



**POST EXPOSURE
PROPHYLAXIS (PEP) TO
BLOOD AND BODY FLUIDS
STANDARD ORDERS – ADULT
(13 Years of Age and Older)**

These orders are to be used as a guideline and do not replace sound clinical judgement and professional practice standards. Patient allergy and contraindications must be considered when completing these orders.

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INVESTIGATIONS

- Cadham – Serum HbsAg, HBsAb, HBcAb, HCVAb, HIV 1 & 2 Ab
 - *For patients receiving HIV post-exposure prophylaxis: give first dose within 2 to 4 hours if possible, but within 72 hours maximum. No laboratory evaluation is required prior to initiating HIV PEP (p. 10)*
 - *Include the name of the primary care provider on the requisition.*
- Serum creatinine, AST, ALT, CBC
- Additional tests if receiving KIT B (impaired renal function) – Na⁺, K⁺, Cl⁻, Total bilirubin, CK*
- For **sexual** exposure – screen for Syphilis (VDRL), Gonorrhea, and Chlamydia. For women less than 60 years of age, pregnancy testing

Normal results of lab work involving occupational exposures for SH-SS and partner organizations employee, physician, student or volunteer may be shared with the **source** and **exposed** by ICP providing follow up. Normal results of lab work of **exposed** and **source** involved in an exposure that occurred in community (for both occupational and non-occupational) are communicated by their respective primary care providers. Abnormal lab results for ALL exposures are communicated to **exposed** and **source** by the emergency department physician/alternate.

MEDICATIONS

Ask patient about immunization status and check immunization record (eChart)

Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Pertussis Prophylaxis:

- Tdap 0.5 mL IM – for clients 16 years of age and younger, or if not previously given as an adult. May be given at 26 weeks of pregnancy or greater.
- Td 0.5 mL IM – if Tdap given in past but immunization not current.

Tetanus vaccine and tetanus immunoglobulin must be administered at different injection sites.

- Tetanus Immunoglobulin 250 units IM – for patients with uncertain history of tetanus immunization or less than 3 prior doses of vaccine AND major or contaminated wounds (always give with appropriate tetanus vaccine)

Hepatitis B:

Results of hepatitis B virus (HBV) serology are preferred before ordering hepatitis B immune globulin (HBIG) or hepatitis B vaccine. The patient should receive immunization preferably within 48 hours post exposure, but it may be given up to 7 days post exposure. If it is unlikely the results of HBV serology can be obtained within 48 hours, or if the Source may be in the window period, or if in the physician's clinical judgement the exposed is unlikely to return for treatment, both HBIG and HBV vaccine should be given.

- Hepatitis B Immune Globulin (HBIG) _____ mL IM x 1 dose (Recommended dose: 0.06 mL/kg)

HBIG and HBV vaccine must be administered at different injection sites.

Hepatitis B Vaccine (initial dose for a 3-dose schedule):

- Adults less than 20 years of age: hepatitis B vaccine 0.5 mL IM
(Recombivax HB pediatric 5 mcg/0.5 mL or Engerix-B pediatric 10 mcg/0.5 mL)
- Adults 20 years of age and older: hepatitis B vaccine 1 mL IM
(Recombivax HB 10 mcg/mL or Engerix-B 20 mcg/mL)

Clients who are immunocompromised or receiving hemodialysis:

- Hepatitis B vaccine (Engerix B) 40 mcg = 2 mL IM

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HIV Prophylaxis:

To be provided for exposures which meet high-risk criteria: high or moderate risk exposure, plus risk of source having transmissible HIV.

➤ See *Post Exposure to Blood and Body Fluids Risk Assessment and Management* (CLI.4110.PLI.017.FORM.01).

HIV prophylaxis is ideally initiated within **2 to 4 hours** and up to **72 hours** post-exposure. Consult an Infectious Disease (ID) Physician through HSC paging at 204-787-2071 if:

- Known or suspected pregnancy or lactation in the exposed
- Delayed presentation (greater than 72 hours) by the exposed to a health care provider for initial assessment
- Unknown source
- Exposed is immunocompromised, has serious medical comorbidities, or is taking medications that may interact with PEP therapy
- Known or suspected resistance of the source virus to antiretroviral agents
- Toxicity of the initial PEP regimen

Not indicated if exposed is already HIV-infected.

KIT A – Standard Treatment:

For all clients 13 years of age and older with normal renal function.

(Contains raltegravir 400 mg x 6 tablets AND tenofovir 300 mg / emtricitabine 200 mg (Truvada®) x 3 tablets; 3 day starter kit)

- Raltegravir 400 mg oral BID **AND**
- Tenofovir 300 mg / emtricitabine 200 mg (Truvada®) 1 tablet once daily

KIT B – Impaired Renal Function:

For clients 16 years of age and older or 13-15 years of age weighing 35 kg and over, with a creatinine clearance of less than 60 mL/minute.

(Contains raltegravir 400 mg x 6 tablets AND zidovudine 300 mg / lamiVUDine 150 mg (Combivir®) x 6 tablets; 3 day starter kit)

- Raltegravir 400 mg oral BID **AND**
- Zidovudine 300 mg / lamiVUDine 150 mg (Combivir®) 1 tablet BID

KIT C – Pediatric:

For adolescents 13-15 years of age weighing 25-34.9 kg, with a creatinine clearance of less than 60 mL/minute.

(Contains raltegravir 400 mg x 6 tablets AND zidovudine 100 mg x 18 capsules AND lamiVUDine 150 mg x 6 tablets; 3 day starter kit)

- Raltegravir 400 mg oral BID **AND**
- Zidovudine 9 mg per kg = _____ mg BID **AND**
- LamiVUDine _____ mg AM and _____ mg HS

Table 1: Zidovudine and Lamivudine Dosing For KIT C

Check One:	Weight	Age	Zidovudine Dose	LamiVUDine Dose	
				AM	HS
	27.5-34.9 kg	13-15 years	300 mg BID	150 mg	150 mg
	25-27.4 kg	13-15 years	200 mg BID	150 mg	150 mg
	20-24.9 kg	13-15 years	200 mg BID	75 mg	150 mg
	16.5-19.9 kg	13-15 years	200 mg BID	75 mg	75 mg
	15-16.4 kg	13-15 years	100 mg BID	75 mg	75 mg

***Two kits (six days of treatment) may be provided to clients if there is an anticipated barrier to timely follow up.*

KIT A and KIT B will be stocked at all hospitals with Emergency Departments

KIT A, KIT B, KIT C and KIT D (second pediatric kit) will be stocked in the Emergency Departments of the 3 Regional Centres

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