

University of Michigan Hospitals and Health Centers
BLOODBORNE PATHOGEN QUIZ
ANSWER KEY

- 1. Which of the following is NOT a potentially infectious material with which health care workers should avoid direct contact?**
(D) Dry, intact skin
- 2. Body Substance Precautions means that:**
(A) Health care workers should use barriers to avoid direct contact with moist body fluids and mucous membranes.
- 3. Which statement is true about HIV and health care workers?**
(C) There have been documented cases of health care workers who have been infected with HIV on the job.
- 4. Which disease transmitted through body substance exposure has a vaccine with which health care workers can be protected?**
(B) Hepatitis B
- 5. Which of the following incidents is NOT potentially infectious for health care employees:**
(D) Scratch that doesn't break the skin
- 6. When removing gloves after a task, the next steps to take are:**
(A) Discard the gloves and wash your hands.
- 7. Identify which of these items are considered "sharps":**
(D) All the above
- 8. When disposing of NEEDLES, what should be kept in mind?**
(D) Uncapped needle and syringe should be disposed of together in a sharps container.
- 9. What is the FIRST thing that you should do if your hands come into contact with blood or other body fluids?**
(C) Wash your hands with soap and water for a minimum of 10 seconds.
- 10. If you are stuck with a needle, whom should you call immediately - at any time of day, even after hours and on weekends - for medical follow-up and evaluation?**
(A) University of Michigan Health System Employee Health Services (Page Beeper 5356)

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