



NCERC at SIUE

Advancing Biorenewables Research

NCERC Tour Liability Waiver Form

Tour Date: _____

Tour Time: _____ am/pm

This is an operating bioprocessing facility. Some hazards routinely exist: Floors may be slippery, surfaces may be hot, liquid or steam discharges may occur. NCERC also hosts contractual client research and all traces of work are confidential.

Summary of Safety Procedures:

1. Safety glasses (provided) and low-heel, soft-sole (non-slick), closed toe shoes are required in the laboratories and pilot plant. To enter the pilot plant, a hard hat (provided) is also required. Shorts and sleeveless shirts are also not allowed to be worn in the laboratories or pilot plant.
2. Visitors must stay with the group and within hearing distance of the guide.
3. Camera and video equipment can only be utilized if prior permission has been received from an NCERC representative.
4. Visitors must silence cell phones while in the laboratories and pilot plant.
5. Any touching or handling of equipment or controls in any area of the facility is strictly prohibited.
6. In the event of an emergency, follow the instructions given to you by your chaperoning NCERC representative.

Liability Waiver:

The undersigned Visitor (and undersigned parent/guardian in the case of a visitor under the age of eighteen) hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the NCERC and Southern Illinois University Edwardsville (SIUE), the Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois University and their officers, agents, and employees, from any and all claims or causes of action that may arise out of the undersigned Visitor's tour of the NCERC premises. The undersigned waive(s) any right of action against the NCERC and SIUE, the Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois University, and their officers, agents, and employees in connection with the Visitor's tour of the NCERC premises.

Confirmation of Understanding of NCERC Safety Policies and Procedures:

The undersigned Visitor hereby certifies that they have been provided with an overview of the NCERC safety procedures and agrees to adhere to those procedures and to follow any direction from the tour guide. In the event the Visitor violates the safety procedures or leaves the tour group, they will be asked to leave the facility.

Visitor's Name: _____
(Print)

- Under the age of 18
 Over the age of 18

Address: _____

Phone: (____) _____

Email Address: _____

Date: _____

Signature: _____

If above Visitor is under the age of eighteen: As parent/guardian of the Visitor, I agree to the Visitor's tour of the NCERC.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____
(Print)

Email Address: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____