POLICY

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Personnel and Negotiations

SUBJECT: <u>EXPOSURE CONTROL PLAN – BLOODBORNE PATHOGENS</u> <u>STANDARD</u>

The Greater Southern Tier BOCES is committed to provide a safe and healthful work environment for our entire staff. In pursuit of this endeavor, the following Exposure Control Plan (ECP) is provided to eliminate or minimize occupational exposure to bloodborne pathogens in accordance with OSHA Bloodborne Pathogens Standard, Title 29, Code of Federal Regulations 10=910.1030.

The ECP is a key document to assist our organization in implementing and ensuring compliance with the standard, thereby protecting our employees. This ECP includes:

- I. Employee exposure determination
- II. The procedures for evaluating the circumstances surrounding an exposure incident, and
- III. The schedule and method for implementing the specific sections of the standard, including:
 - Methods of compliance
 - Hepatitis B vaccination and post-exposure follow-up
 - Training and communication of hazards to employees
 - Recordkeeping