of a release and to ensure compliance with local, state, and federal regulations. *Liquid hazardous materials should never be stored on the floor without proper secondary containment*.

Secondary Containment requirements

- 1. *Ijj /T1_/LBody <</MCID 9 >>17DC 1.5 5.38 5 Td (1.)Tb /T1_1 1 Tf ()Tj /T1_3 1 0f 1.5 0 Td [(1j /di4 etc.,*
- *c*. damage associated with liquid materials leaking through tile and concrete floors to workspaces below.
- 2. Hazardous materials stored in sub-standard storage units that may pose an additional risk (i.e. flammables or oxidizers in wood cabinets) should be placed in secondary containment until approved storage units become available.

Approved Secondary Containment