

**Course Name: Preventing Bloodborne Pathogens**

**Duration:** 2.00

**CEUs:** 0.20

**Description:**

This is a course for students desiring national certification that satisfies the training mandated by the Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA) Bloodborne Pathogens (BBP) Standard - 29 CFR 1910.1030. The course is a comprehensive educational program promoting objective driven and performance - based training for employees who are mandated by law to complete such training provided by their employers. These individuals are required to achieve and also maintain annual certification through a structured curriculum. This course is a single, integrated curriculum that includes training in the prevention, emergency care, and follow up from occupational exposure to blood and other potentially infectious materials (OPIM) occurring in the workplace. Students receive the most current content through a variety of educational methods, and must practice the required skill.

**Audience:**

This program is designed for any individual seeking an initial or refresher certification to meet OSHA regulatory requirements for the prevention of bloodborne pathogens.

**Prerequisites:**

There are no prerequisites required to participate in this program.

**Evaluation:**

All students must attend, participate in, and successfully complete all course skills and group cognitive review. Practical skills are only required for one activity, and detailed steps and pictures are provided to master the skill for certification. A group review is provided to test the lesson objectives.

**Note:** Participant records are updated within fifteen (15) days after the last scheduled class for the program. You may access your updated training record after receiving an invitation via SMS/email from Ellis Education Services to complete a class evaluation survey. Upon completion of the class evaluation survey, you will be able to:

1. View your updated student record with the completed class listing
2. Access your training credential (certificate / license)
3. Purchase any eligible CEUs associated with the program
4. Access and print a copy of your updated training record showing all training history and CEUs by using the Print Screen feature in the Portal.

**Outcomes:**

Participants will be able to:

1. Describe the employer requirements of OSHA's Bloodborne Pathogens Standard.
2. Describe the chain of infection as it applies to bloodborne diseases.
3. Discuss bloodborne diseases of concern.
4. Discuss how Standard Precautions protect against bloodborne pathogens.
5. Discuss types of personal protective equipment, work practices, and engineering controls that reduce risk of exposure to bloodborne pathogens.
6. Demonstrate how to properly remove medical gloves to avoid transmission of potentially infectious materials.
7. Identify warning labels used in cases of suspected risk of infection.
8. Summarize employer and employee actions to be taken in case of an occupational exposure to bloodborne pathogens.

9. Discuss the elements of their company's exposure control plan.