**Incident Type/Agent Information**

**BU Medical Campus (BUMC)**

**BU Medical Campus (CRC)**

**Charles River Campus (CRC)**

**BU Agent Incident Reporting Summary April to June 2024**

** incident Type**

- **Intact skin exposure**
- **Sharps**
- **Musculoskeletal**
- **Intact skin exposure**
- **Possible inhalation**
- **Other**
- **Intact skin exposure**
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**Report of Clinical Illness**

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**Comments/Corrective Actions**

- **Undergraduate Student**
- **Temporary Employee**
- **PhD Student**
- **Research Fellow - Tenure track**

**Employee/Student**

- **Research Fellow - Tenure track**
- **PostDoc**
- **Research Fellow - Tenure track**
- **PostDoc**
- **PhD Student**
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<th>Date</th>
<th>Incident Type</th>
<th>Location</th>
<th>Biological Hazards</th>
<th>Route of Exposure</th>
<th>Protective Equipment</th>
<th>Root Cause</th>
<th>Steps to Prevent Recurrence</th>
<th>Responsible Person</th>
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<td>CRC</td>
<td>6/13/24</td>
<td>Left thumb cut</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>Sharps No</td>
<td>L thumb cut on clear glass shard from box of test tubes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>Root cause: human error/equipment malfunction.</td>
<td>Undergraduate Student</td>
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<td>CRC</td>
<td>6/13/24</td>
<td>Splash of chemicals to left eye, face</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>Non-intact skin exposure</td>
<td>Splash of digoxigenin drops to left eye, face</td>
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<td>Root cause: Protocol design and improper equipment use.</td>
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<td>NEIDL</td>
<td>5/20/24</td>
<td>Laceration to right wrist</td>
<td>BSL-3</td>
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<td>Employee has been reminded of the cut resistant gloves available and importance of its use when performing pre decontamination procedures.</td>
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<td>NEIDL (University)</td>
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<td>Left thumb transgenic mouse bite - no hazardous biologics</td>
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<td>EHS has provided literature on appropriate rodent handling and restraint techniques.</td>
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<td>NEIDL (Clean shower)</td>
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<td>Laceration to right great toe - slipped in shower</td>
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* Indicates if incident is reportable to local, state or federal agency (e.g. Centers for Disease Control, National Institute of Health, Boston Public Health Commission, etc.)

** Campus Locations

BUHMC - Boston University Medical Center
CRC - Charles River Campus
NEIDL - National Emerging Infectious Disease Laboratories
Other - work done at collaborating laboratories.