

# IN CASE OF AN INJURY

Management of needlestick and similar injuries when Student Wellbeing Centre is **CLOSED**

## THE STUDENT

Should immediately

- Wash and disinfect according to protocol

Thereafter

- Contact your supervisor
- Call **Student Wellbeing Centre + 46(0)8-524 835 70**.  
We will return your call as soon as we open again
- KI-student – report the injury in the KI incident reporting system

Student at another higher education institution – contact your programme coordinator



## THE SUPERVISOR/ TEACHING STAFF

- Initiates the risk assessment with support of attending physician in the department/clinic and assesses risk factors in source patient\* and potential risk of infection



### NO-RISK PATIENT

### SOURCE PATIENT

### AT-RISK PATIENT



#### Student with unconfirmed immunity to Hepatitis B:

- Baseline bloods taken in current clinic (or at local emergency ward, *närakut*)\*\*
- Contact vaccination centre within 48 hours for HBV vaccine/booster. If the vaccination centre is closed, consult with the infectious disease physician on call.

#### Student with confirmed immunity to Hepatitis B (3 doses of vaccine and serological test as confirmed immunity):

- Will be contacted by Student Wellbeing Centre.

#### Responsible physician

Blood-borne virus (BBV) testing of source patient:

- Request informed consent from the patient.
- Hepatitis serology (B+C) and HIV-serology.
- Notifies the test result to the supervisor and/or the student.

\*\*Baseline bloods, HBsAg, HBc-Ak, HBs-Ak, HCV-Ak, HIV 1/HIV 2 ag/ak.

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Test result unit:  
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#### Consult the infectious disease physician on call

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