**Emergency Medical Treatment:** In case of emergency call 911 or go to the closest urgent care facility or medical emergency room (Boulder Community Hospital 1100 Balsam Boulder, Colorado 80304 (303) 440-2273). If exposed to a hazardous chemical, flush with water, have someone else call 911 or prepare the MSDS of the hazardous chemical and call ahead to the emergency care facility.

### **Non-Emergency Medical Treatment**

- CU Employees (including Graduate Students)
  - For non-emergency or follow-up medical care for work related injury/illness, go to one of the CU Designated Medical Providers (Concentra, HealthOne, Arbor, Workwell, CCOM). Their contact information is on the University Risk Management (URM) <u>URM website</u> (<a href="https://www.cu.edu/risk">https://www.cu.edu/risk</a>) on the <u>workers' compensation</u> (<a href="https://www.cu.edu/content/workerscompensation">https://www.cu.edu/content/workerscompensation</a>) information page.
    - Arbor Occupational Medicine

1690 30th St Boulder, CO 80301 Phone: (303) 443 – 0496

Concentra

3300 28th Street Boulder, CO 80301 (303) 541-9090

- o If injury is after hours or while traveling, go to the nearest urgent care facility or medical emergency room, then contact University Risk Management (888) 812-9601 or (303) 860-5682 for further instructions.
- Unpaid Students, Other Non-Employees (including HHMI Employees)
  - o Contact your personal healthcare provider for guidance.
  - The closest campus facility that may treat Students is Wardenburg Health Center, 18<sup>th</sup> and Broadway, between 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM Monday-Friday (303-492-5432).

# **Needlestick & Body Fluid Exposure**

A bloodborne pathogen exposure is one that might place you at risk for HBV, HCV, or HIV infection and is defined as a percutaneous injury (e.g., a needlestick or cut with a sharp object) or contact of mucous membrane or non-intact skin (e.g., exposed skin that is chapped, abraded, or afflicted with dermatitis) with blood, tissue, or other body fluids that are potentially infectious. Prompt treatment is essential because, in some cases, post exposure treatment may be recommended and it should be started as soon as possible.

# **On-line Resource Information**

CDC's Exposure to Blood, <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/hai/">http://www.cdc.gov/hai/</a>

 Mountain Plains AIDS Education & Training Center's <u>PEP Steps</u>, http://www.mpaetc.org/default.asp

# Reporting

- Report the injury immediately to the coordinator responsible for the area of the lab where you were injured and Dr. Anseth.
- Report the incident on the <u>URM website</u> (<a href="https://www.cu.edu/risk">https://www.cu.edu/risk</a>) general liability (non-employees) or workers' compensation (employees) form using the in-network form if reporting using the CU internet and out-of-network form if using another internet system.
- Needlesticks must be reported on the <u>URM website</u> (https://www.cu.edu/risk) needlestick form.
- HHMI Employees should report the incident to HHMI as soon as possible. Contact Traveler's Insurance Company 1-800-832-7839, which handles all workmen's compensation incidents. Medical bills will be submitted to them for payment. If there are any questions, contact Robbie Haywood at the HHMI Houston Office at <a href="haywoodr@HHMI.org">haywoodr@HHMI.org</a> or 713-798-8505.

# **Medical Bill Payment**

- Non-employees submit bills to your personal health insurance carrier for payment.
- HHMI Employees submit bills to Traveler's Insurance Company.
- CU Employees: Request that all bills from medical providers be sent to URM.

University Risk Management 1800 Grant Street, Suite 700 Denver, CO 80203 Fax: 303-860-5680

#### **Questions**

- Additional current information and guidance is on the <u>URM website</u> (<a href="https://www.cu.edu/risk">https://www.cu.edu/risk</a>) on the <u>workers' compensation</u> (<a href="https://www.cu.edu/content/workerscompensation">https://www.cu.edu/content/workerscompensation</a>) information page.
- Please direct any workers' compensation questions to University Risk Management (303)860-5682/(888)812-9601.