

Needle Stick Injury

What To Do After An Injury

If you have sustained an exposure to someone else's blood or body fluids via:

- A splash to the face or eyes
- A contaminated sharps injury that broke the skin

What to do:

- **STOP** what you are doing **IMMEDIATELY** and clean the affected area:
 - Face: Flush with lots of fresh water
 - Eyes: Use the eye wash station (if available)
 - Other areas: Wash with soap and water
- Identify the source patient (will need this to document on injury report)
- Report this occurrence to your direct supervisor
- Fill out the Team Member Occupational Incident/ Injury Report. [Akumin Insight \(Intranet\)](#) → [Clinical Care](#) → [TM Injury Reporting](#)
- Team Member can retrieve the Post Exposure Packet from the TM Injury Reporting page
- Necessary follow-up will be provided by Human Resources

You have the right to:

- Have your blood collected and tested for HBV, HCV, and HIV at no cost to you
- Have your blood collected and preserved for at least 90 days while you decide whether or not you want it to be tested
- Decline any medical treatment
- Counseling at no cost to you



If you decide to seek Medical Treatment:

Scan this Zurich QR Code and enter your Zip Code for your nearest Provider

Or call: 1-866-732-5342



Report needle stick and exposure incidents through the Occupational Health Form.



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