

EXPOSURE INCIDENT RESPONSE

Percutaneous Injury:

- ✓ Treat affected area.
- ✓ Wash well with disinfectant or antiseptic soap and water for 15 minutes (iodine is preferred).
- ✓ Squeeze around affected area to encourage bleeding.

Splash to Face:

- ✓ Flush affected area in eye wash for 15 minutes.

Aerosol Exposure:

- ✓ Hold breath and immediately leave room.
- ✓ Remove PPE carefully: turn exposed areas inward.
- ✓ Wash hands well with soap and water.
- ✓ Post spill sign, lab should be evacuated for at least 30 minutes. PI must clear lab for re-entry.

NOTE: If the accident generated an aerosol (i.e. spill outside the biosafety cabinet) leave the lab promptly and follow the response procedures at a safer location. Identify a back up location prior to initiation of work.

✓ Notify PI or Supervisor (if available) to initiate accident or exposure incident report.
(PI or Supervisor must notify EHS at 785-3555)

✓ Seek Medical Assistance Immediately (University Health Services Urgent Care) have a co-worker call ahead to alert health services (432-0123)