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Accident and Emergency Staff

Dear Medical Staff

The person presenting this letter works with UNSCREENED human tissue or blood and has sustained an injury that has exposed them to the possibility of infection by biological agents within the tissue/blood.

The principle concern is a risk of infection with Blood Borne Viruses such as Hepatitis (HBV, HCV) and HIV.

The person and/or first aider has already taken immediate steps to encourage the wound to bleed and washed around the wound with running water and soap.

The person requires to be assessed and blood samples tested for BBVs to establish whether infection has occurred.

Kindest regards

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