

- (I) ~~THE DECEDENT'S ATTENDING PHYSICIAN;~~
- (II) ~~A DESIGNEE OF THE MEDICAL CARE FACILITY THAT RECEIVES THE DECEDENT;~~
- (III) (I) THE CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER; OR
- (IV) (II) THE CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER'S DESIGNEE.

(B) IF, WHILE TRANSPORTING A ~~DECEDENT PERSON~~ TO A MEDICAL CARE FACILITY OR WHILE ACTING IN THE PERFORMANCE OF DUTY A FIRST RESPONDER COMES INTO CONTACT EXPOSURE ~~WITH A DECEASED WHILE TREATING OR TRANSPORTING A PERSON WHO DIES AT THE SCENE OR WHILE BEING TRANSPORTED AND WHO IS SUBSEQUENTLY DETERMINED, AS A RESULT OF INFORMATION OBTAINED IN CONJUNCTION WITH A POSTMORTEM EXAMINATION AT THE MEDICAL CARE FACILITY BY THE CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER OR A DESIGNEE OF THE CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER~~ TO HAVE HAD A CONTAGIOUS DISEASE OR VIRUS AT THE TIME OF DEATH, THE PHYSICIAN PERFORMING THE POSTMORTEM EXAMINATION SHALL NOTIFY THE FIRST RESPONDER AND THE FIRST RESPONDER'S EMPLOYER OR THE EMPLOYER'S DESIGNEE OF THE FIRST RESPONDER'S POSSIBLE CONTACT EXPOSURE TO THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASE OR VIRUS.

(C) THE NOTIFICATION REQUIRED UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION SHALL:

(1) BE MADE WITHIN 48 HOURS OF CONFIRMATION OF THE DETERMINATION THAT THE DECEASED PERSON HAD A CONTAGIOUS DISEASE OR VIRUS AT THE TIME OF DEATH;

(2) INCLUDE SUBSEQUENT WRITTEN CONFIRMATION OF POSSIBLE CONTACT EXPOSURE TO THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASE OR VIRUS;

(3) BE CONDUCTED IN A MANNER THAT WILL PROTECT THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF THE DECEASED PERSON; AND

(4) TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, BE CONDUCTED IN A MANNER THAT WILL PROTECT THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF THE FIRST RESPONDER.

(D) THE WRITTEN CONFIRMATION REQUIRED UNDER SUBSECTION (C) (2) OF THIS SECTION SHALL CONSTITUTE COMPLIANCE WITH THIS SECTION.

(E) A MEDICAL CARE FACILITY OR PHYSICIAN PERFORMING A POSTMORTEM EXAMINATION ACTING IN GOOD FAITH TO PROVIDE NOTIFICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SECTION IS NOT LIABLE IN ANY CAUSE OF ACTION RELATED TO A BREACH OF PATIENT CONFIDENTIALITY.

(F) A MEDICAL CARE FACILITY OR PHYSICIAN PERFORMING A POSTMORTEM EXAMINATION ACTING IN GOOD FAITH TO PROVIDE NOTIFICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SECTION IS NOT LIABLE IN ANY CAUSE OF ACTION FOR: