## **Body Piercing**

- Body Piercers and Salon Operators are required to complete an Initial Formal Course. This
  course covers regulations, sterilization procedures, aseptic techniques and infection control.
  Here is the link to the list of approved Body Piercing Trainings:
  - http://www.floridahealth.gov/environmental-health/body-piercing/body-piercing-training.html
- 2. Please read Code 64E-19.
- 3. Handsink with hot water (at least 100 degrees Fahrenheit) must be provided for piercers. One handsink shall serve no more than three body piercing personnel. Hot water at handsinks shall not exceed 120 degrees Fahrenheit
- 4. Walls, floors, and procedure surfaces of equipment in areas where body-piercing procedures are conducted, where equipment and instruments are cleaned, and in restrooms shall be smooth non-absorbent and washable.
- 5. There shall be a minimum of forty-five (45) square feet of floor space in the body piercing area for each person performing body piercing
- 6. Multiple body piercing stations shall be separated by such means as dividers, curtains or partitions that are cleanable.
- 7. Customer forms & aftercare instructions

The customer's address and telephone number;

Their date of birth, race and sex;

Their physician's name, address and telephone number;

The name, telephone number and address of an emergency contact person for the customer;

A list of allergies, including allergies to medicines or topical solutions used by the establishment;

History of bleeding disorders;

The date of the customer's initial visit and any subsequent visits;

The body part or location that was pierced;

A description of the jewelry used in the piercing;

A description of any complications that occurred at the time of the piercing procedure;

Copies of the signed statement for receipt of educational information required

1. If you are not using prepackaged, single use tools then you will be required to have an autoclave – autoclave will need to have a manual and autoclave log available for review. If only individually packaged, pre-sterilized, single-use items are used in the establishment, the cleaning sink and ultrasonic, machine requirements do not apply.

## Non-single use tools will also require:

- An autoclave
- An autoclave logs
- Indicator strips
- Spore tests supply and passing result
- If you previously sterilized, where do you previously sterilized the instruments (Name and DOH License number of the establishment) and how you will transfer this instruments from the event

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