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York Region Science and Technology Fair Safety Check

The following safety guidelines as outlined by the CWSF and YRSTF safety have been met:
(Checkmark indicates guideline met)

DISPLAY BOARD:

- The display is no more than 2.74 m high from the floor, 1.2 m side to side or 0.76 m front to back
- The exhibit is self-standing and stable, with no sharp edges, corners, etc.
- All items on the display board are glued flat or taped on all edges.
- All items are attached within the borders of the display board (no overhanging edges, decorations, etc.).
- All items on the display board are flat (no 3D displays/ items sticking out of board)
- There are no lights or other electronics attached to the board.

TABLE DISPLAY:

The display contains:

- No Biological toxins
- No Cell or tissue samples including blood and blood products, (except on sealed microscope slides, which may be displayed)
- No Plants or plant tissue (including nuts or nut products)
- No Soil containing organic material
- No cultures (bacterial, cell, fungal, etc.) – Photographs or simulated cultures may be used.
- No pressurized containers
- No flammable or poisonous chemicals (solid, liquid, gas) – simulated substances may be used
- No live animals (vertebrate or invertebrate) are on display at the fair
- No photos of participants without their express written permission
- No open flames
- Any hazardous moving parts are protected
- Any radio-isotopes present are sealed and at normal background activity
- If project involves firearms, explosives, hazardous equipment or material (has a warning label of any type), then 'Designated Supervisor Form' has been completed.
- Lasers are not being operated during public display
- X-ray or other high energy radiation sources have been registered and approved by provincial authorities
- Packing material has been removed from the Exhibit Hall after setup.

ELECTRICITY

- Not Applicable
- All electrical power cord are CSA approved and provide necessary grounding
- Any electrical connection has been insulated
- All non-current carrying metal parts are connected to the ground lead
- Any exposed live parts are at a potential of less than 36V to the ground. Current is low so as not to pose any problems
- No voltages above 10V are being generated

ETHICS APPROVALS**HUMANS: Projects using human subjects have the following forms:**

- Not Applicable
- A copy of your Request for Advice or a Ruling form (Dated and signed before March 11/ 2016).

AND**For Low Risk Projects:**

- Form 4.1A - Approval of Low Risk Projects Form

And any applicable:

- Letter of Information
- Blank Permission Form
- Sample Survey

For Significant Risk Projects:

- Form 4.1B - Approval of Significant Risk Projects Form

And any applicable:

- Letter of Information
- Blank Permission Form
- Sample Survey

ANIMALS: Projects using animals have the following forms:

- Not Applicable
- A copy of your Request for Advice or a Ruling form (Dated and signed before March 11/ 2016).
- Form 4.1C - Approval of Projects Involving Vertebrate Animals and Cephalopods Form

DECLARATION OF MENTORSHIP

- Student has declared any mentorship received.