Blood & Body Fluid Post Exposure Process

Immediately clean the wound with soap and water, flush exposed oral/nasal mucosa with water for 15 minutes and use eyewash stations as necessary.

(EUH, EUHM, ESJH, EUOSH, ERH, EWWC)

During OIM business hours (Mon.-Fri., 7:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.)

- Contact Occupational Injury Management (OIM) 404-686-8587, option 4
- Emory employees to complete incident report in HOME. To access HOME, log in to e-Vantage, select Self-Service, then the Workplace Health tile.
- Emory employees and non-employees report to OIM with source patient information: First & last name, DOB & MRN
- If an exposure occurs at an Emory facility with an OIM clinic, immediately page the on-call APP: 404-686-550, PIC# 50464

Questions?
Page on-call OIM Advance Practice Provider (APP) at 404-686-5500 ID: 50464

After OIM business hours (Mon.-Fri. 4 p.m. – 7:30 a.m., weekends & holidays)

- Any exposed healthcare worker (HCW) is to immediately contact the Administrative Nursing Supervisor (ANS) with source patient information.
- ANS coordinates source patient testing, including consent for HIV testing, ensuring blood is available & ordering BBP exposure labs.
- Emory employee completes incident report in HOME & follows up with OIM. Non-employee contact OIM directly at 404-686-8587, option 4.
- If source patient is HIV negative, HCW should report to OIM the next business day for evaluation / baseline testing.
- If source patient HIV (+) or unknown, the ANS will page the on-call APP for all HIV (+) or an unknown source. HCW will be instructed by ANS to report to either OIM (during business hours) or the ED for consultation with hospital Epidemiologist and possible medication initiation. Baseline testing will be performed on the HCW at OIM the next business day.

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