

~~(2) SUBMIT RECOMMENDED REVISIONS TO THE COMMISSIONER OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY AND THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2000 2001.~~

~~(B) THE COMMISSIONER AND THE SECRETARY SHALL JOINTLY ADOPT REGULATIONS INCORPORATING THE BOARD'S RECOMMENDATIONS ON OR BEFORE JUNE 1, 2000 2001.~~

~~(C) THE BLOODBORNE PATHOGEN STANDARD ADOPTED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBTITLE:~~

~~(1) SHALL APPLY ONLY TO HEALTH CARE FACILITIES; AND~~

~~(2) MAY NOT BE APPLIED TO INTERORAL PROCEDURES PERFORMED BY LICENSED DENTISTS.~~

~~(D) THE MARYLAND OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD SHALL:~~

~~(1) DEVELOP METHODS FOR MONITORING SHARPS INJURIES IN HEALTH CARE SETTINGS OUTSIDE OF HEALTH CARE FACILITIES;~~

~~(2) ADOPT REGULATIONS THAT REQUIRE ALL HEALTH CARE WORKERS TO REPORT ALL SHARPS INJURIES;~~

~~(3) TRACK AND MONITOR SHARPS INJURIES THAT OCCUR OUTSIDE OF HEALTH CARE FACILITIES; AND~~

~~(4) REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2-1246 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, ON OR BEFORE JUNE 1, 2001 ON THE NEED TO EXTEND THE BLOODBORNE PATHOGEN STANDARD TO ALL HEALTH CARE WORKERS.~~

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~~THE BLOODBORNE PATHOGEN STANDARD FOR HEALTH CARE FACILITIES SHALL INCLUDE:~~

~~(1) A REVISED DEFINITION OF ENGINEERING CONTROLS THAT INCLUDES ENGINEERED SHARPS INJURY PROTECTION TECHNOLOGY;~~

~~(2) A DEFINITION OF BOTH NEEDLE AND NONNEEDLE ENGINEERED SHARPS INJURY PROTECTION;~~

~~(3) A REQUIREMENT THAT THE ENGINEERED SHARPS INJURY PROTECTION TECHNOLOGY BE INCLUDED AS ENGINEERING OR WORK PRACTICE CONTROLS;~~

~~(4) A WAIVER OF THE ENGINEERED SHARPS INJURY PROTECTION TECHNOLOGY REQUIREMENTS WHEN THE EMPLOYER OR OTHER APPROPRIATE PERSON CAN DEMONSTRATE THAT:~~

~~(i) NO DEVICE IS THEN AVAILABLE IN THE MARKETPLACE TO PERFORM THE MEDICAL PROCEDURE BECAUSE OF LIMITS IN SUPPLY OR IN TECHNOLOGY;~~