

**MAINE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT #53  
Burnham – Detroit – Pittsfield**

**Bloodborne Pathogens**

MSAD #53 Board of School Directors acknowledges the risk of infection from bloodborne pathogens that employees may incur when they handle or participate in procedures that involve blood, other bodily fluids or other potentially infectious materials.

The Board directs the Superintendent to implement the mandated Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) standard to eliminate or minimize occupational exposure to potentially infectious material for employees.

The Superintendent shall prepare an occupational exposure control plan for Board consideration and approval. Updates shall be provided on at least an annual basis. The adopted plan shall be distributed to all employees. The following issues shall be addressed in the plan:

- A. Exposure determination;
- B. Preventive measures including training, universal precautions, Hepatitis A & B vaccination, work practice controls, and personal protective equipment;
- C. Post-exposure evaluation and follow-up; and
- D. Record keeping.

Legal Reference: OSHA Revised Bloodborne Pathogens Standard 1910.1030

Policy Reference: 9.2 Attendance-Students Infected with HIV

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