CLINICAL ROTATIONS
HAZARDS INFORMED CONSENT
OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE INSTRUCTIONS

Occupational Exposures

If a pharmacy student experiences a hazardous material exposure, students should immediately:

1. Notify their on-site preceptor; and follow any procedures they have in place
2. Notify their SWOSU faculty advisor if not their on-site preceptor
3. Notify Campus Center for Health & Well-being, 580-774-3776 susan.ellis@swosu.edu;
4. Notify the Director of Experiential Education, Dr. Christy Cox 405-601-8335 christy.cox@swosu.edu
5. Students on IPPE rotations: Also notify the IPPE Coordinator, Dr. Sally Drinnon 580-774-6007 sally.drinnon@swosu.edu

The Student can contact their PCP for follow-up but can get assistance from the University Nurse to schedule an appointment with a SWOSU physician or may go to a medical clinic of their choice, such as a walk-in clinic, Emergency Room, etc., within 24 hours of the exposure for testing or treatment, if applicable.

a. If prophylaxis is indicated, it is ideally started within the first 24 hours of the exposure but can be started up to 7 days from the exposure.
b. All testing and follow up treatment will be managed by the provider of the student's choosing.

The Campus Nurse will:

1. Notify SWOSU's Exposure Control and Education Coordinator.
2. Follow-up with the student as needed.

If the exposure occurs on a weekend, holiday or outside of normal University hours, students should:

1. Notify their on-site preceptor and follow any procedures they have in place.
2. Notify their SWOSU faculty advisor if not their on-site preceptor.
3. Notify by e-mail the director for the Center for Health and Well-being, Susan Ellis at susan.ellis@swosu.edu and copy the Director of Experiential Education, Dr. Christy Cox christy.cox@swosu.edu.; IPPE students should also copy the IPPE coordinator, Dr. Sally Drinnon sally.drinnon@swosu.edu. Students should include their phone contact information in the e-mail.

The Student may go to a medical clinic of their choice, such as a walk-in clinic, Emergency Room, etc. within 24 hours of the exposure for testing or treatment, if applicable.

a. If prophylaxis is indicated, it is ideally started within the first 24 hours of the exposure but can be started up to 7 days from the exposure.
b. All testing and follow-up treatment will be managed by the student's chosen provider.

On the next business day, the Campus Nurse will:

a. Notify SWOSU's Exposure Control and Education Coordinator.
b. Contact the student to ensure they were seen for initial evaluation of treatment, testing and follow-up, if applicable.

As stated in the Experiential Education Manual: *Students are responsible for the cost of any healthcare and/or medical treatment that may be needed or required while on rotations. This includes any treatment provided at a site, whether acute or non-urgent care.* https://www.swosu.edu/academics/academic-departments/pharmacy/current-students/experiential-program/students/information.php