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HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONAL'S POST EXPOSURE WRITTEN OPINION

The following information is required by law to be provided to healthcare professionals performing blood borne pathogen evaluations including HBV vaccinations:

- A description of the exposure incident.
- Documentation regarding the routes of exposure
- Source individual's blood test results (Unless unfeasible or prohibited by law)
- A copy of OSHA's Blood borne Pathogens Standard.

Employee / Student Name: _____

Title: _____

Our employee has been referred to you due to an occupational exposure to blood or other potentially infectious material. Please provide the following information and return this form within 15 days of the evaluation.

Hepatitis B Vaccine: Please check appropriate box:

- ☐ Previously received HBV vaccination.
- ☐ HBV vaccination in progress.
- ☐ HBV vaccination is not indicated at this time.

Post-Exposure Follow-up and Evaluation

The employee has been provided the following:

- ☐ Laboratory test results
- ☐ Results of all evaluations and examinations.
- ☐ Information regarding any medical conditions resulting from the exposure incident which require treatment or evaluation.
- ☐ Post-exposure prophylaxis management and administration of HBIG, hepatitis B vaccine, and/or HIV PEP

Licensed Healthcare Provider

Date

NOTICE TO HEALTHCARE PROVIDER

As part of your follow-up for our employee (Exposed Individual), please provide the following services:

- 1 Test the Source Individual's blood to determine infectivity (if consent is given). If the individual is known to be infected with HIV, HBV, or HCV testing need not be repeated
- 2 Test the Exposed Individual/employee's blood to determine HIV, HBV, and HCV serologic status (consent form must be filled out)
- 3 Provide the Exposed Individual/employee (or their medical doctor) the Source Individual's test results (if feasible), and advise on regulations limiting disclosure of source identity and infectious status
- 4 Provide post-exposure treatment and counseling following U.S. Public Health Service guidelines
- 5 Complete the "Healthcare Professional's Post Exposure Written Opinion" and return it within 15 days to:

Exposure Control Officer
Northwestern Health Sciences University
2501 West 84th Street
Bloomington, MN 55431
- 6 If the employee does not give consent for HIV serological testing during collection of blood for baseline testing, preserve the baseline blood sample for at least 90 days. If the exposed personnel elects to have the baseline sample tested during this waiting period, perform testing as soon as feasible.