Lentivirus

(to be carried at all times and presented to medical personnel in the event of exposure)

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR EMERGENCY PERSONNEL

The individual carrying this card works in a laboratory with lentivirus and may have come into contact via direct contact with nonintact skin or the eye, nose, or mouth; accidental parenteral injection; or inhalation of droplets at close range (risk of airborne or ingestion exposures unknown)

Note: This card is intended to be informational and should not substitute for clinical presentation and provider judgment of individual clinical cases.

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MEDICAL ALERT INFORMATION

The person carrying this card has an occupational exposure to Lentivirus. Immediately call Occupational Health at 301.405.3315

FIRST AID AND OTHER MEASURES
- Wash skin with soap and water for at least 5 minutes and/or flush eyes or other mucous membranes with water for at least 10 minutes
- Immediately call the lab’s Principal Investigator (PI) to verify whether lentivirus is “replication-competent” or “replication-incompetent”, genes involved, and other relevant information to inform decisions on PEP

POST-EXPOSURE TREATMENT
- Baseline HIV testing
- ASAP initiation of treatment (max 72 hrs, ideally within 2 hours)
- 7 days of:
  - Integrase inhibitor e.g., raltegravir 400mg twice daily; PLUS
  - Nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitor e.g., tenofovir 300mg once daily (if contraindication exists, use raltegravir alone)

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