

## TECHNICAL NOTES

# **Polyform-F**<sup>TM</sup> **Product Numbers 19986-14, 19986-15, 19986-16, 19986-17**

#### **Instructions for Use**

#### **Directions:**

For spill containment and neutralization of harmful vapors from formaldehyde, glutaraldehyde, 10% neutral buffered formalin, and other aldehydes, including Cidex-OPA and formaldehyde based embalming solutions. Free-flowing granules eliminate harmful vapors in minutes.

- 1. Consult SDS for the spilled chemical solution, to become familiar with its chemical properties and health & safety requirements.
- 2. Select and wear proper personnel protective equipment as recommended or noted on the SDS for the spilled chemical solution.
- 3. Evacuate area as necessary to ensure safety of personnel.
- 4. Eliminate all sources of ignition and insure there is adequate ventilation in the area of the spill.
- 5. Add Polyform-F<sup>TM</sup> around the perimeter of the spill to dike the liquid and prevent spreading. From the upwind side, cover the entire area from edge to edge at a ratio of approximately one-to-one, completely covering the spill and taking care to avoid vapors and splashing.
- 6. Once Polyform-F<sup>TM</sup> is applied, allow to stand. Do not mix for 12 to 15 minutes.
- 7. Cleanup spill residue by using a plastic dust-pan and disposable towels, then place the collected spill residue in adequate waste bag.
- 8. After spill residue has been removed from spill area, wipe up the spill area with cold tap water, using towel, sponge or mop.
- 9. "Post-cleanup" the spill area with mild detergent solution recommended by your facility for the final floor and/or counter cleanup.
- 10. In most cases, the Polyform-F<sup>TM</sup> treated spill residue may be disposed of as non-hazardous waste.

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### **Special Notes:**

- If the spilled solutions contain heavy metals, then material must be handled as a potential hazardous waste.
- If human or animal tissue has been in contact with the spilled formalin, then the spill residue material may be handled as a potential bio-medical waste.
- Always dispose of all spill residue waste in accordance with users' facility recommendations and follow all Federal, State and Local environmental regulations.
- Polyform-F<sup>TM</sup> is effective on: Formaldehyde, 10% Neutral Buffered Formalin, Formaldehyde-based Embalming solution, and Glutaraldehyde solution, e.g., Cidex, Cidex-OPA, Metracide, Wavacide, and OmniCide