

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON
SCHOOL OF NURSING

**BLOOD-BORNE PATHOGENS POLICY & TRAINING
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT STATEMENT**

FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS ONLY*

School policy requires that each new graduate student sign and return this form to the UW School of Nursing. This policy complies with UW School of Nursing affiliation agreements with clinical agencies and Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) rules, and has been developed for the safety of you and your clients, subjects, and/or patients.

Please read these directions CAREFULLY, sign and return this acknowledgment form by mail to the UW School of Nursing, Box 357260, Seattle, WA 98195, or bring to Academic Services in Room T310 of the UW Health Sciences Building.

1. **I have been provided** with the School of Nursing Blood-Borne Pathogens (BBP) Policy (http://www.son.washington.edu/students/all_policies_health.asp).
2. **I understand** that prior to beginning an assignment in a clinical agency, I must have received training in the following aspects of blood-borne pathogens:
 - epidemiology and symptoms of blood-borne disease
 - modes of transmission
 - explanation of the University exposure control plan (contained in the BBP policy)
 - methods to control exposure
 - information on protective clothing and equipment
 - emergency information (contained in the BBP policy)

3. **I attest that I have received such training (check all boxes that apply)**

- I have received the training either as a part of my prior work or educational experience, or by virtue of the fact that I am licensed as an RN.
- I will attend a class on blood-borne pathogens at the University of Washington School of Nursing Orientation in September.
- I will watch a video-taped class on blood-borne pathogens on reserve at the University of Washington Health Sciences library.

PRINT NAME: _____

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE** _____

DEGREE PROGRAM: **MN/MS** **GCPAPN** **DNP** **PhD**

*BSN students MUST take the BBP training class during orientation in order to fulfill requirements for eligibility for RN licensure. Completion of this form is insufficient validation of BSN student training in BBP.