

# STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES

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**TITLE:** Response to Suspect Exposure to Uncharacterized Human Blood, Tissue, and Body Fluids  
**SCOPE:** All Animal Program Personnel  
**RESPONSIBILITY:** Veterinary Staff, Facility Manager, All Animal Care Personnel, Administrative Coordinator  
**PURPOSE:** To Outline Procedures for Responding to Suspect Occupational Exposure to Uncharacterized Human Blood, Tissue, and Body Fluids

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## I. PURPOSE

1. To effectively manage occupational suspect exposure to uncharacterized human blood, tissue, and body fluids.

## II. RESPONSIBILITY

1. It is the responsibility of each individual to report all work related exposures immediately to their supervisor.
2. Facility Managers are required to maintain a record of information regarding every reported work related injury/exposure following SOP #029 entitled Reporting/Tracking Work Related Injury/Illness.

## III. PROCEDURES

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Contact Infectious Disease Fellow on call at 974-2201.

4. Personnel with suspect exposures at USF affiliated hospital based facilities (i.e., H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center, James A. Haley Veterans' Hospital,) should follow procedures specific for the affiliate hospital described below.
5. H Lee Moffitt Cancer Center Facilities
  - a. Staff should be familiar with and follow Policy #12404-EH-20