Chapter 392-198 WAC
TRAINING—SCHOOL EMPLOYEES—((HIV/AIDS)) BLOOD-BORNE PATHOGENS

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 91-18-006, filed 8/23/91, effective 9/23/91)

WAC 392-198-005 Authority. The authority for this chapter is RCW 70.24.290 which requires the superintendent of public instruction to adopt rules mandating appropriate education and training for public school employees about the transmission, prevention, and treatment of diseases caused by blood-borne pathogens as defined by RCW 70.24.017(1). The superintendent of public instruction is further required to develop the course content and educational material necessary in consultation with the department of health. OSPI is adopting rules from chapter 296-823 WAC unless otherwise provided here.

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WAC 392-198-010 Purpose. The purpose of this chapter is to provide public school districts with the mandatory course content requirements for training school district employees regarding the transmission, prevention, and treatment of diseases caused by blood-borne pathogens.

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WAC 392-198-015 Course content requirements for blood-borne pathogen inservice training Mandatory. In accordance with RCW 70.24.290, the blood-borne pathogen training provided by public school districts shall include:

(1) History and epidemiology of HIV/AIDS;
(2) Methods of transmission of HIV;
(3) Methods of prevention of HIV including universal precautions for handling of body fluids;
(4) Current treatment for symptoms of HIV and prognosis of disease progression;
(5) State and federal laws governing discrimination of persons with HIV/AIDS;
(6) State and federal laws regulating confidentiality of a person's HIV antibody status) the elements outlined in WAC 296-823-12005 with an emphasis on basic, essential skills such as handwashing and use of personal protective equipment.

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WAC 392-198-030 New employee training. Each school district shall must ensure that newly hired school district employees shall receive the blood-borne pathogens training prescribed in WAC 392-198-015 within six months from the first day of employment in the district prior to assigning tasks where occupational exposure might occur and at least annually and within one year of the previous training, in alignment with WAC 296-823-12005.

REPEALER

The following sections of the Washington Administrative Code are repealed:

WAC 392-198-020 Course content requirements for HIV/AIDS inservice training—Supplemental.
WAC 392-198-025 Continuing inservice.