

All Personnel

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EXPOSURE CONTROL PLAN FOR BLOODBORNE PATHOGENS

Purpose

The Superintendent or designee shall meet state and federal standards (OSHA Standards, Federal Register, 29 CFR Part 1910.1030; CAL-OSHA standard, Title i, CCR Section 5193) for dealing with bloodborne pathogens and other potentially infectious materials in the workplace.

The Superintendent or designee shall establish a written Exposure Control Plan designed to protect employees from possible infection due to contact with bloodborne viruses, including human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) and hepatitis B virus (HBV).

The Superintendent or designee shall determine which employees have occupational exposure to bloodborne pathogens and other potentially infectious materials. In accordance with the District's Exposure Control Plan, employees having occupational exposure shall be offered the hepatitis B vaccination. (Any employee not identified may petition to be included in the District's employee inservice and hepatitis B vaccination program. Any such petition should be submitted to the Superintendent or designee who shall evaluate the request and notify the petitioners of his/her decision. A petition may be denied when there is no reasonable anticipation of contact with the infectious materials.)