

**North Carolina Department of Labor
Occupational Safety and Health Division**

Raleigh, NC

Field Information System

CPL 2-2.44D

Subject: *Bloodborne Pathogens*

Discussion: This instruction establishes policies and provides clarification to ensure uniform inspection procedures are followed when conducting inspections to enforce the Occupational Exposure for Bloodborne Pathogens Standard.

Action: References to the Field Information Reference Manual (FIRM) and Regional Administrator or other federal personnel will mean the North Carolina Operations Manual and the appropriate OSH Division management person (District Supervisor, Bureau Chief, or Assistant Director), respectively.

District Supervisors and Compliance Officers (CSHOs) will use the guidance in this instruction when issuing citations for Bloodborne Pathogens violations. In North Carolina, the guidance in this instruction may also be used where appropriate for the Construction Industry.

CPL 2-2.44C and OPN 103 are canceled. This revised instruction, CPL 2-2.44D, is effective on the date of signature. It will remain in effect until canceled by the Director or revised.

Signed on Original

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Date