



OWEN SOUND POLICE SERVICE

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It is the policy of the Owen Sound Police Services Board with respect to communicable diseases that the Chief of Police will:

- a) Develop and maintain procedures that are consistent with the most recent edition of the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care's *Preventing and Assessing Occupational Exposures to Selected Communicable Diseases – An Information Manual for Designated Officers*;
- b) Designate and train one or more members as a Communicable Disease Coordinator(s);
- c) Ensure that each Communicable Disease Coordinator is provided with a copy of the most recent edition of the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care's *Preventing and Assessing Occupational Exposures to Selected Communicable Diseases – An Information Manual for Designated Officers*; and
- d) Work, where possible, with the local medical officer of health, to develop a post-exposure plan that addresses roles and responsibilities, reporting protocols, medical evaluation, intervention, confidentiality, access to treatments and follow-up support for workers who have suffered a high-risk occupational exposure to a communicable disease.

Chair

Date