

EDINBORO UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

BLOODBORNE PATHOGENS-Policy No. C050

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INTENT

To provide a University-wide plan to promote safe work practices in an effort to minimize the incidence of illness and injury experienced by employees and to reduce occupational exposure to Hepatitis B Virus (HBV), Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) and other bloodborne pathogens that employees may encounter in their workplace.

POLICY

The Bloodborne Pathogens Exposure Control Plan (BPP) is designated as the governing document for implementation of this policy.

PROCEDURES

The BPP will be made available to all employees and supervisors of employees in accordance with the plan.

The BPP will be kept current and updated in accordance with the plan.

RESPONSIBILITIES

The University Safety Officer is designated as the Exposure Control Officer in accordance with the BPP and will maintain the master copy of the BPP, ensure appropriate distribution of the BPP and update distributed copies accordingly.

Supervisors of affected employees, designated by the BPP, will be familiar with the BPP and will implement those actions required by the plan.