

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN FRANCISCO
OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENT, HEALTH AND SAFETY
HERPES B TRAINING REQUIREMENTS**

Policy

This policy outlines the mandatory training for all individuals with direct or indirect exposure to live macaques and/or their tissues, cell lines, or other materials.

Scope

The University of California, San Francisco requires that all staff, volunteers and visitors working with or exposed to live macaques or derived materials participate in the outlined training courses.

Exemptions

Individuals from regulatory and accrediting agencies are exempt from these requirements. Training reciprocity for visiting personnel with up to date Herpes B safety training from other institutions may also be exempted from these requirements at the discretion of the Biosafety Officer or his/her designee.

Training

It is the responsibility of the manager/supervisor or Principal Investigator to ensure that all staff meets the following training requirements, and that these requirements are fulfilled prior to beginning work and annually thereafter.

- **In-person Herpes B Training**
This training reviews general information on Herpes B, safety precautions, and post-exposure protocols. Contact the Public Health Office at PublicHealthOffice@ucsf.edu to schedule this course.
- **IACUC –LARC Herpes B Training**
This is a hands-on species training that reviews safe handling procedures, animal behavior, and post-exposure procedures. Contact the LARC Vet Nurses at RVTs@larc.ucsf.edu to schedule this course.
- **Online Herpes B Training**
This training provides general information on Herpes B, safety precautions, and post exposure protocols.

Training Requirements

Exposure Category	Initial Training	Annual Training
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Live Macaque Workers (Direct Contact)	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Online Herpes B Training2. In-person Herpes B Training3. IACUC – Herpes B Training	In-person Herpes B Training
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Macaque Tissue Users• Workers with Macaque Exposure*• Cage Wash Staff	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Online Herpes B Training2. In-person Herpes B Training	Online Herpes B Training

**Workers with macaque exposure have no direct contact with animals. These individuals include shared space users, facilities personnel, IACUC personnel and Environmental Health and Safety staff.*

For Additional Information

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