
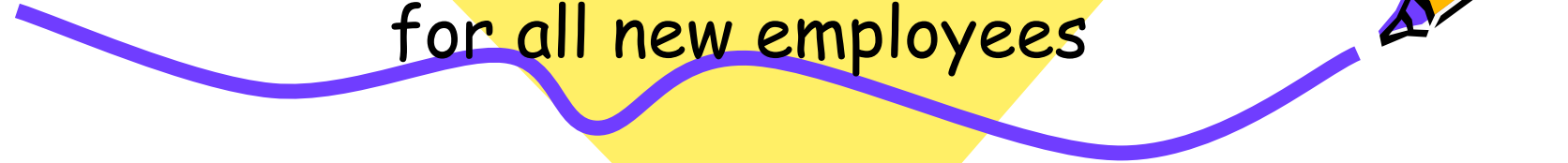


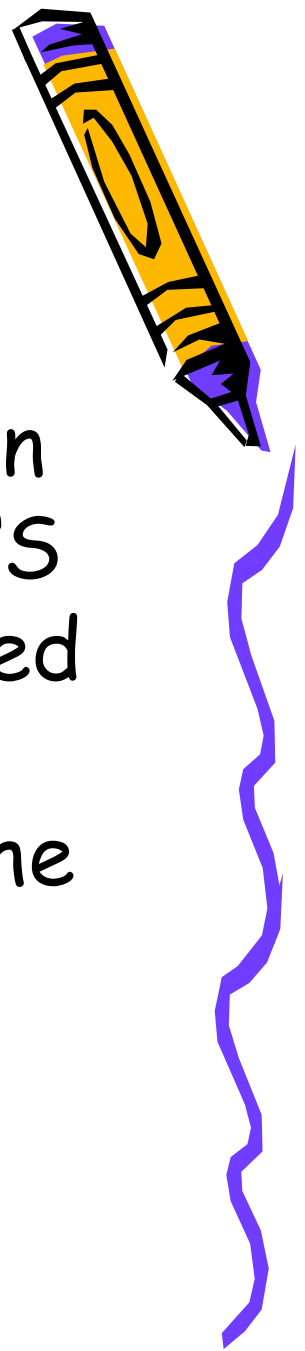
CCS Bloodborne
Pathogen Policy, section
1016.0305

OSHA Requirement for all
employees every school year and
for all new employees



Location

- The Bloodborne Pathogen Policy can be found in section 7260 in the CCS Policy Manual. The manual is located in the principal's office or media center in your school. A copy of the policy is also in the Health Room.



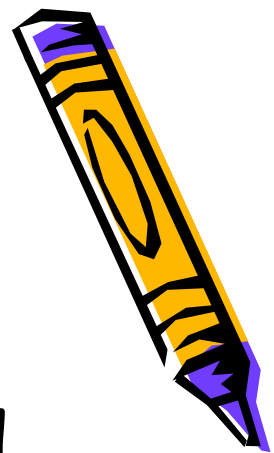
Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)

- Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS) is the disease caused by HIV
- Persons who are HIV positive may be symptom free for many years
- There is no vaccine approved for HIV



What is HIV

- A particular cell in the white blood line, called T-helper cell or T-lymphocyte is attached. These cells are activated when germs attack the body to defend it. HIV slowly destroys the T-cells and the body's ability to fight disease weakens.



Hepatitis B Virus (HBV)

- HBV infects the liver. The virus turns the liver's normal cells into fatty, non-functioning cells (cirrhosis). Persons with Hepatitis B may develop liver cancer, or they may become chronic carriers. There is a vaccine to prevent HBV.



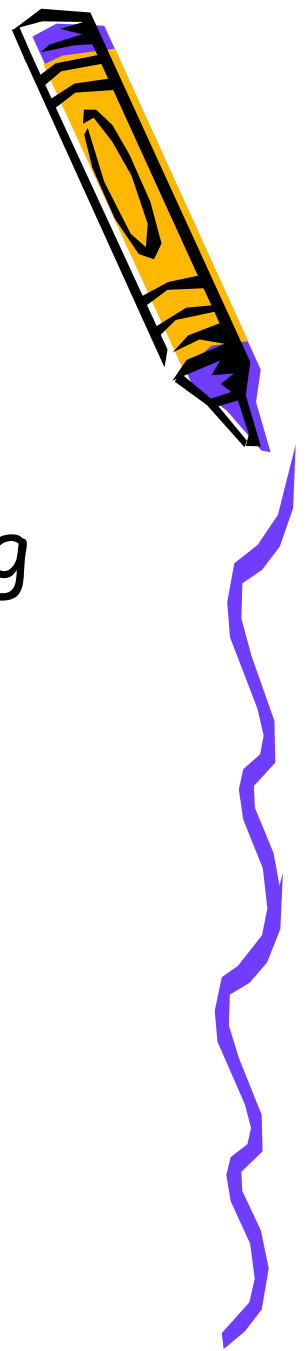
OSHA Requirement



- Allied Health Instructors
- Athletic Trainers
- First Responders
- Custodians
- School Nurses
- High School ECP Teachers/Assistants
- Must sign consent or decline to take the HBV series within 10 days of employment.
- 3 shot series:
- 2nd shot 1 month after 1st
- 3rd 5 months after 2nd
- Make appointment at CCHD - insurance only is filed. Free under State Health Plan



HIV and HBV are spread in very similar ways



1. Parenteral exposure (needle stick, mucous membrane contact, IV drug use)
2. Mother to fetus
3. Sexual contact



Standard Precautions



- The concept of standard precautions assumes each person's body fluids are infectious
- Employees are to use specific protective equipment called personal protective equipment as needed (gloves, masks, gown, protective eyewear)



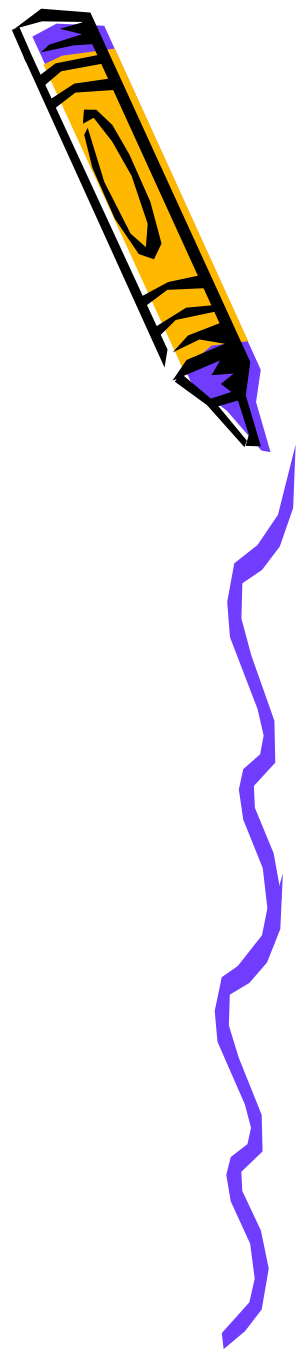
Hand Washing

- Between students
- After gloves have been worn
- When dealing with blood or body fluids



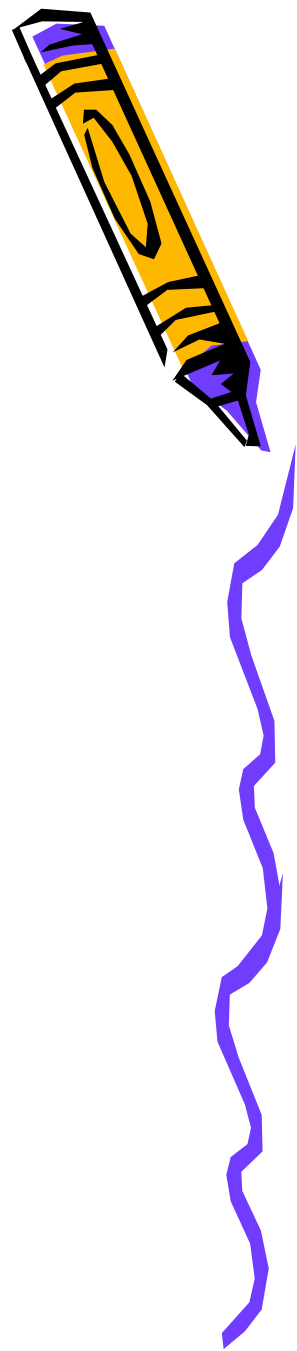
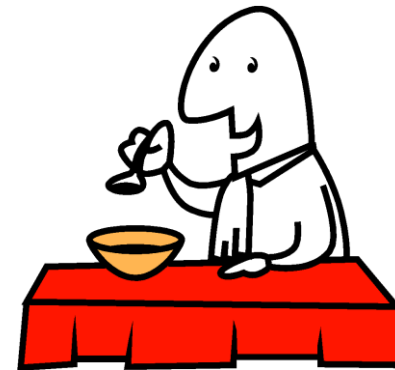
Needles

- Used needles must be thrown away in the sharps disposal located in the health room
- Needles should never be re-capped



Areas of Potential Contamination

- No eating, drinking, applying cosmetics or handling contact lenses in health room or diaper changing areas



Biohazard Waste

- Must be disposed of in red trash bags or in bags labeled with the "biohazard symbol"
- Gloves should always be worn and an EPA/hospital based germicide should be used or a 1:100 part bleach solution or $\frac{1}{4}$ cup bleach to 1 gallon



Blood or Body Fluid Exposure

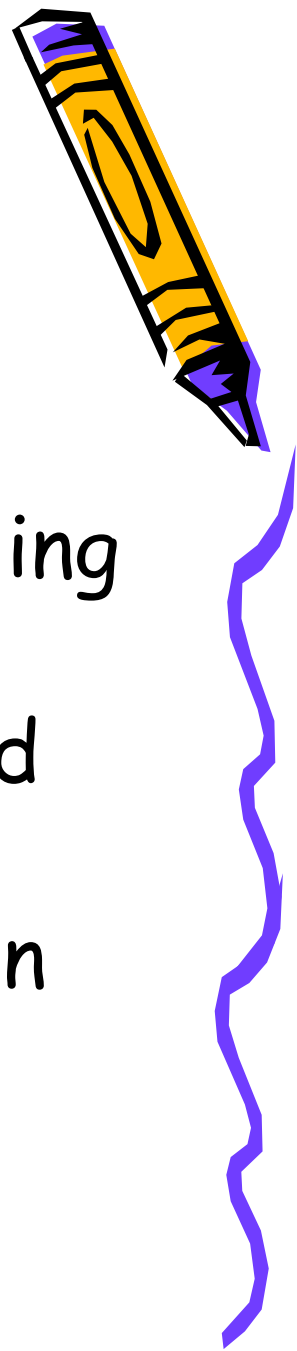


- Use resuscitation devices when performing mouth to mouth
- Skin exposure by needle or blood/body fluid - wash immediately with soap and water, notify school nurse, notify principal within 24 hours

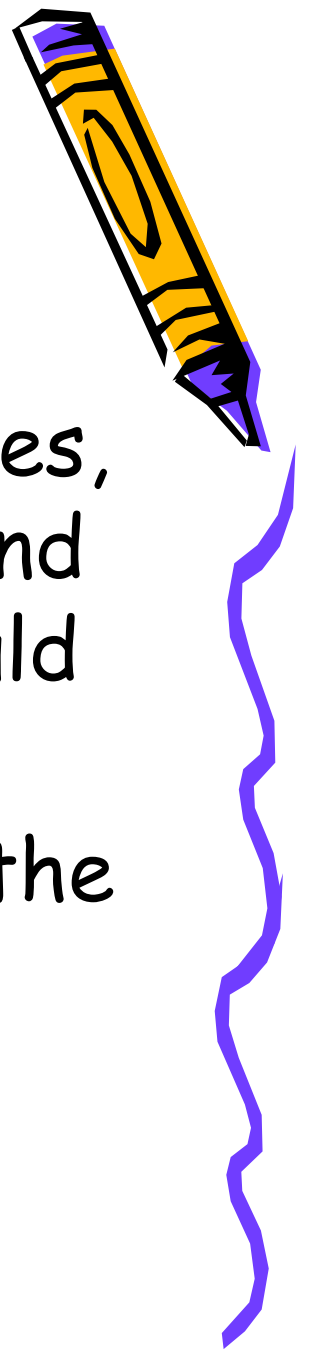


Exudative lesions or weeping dermatitis

- Employees who have above skin conditions shall refrain from handling equipment and devices used in performing invasive procedures and from all care that involves contact with the student until the condition resolves



Supplies



- All teachers are supplied with gloves, paper towels and anti-microbial hand wipes each school year. They should be replenished when used
- These supplies are available from the school nurse



First Aid and Clean Up Procedures



- 1. If possible, let the injured person care for him/herself
- 2. Create a barrier between yourself and blood/body fluids that may contain blood
- 3. Wear gloves when assisting in first aid or clean up then wash your hands



Hand Washing

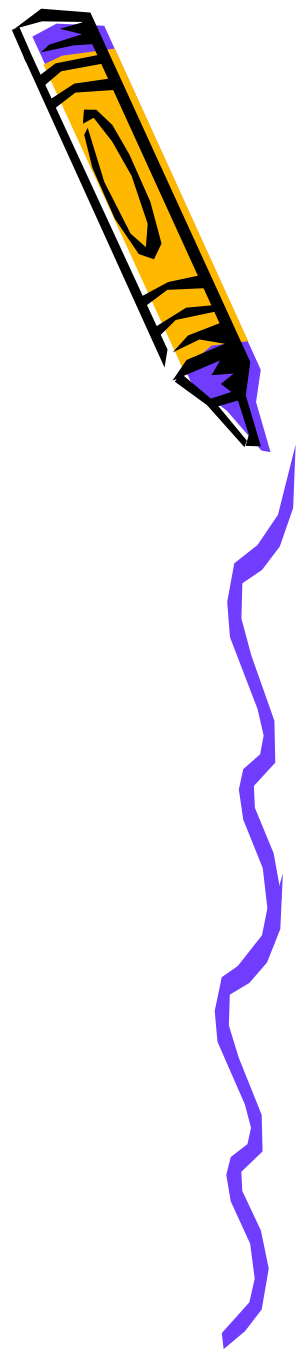


- 1. Wet hands with running water
- 2. Apply soap and lather well
- 3. Wash hands, using circular motion, friction for 15 to 30 seconds
- 4. Rinse well under running water
- 5. Dry hands well, turn off water with a paper towel



Hepatitis B Vaccine

- We need forms signed by:
- Allied Health Teachers
- Athletic Trainers
- Custodians
- First Responders
- High School ECP Teacher/Assistant
- School Nurses



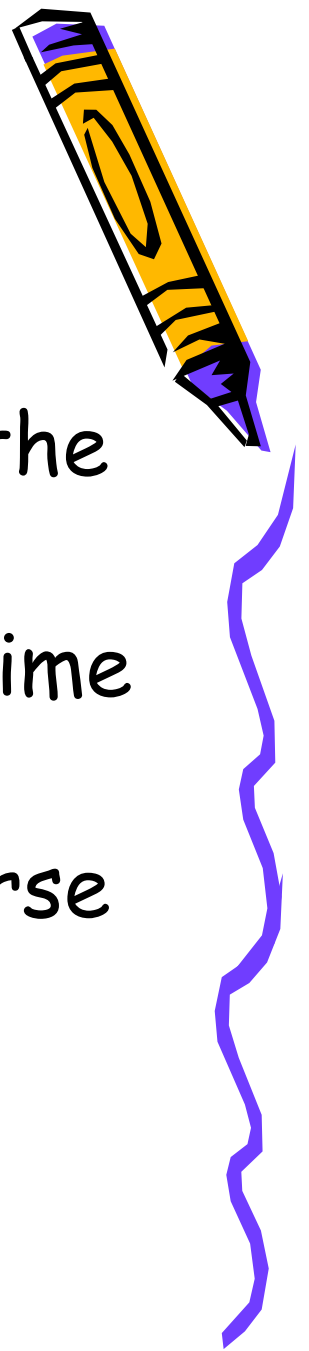
If you have already received the Hepatitis B Vaccine



- Record dates at the bottom of the consent/decline form and sign
- If you do not know the dates you received the series you may sign the decline part of the form
- Return form to your school nurse



If you want to decline the Hepatitis B series



- Please sign the decline portion of the form
- You may change your mind at any time and receive the series
- Return the form to your school nurse



If you want to receive the Hepatitis B Series



- Read the information about the vaccine
- Call the Craven County Health Dept to make an appointment in the Adult Immunization Clinic
- Take your form and state insurance card with you to the appointment
- Do not pay; CCHD will file insurance only
- Give a copy of the completed shot record to the school nurse



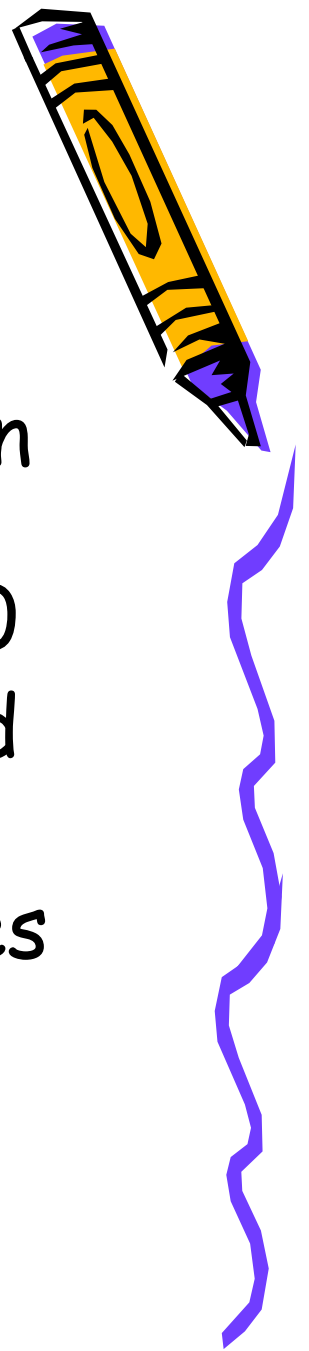
Hepatitis B Series



- 3 shots are needed to complete the series
- The second shot is due 1 month after the first
- The third shot is due 5 months after the second
- Give a copy of your completed shot record to your school nurse



Incomplete Hepatitis B Series



- Make an appointment at the Craven County Health Department Adult Immunization Clinic 252-636-4920
- Present a record of shots received with your State Insurance Card
- Give a copy of the completed series to your school nurse



Questions ?

- Contact your school nurse or the Lead Nurse at 252-514-6348
- If you do not have State Health Plan Insurance and want to receive the series, please contact the Lead Nurse at 252-514-6348.

