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Institutional Hospital Policies

Audience	All personnel in the Pulmonary Laboratories: Pulmonary Function Clinics, and Center for Pulmonary Rehabilitation.		
Purpose	Provide evidence that Lab personnel are to follow Institutional Hospital Policies (IHOP) and Healthcare Epidemiology (HCE) policies pertinent to laboratory operations.		
Policy	Policies listed below are applicable to the operations of the laboratory.		
	<u>Policy</u>	<u>IHOP Number</u>	
	Staffing During Adverse Conditions	03.01.01	
	Latex Allergy and Sensitivity Management	9.13.17	
	Universal Precautions	HCE 1.32(Exposure Control)	
	Bloodborne Pathogens	HCE 1.32 (Exposure Control)	
	HIV, AIDS and Hepatitis B	08.01.01	
	Electrical Safety	08.01.24	
	Threatening Situations (evacuation, emergency ops) 08.02.01		
	Fire Alarm and Incident Response	08.01.05	
	Waste Disposal	08.01.06	
	Required Training for UTMB Workforce	03.05.05	
	Maintaining Patient Confidentiality through	06.02.00	
	Vaccination of Healthcare Workers to Protect	03.07.07	
	TB Surveillance Program for Healthcare Workers	08.01.02	

This form documents the approval and history of the policies and procedures for the Pulmonary Function Laboratory. The Medical Director signs all policies verifying initial approval. Annually thereafter, the Director and/or designee may approve reviews and revisions.

Date	Approved by:	Signature
11/17	A. Duarte, MD Medical Director Pulmonary Function Laboratory New policy	
9/19	A. Duarte, MD Medical Director Pulmonary Function Laboratory New policy	
11/20	A. Duarte, MD Medical Director Pulmonary Function Laboratory Updated policy	
10/21	A. Duarte, MD Medical Director Pulmonary Function Laboratory Updated policy	
8/22	A. Duarte, MD Medical Director Pulmonary Function Laboratory Changes to policy	

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No changes to policy