

IV. HANDLING AND DISPOSAL OF BODILY FLUIDS-requirements found in Minnesota Statutes, section 245A.41, subdivision 2.

Surfaces that come in contact with potentially infectious bodily fluids, including blood and vomit, must be cleaned and disinfected according to Minnesota Rules, part 9503.0005, subpart 11

Surfaces contaminated with potentially infectious bodily fluids are wiped up immediately with bleach solution and disposable cloth. Also, bleach wipes can be used to wipe up spills.

Blood-contaminated material must be disposed of in a plastic bag with a secure tie, and

All blood-contaminated materials, wipes and clothes, are placed in a securely sealed zip-lock baggie and disposed of immediately.

Sharp items used for a child with special care needs must be disposed of in a “sharps container.” The sharps container must be stored out of reach of children.

Each building that Reach-Up occupies has a “sharps container.” The container is not in the classroom and also away from children.

Staff training: Newly hired and annual Orientation Powerpoint and Preservice training