Cottonwood School District No. 242

PERSONNEL 5610

Prevention of Disease Transmission

All District personnel shall be advised of routine procedures to follow in handling body fluids. These procedures shall provide simple and effective precautions against transmission of diseases to persons exposed to the blood or body fluids of another. These procedures shall be standard health and safety practices. No distinction shall be made between body fluids from individuals with a known disease or infection and from individuals without symptoms or with an undiagnosed disease.

The administration shall develop, in consultation with public health and medical personnel, procedures to be followed by all staff. The procedures for prevention of disease transmission shall be distributed to all staff, and training on the procedures shall occur on a regular basis. Training and appropriate supplies shall be available to all personnel, including those involved in transportation and custodial services.

Instruction

All employees will be instructed as to proper treatment, handling, and disposal procedures associated with the HIV tainted materials. Such training shall be conducted annually.

First Aid Kits and Bodily Fluid Kits

First aid kits and body fluid kits may be available in the workplace, including on each school bus and in each athletic travel kit.

Both the first aid kit and the body fluid kit in school buses will be properly mounted and labeled.

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