

# TEMPLE UNIVERSITY

## ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND RADIATION SAFETY

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**TITLE:** Select Biological Agents

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The federal government (Centers for Disease Control and US Dept. of Agriculture) has mandated that training be provided to any person work with Select Biological Agents, or who may encounter a laboratory where Select Biological Agents are used.

### **Content of Training**

The topics covered in this training may include such items as:

- A. Biological Safety Program for Select Agents:**
  - 1. Individuals Responsible for the Select Biological Agents Safety Program
  - 2. Organization Chart
  - 3. Institutional Biosafety Committee (IBC)
  - 4. Environmental Health and Radiation Safety (EHRS) Department
  - 5. Authorized Select Biological Agent Users (ABU)
  - 6. Select Biological Agent Workers (BW)
- B. Biosafety Procedure:**
  - 1. Training Program
  - 2. Authorization Card
  - 3. Audit Program
  - 4. Control and Access to Select Biological Agent Area
  - 5. Waste Management
  - 6. Record of Entry and Exit to Restricted Areas
  - 7. Visitors
  - 8. Receiving Select Biological Agents
  - 9. Transfer or Shipping of Select Biological Agents
  - 10. Inventory and Accountability of Select Biological Agents
  - 11. Security of Select Biological Agents
  - 12. Notifications
  - 13. Potential Releases of SBA to Unrestricted Areas
- C. Emergency Response and Management**
- D. Forms**