

STANDARD PRECAUTIONS AGAINST BLOODBORNE DISEASES POLICY

Employees working in a school system are potentially exposed to human blood or body fluids containing human blood that may be contaminated with potentially infectious materials. These potentially infectious materials may be transferred from one employee and/or student to another if the appropriate precautions are not taken.

An Exposure Control Plan with procedures for school system employees to follow for protection against blood borne diseases is in place. This plan is provided to eliminate or minimize occupational exposure to blood borne pathogens in accordance with OSHA standard 29 CFR 1910.1030, "Occupational Exposure to Blood borne Pathogens".

For the protection of our students and employees, all employees at the school will be instructed in these procedures.

The Health Services Offices in each school are available to assist with any questions regarding information for Standard Precautions against Blood borne Diseases.

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