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Gwinnett County Environmental Health Body Artist Training

The Gwinnett County Body Art Regulations require that all body artists must have up-to-date training in the following topics:

- 1. Blood-borne pathogens
- 2. Sterilization (running an autoclave)
- 3. First Aid
- 4. CPR
- 5. Sanitary Procedures

To earn course credit in one of these topics, the course certificate must either state the topic or other adequate documentation from the training organization must be submitted. Other adequate documentation is a course syllabus or a letter from the training organization stating the topic was covered in the course. Trainings cannot be older than two years. Also, if the training organization has a renewal requirement on the certificate of less than two years, we must honor that requirement. **Documentation of passing a course must be submitted to Gwinnett Environmental Health.**

The following courses have been approved to cover blood-borne pathogens, sterilization and sanitary procedures. First Aid and CPR will need to be taken separately.

- Blood-Borne Training Institute of America Blood-borne Pathogens Online www.bbptraining.com
- International CPR Institute Blood-Borne Pathogens Online www.icpri.com
- 3. ProTrainings Blood-borne Pathogens Training **Online** www.probloodborne.com
- Biologix Solutions Training & Consulting Online
 http://blxtraining.com/tattoopiercing-bbp/
 Course titled "Blood-borne Pathogens for Tattoo Artists & Piercers"
- 5. American Red Cross Bloodborne Pathogens Training for Body Artists **Online**https://www.redcross.org/take-a-class/classes/bloodborne-pathogens-training-for-tattoo-artists---online-course/05930186.html
- Triple E Training Center (Infection Control Course) for Tattooing and Body Piercing Classroom

Contact Sidney T. Steen at (843)-833-0515 or (843) 344-1574

- 7. Alliance of Professional Tattooists, Inc. **Online**Prevention of Disease Transmission in Tattooing, Microbiology & Disease, Sterilization, and Disinfection & Blood Borne Pathogens
 https://tattoosafety.org/
- 8. AboveTraining.com **Online**Blood-borne Pathogens for Body Artists Online
 https://abovetraining.com/bloodborne-pathogens
- 9. North American Learning Institute **Online**Blood Borne Pathogen Tattoo Artist Course
 https://nalearning.org
- 10. Pacific Medical Training Bloodborne Pathogens **Online** https://pacificmedicaltraining.com/education-nm-bbp.html
- 11. Bloodborne Pathogens Certification **Online** https://www.cprcertified.com/courses/bloodborne-pathogens
- 12. Bloodborne Cerification **Online** https://bloodbornecertification.com/