Employees Occupationally Exposed to Bloodborne Pathogens

The South Shore School District is consistently developing and implementing polices and procedures to safeguard the health and well-being of district employees and to promote a safe work environment. In accordance with the Occupational Safety and Health Administration's (OSHA's) Bloodborne pathogens standard, the district has developed an exposure control plan. The plan is designed to reduce an employee's exposure to the hepatitis B virus (HBV), human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) and other Bloodborne pathogens in the workplace.

It is the district's full intention that, if necessary, the physical facility, work practices and other areas will be modified to attain the plan's goal. In addition, employees will be informed and trained so that they, too, can contribute to the reduction and elimination of exposure.

To ensure that the exposure control plan is kept up to date, it will be reviewed and amended annually, and whenever tasks are implemented which may affect occupational exposure.

LEGAL REF.: Sections 101.055 Wisconsin Statutes
252.15
COMM (COMMERCE) 32, Wisconsin Administrative Code
29 CFR (Code of Federal Regulations) 1910.1030

CROSS REF.: Exposure Control Plan

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