

Prevention of Disease/Infection Transmission
(Handling Body Fluids)

All schools shall provide a sanitary environment and shall establish routines for handling body fluids that are recommended by appropriate health professionals.

All charter school personnel shall be advised of routine procedures to follow in handling body fluids. These procedures shall provide simple and effective precautions against transmission of diseases to persons potentially exposed to the blood or body fluids of another. These procedures shall be standard health and safety practices. No distinction shall be made between body fluids from individuals with a known disease and individuals without symptoms or with an undiagnosed disease.

The administration shall develop in consultation with medical personnel regulations to be distributed to all staff on a regular basis. Training and appropriate supplies shall be available to all personnel including those involved in transportation and custodial services.

In addition to insuring that these health and safety practices are carried out on a district-wide basis, special emphasis shall be placed in those areas of charter school operation that potentially present a greater need for these precautions.

CROSS REFS: JLCE, First Aid and Emergency Medical Care
GBGA, Staff Health
JLCC/JLCCA, Communicable Infectious Diseases/Students with
HIV/AIDS

Note: See "Procedure Guidelines for Health Care of Special Needs Students in the School Setting," published by the Colorado Department of Education and the Colorado Department of Health.

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