

641—11.11 (135) Purpose. The purpose of this rule is to describe the required content of AIDS training programs and to identify the groups of personnel involved.

11.11(1) *Nonemergency personnel.* Within six months of their initial employment, all supervisory and patient care personnel of any agency listed below shall complete a minimum of two hours of training concerning AIDS-related conditions and the prevention of HIV infection:

- a.* A licensed hospice,
- b.* A homemaker-home health aide provider agency which receives state homemaker-home health aide funds, or
- c.* An agency which provides respite care services and receives state funds for respite care services.

11.11(2) *Content.* Training programs must address the following topics:

- a.* HIV disease processes,
- b.* Signs and symptoms,
- c.* Transmission,
- d.* High-risk activities,
- e.* Prevention recommendations, and
- f.* Standard precautions as defined by the CDC and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the U.S. Department of Labor.

11.11(3) *Emergency and law enforcement personnel.* All emergency medical services personnel, firefighters, and law enforcement personnel shall complete a minimum of two hours of training concerning AIDS-related conditions and the prevention of HIV infection.

11.11(4) *Content.* Training programs must address the following topics:

- a.* HIV disease processes,
- b.* Signs and symptoms,
- c.* Transmission,
- d.* High-risk activities,
- e.* Prevention recommendations, and
- f.* Standard precautions as defined by the CDC and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the U.S. Department of Labor.

This rule is intended to implement Iowa Code section 135.11.