# **Power Outage**

## • Remain calm • Report • Evacuate



- 1 Remain calm
  - ✓ Encourage others to remain calm.
- 2 Report the outage
  - During office hours (9am 5pm) call UC Facilities Management Helpdesk on Extn 94400.
  - After hours DIAL 0800 823 637 UC Security and state "POWER OUTAGE".
- Give information on
  - building name
  - nature of the emergency
  - any emergency assistance required.
- 4 Evacuate 🛝

If evacuation is needed, move cautiously.

- ✓ Look for the **EXII** signs where available.
- Assist any **disabled** people who may need help.
- DIAL UC Security 0800 823 637 if emergency assistance is required.

#### If you are in a LIFT during a power outage

- People can communicate with UC Security or the lift company directly from the lift emergency phone during an outage.
- Use the "Trapped in an Elevator" section of this booklet for instructions.

### If you are in a LAB during an outage

- Specific protocols and procedures will operate during a power outage.
- Ensure you are aware of these requirements.
- Keep all refrigerators and freezers closed during an outage.

#### **IMPORTANT NOTICES**

Treat all electrical equipment as live, because power may be restored at any time without notice.

**Outage times** depend on the cause of the outage. This may take time to identify.

#### **Building access controls**

(eg, access-controlled doors) will continue to operate for a limited time (eg, access-controlled doors). After this, doors will automatically release, and a manual lockdown will be undertaken by UC Security.

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