

## Emergency Procedures

### For Exposure to Blood or Fluid and Accidental Needle Stick

#### Exposure Response

Eye Splashes	Splashes on Oral or Nasal Mucosa	Skin Exposure or Needle stick
Remove Contacts  Immediately flush with cold water for 15 minutes.	Flush vigorously with cold water for 15 minutes.	Immediately flush wash thoroughly with soap and water.

- The exposed person should take 2 tiger top collection tubes of the blood of the source person with them to the student wellness center, emergency room, or their PCP (whatever the case may be). If the source person's blood has not been collected, then the source person should accompany the exposed person to the clinic.
- Get contact information for the source person

Name

Address

Telephone # E-mail

If a TTU student, identify yourself at the Student Wellness Center or at UMC Emergency Room as a TTU student who has received needle stick/exposure.

- If a faculty member or employee of TTU, identify yourself at the UMC Emergency Room as a TTU faculty member or employee who has received a needle stick/exposure.
- Take the form labeled Contaminated Sharps Injury Reporting Form with you and begin filling it out as soon as possible. This form can be found in the back of the KSM Laboratory Safety Manual in the Biochemistry lab, room 121.
- When completed send the form to Environmental Health and Safety at MS 1090, 122 Administrative Support Center (806) 742-3876.

If the Emergency Center has any questions regarding procedure, call the Needlestick Hotline at 404-727-4PEM (4736) 24/7