



RULE-MAKING ORDER
(RCW 34.05.360)

CR-103 (7/10/97)

Agency: Department of Corrections
[] Permanent Rule
[X] Emergency Rule

(1) Date of adoption: October 24, 1997
[] Expedited Adoption
[] Expedited Repeal

(2) Purpose: These rules are for the purpose of establishing procedures necessary to assure the effective communication required between health officials and correctional administrators in the event a correctional staff member is substantially exposed to the bodily fluids of an offender or detainee in the course of their official duties.

(3) Citation of existing rules affected by this order: NONE
Repealed:
Amended:
Suspended:

(4) Statutory authority for adoption:
Other authority: Section 6, chapter 345, Laws of 1997

PERMANENT RULE ONLY (Including EXPEDITED ADOPTION)
Adopted under notice filed as WSR _____ on _____ (date).
Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version:

EMERGENCY RULE ONLY
Under RCW 34.05.350 the agency for good cause finds:
[X] (a) That immediate adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare, and that observing the time requirements of notice and opportunity to comment upon adoption of a permanent rule would be contrary to the public interest.
[] (b) That state or federal law or federal rule or a federal deadline for state receipt of federal funds requires immediate adoption of a rule.
Reasons for this finding: The legislature has found that the health and safety of corrections staff are jeopardized when communicable disease information is not disclosed to such staff in a timely manner following a substantial exposure. These rules implement the requirements of chapter 345, Laws of 1997.

EXPEDITED REPEAL ONLY
Under Preproposal Statement of Inquiry filed as WSR _____ on _____ (date).

(5.3) Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption or effectiveness of rule?
[] Yes [X] No If Yes, explain:

(6) Effective date of rule:
Permanent Rules or Expedited Rule Making
[] 31 days after filing
[] Other (specify) _____
Emergency Rules
[X] Immediately
[] Later (specify) _____
*(If less than 31 days after filing, specific finding in 5.3 under RCW 34.05.380(3) is required)

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Federal statute:	New _____	Amended _____	Repealed _____
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Negotiated rule making:	New _____	Amended _____	Repealed _____
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Chapter 137-100 WAC

OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE TO HUMAN IMMUNOCDEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV)

NEW SECTION

WAC 137-100-001 Purpose. The purpose of this chapter shall be to insure coordination of the provisions of SHB1605, RCW 70.24.105, RCW 70.24.340, RCW 70.24.370 and chapter 72.09 RCW by the department of corrections and the department of health.

NEW SECTION

WAC 137-100-010 Definitions. The following definitions shall apply in interpreting this chapter:

- (1) Correctional staff member means a department of corrections employee, an individual providing services under contract to the department, and volunteers.
- (2) Department means the department of corrections.

NEW SECTION

WAC 137-100-020 Medical Records Available. The department will make available an offenders sexually transmitted disease status to any correctional staff member who has experienced a substantial exposure by that offender. Should such records be nondiscloseable, the department shall advise the correctional staff member of the process to receive that information. This process shall be facilitated by the health care manager or infection control coordinator.

NEW SECTION

WAC 137-100-030 Request for Test Results - by correctional staff members. A request for test results shall be made in writing. At a minimum, the request shall include:

- (1) Name of the person requesting the record;
- (2) Nature of the exposure, including date and time;
- (3) Name of the offender; and
- (4) DOC number of the offender, if known.

The request shall be accompanied by a copy of the report of personal injury (form DOC 3-133) and a post-exposure incident report (DOC form 3-184) outlining the circumstances and results of the exposure incident.