

Topic: Steps for care after a needle stick or splash (Bloodborne Pathogen policy-HS IC 006)

First aide: Wash injured site with soap and water, Notify your chain of command, Notify admitting team

Critical Step: Ensure admitting team orders source patient labs, using paper request in forms portal (#10935). These labs guide your treatment plan and determine if medications are needed.

Follow up care: Get seen ASAP in Occupational Health (OH) or any UCLA ED

- Occupational Health (7am- 4pm; M-F, closed holidays)
- Any UCLA Emergency Dept (ED).
- **What to expect at your UCLA ED visit:** Evaluation & health history, discussion of starting you on the prophylaxis medications (aka PEP), especially if source is HIV+ or UNKNOWN. Injured staff's labs are not required for treatment.

After visit: Call OH at 310-825-6771 next business day, for follow-up care

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