

Bloodborne Pathogen & Infection Control

Are You at Risk?
Avoid exposures.

First responders, healthcare personnel and associated staff are at risk for occupational exposure to bloodborne pathogens, including hepatitis B virus (HBV), hepatitis C virus (HCV), and human immunodeficiency virus (HIV). Exposures occur through needlesticks or cuts from other sharp instruments contaminated with an infected person's blood or body fluid or through contact of the eyes, nose, mouth, or skin with a person's blood or body fluid.

Determine your risk.

The Centers for Disease Control estimates that 17-57 US healthcare workers per million employed, die annually from occupational infections and injuries. Many of these deaths can be attributed to the transmission of:

- Hepatitis B
- Hepatitis C
- Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)
- Tuberculosis

These diseases are fatal. It is also important to recognize the potential for disease transmission in any setting.

Through our many contacts with individuals and industries, INC has identified a need for effective and customized Bloodborne Pathogen and Infection Control Training. The emergence of new and stronger pathogens, like SARS, MRSA, the increasing numbers of those infected with Hepatitis C and the mutation of other viruses such as the Avian influenza, has created a need for educating people in an effective manner while meeting, if not exceeding, OSHA regulations.

INC's professional staff has experience in teaching diverse educational backgrounds. We are continually assessing and reviewing our methods to maximize the learning potential of our class participants.

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Course length can vary from 2-4 hours depending on the needs of the audience. Information can be added to assist the employees who travel abroad to protect their health.

A certificate of completion is provided to each participant. Opportunity for Hepatitis B vaccination can be added as needed.

CPR and/or First Aid.

CPR and/or First Aid courses may be offered in conjunction with Bloodborne Pathogen and Infection Control training. These courses provide additional instruction on Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation and First Aid emergencies.

Scheduling.

Bloodborne Pathogen and Infection Control Courses are available at flexible and convenient times. INC training programs are a customized approach focusing on the needs of your workplace while presenting the information in a way that holds participant's interest and helps them retain the information. Individuals must be able to apply what they learn in the workplace and in their homes, to keep themselves healthy.

If you have at least 6 employees who are in need of training, Independent Nursing Care, LLC can conduct this course at your worksite. After successful class completion, all trainees will be issued a completion card through the American Heart Association. Independent Nursing Care, LLC also offers training courses that are open to the public.

All public courses are listed on our website, at www.INCnursing.com.

**Contact Independent Nursing Care to schedule a
Bloodborne Pathogen & Infection Control Course.**

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