



## Training Memo:

### Heartsaver Bloodborne Pathogens

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**TO:** American Heart Association BLS Training Centers and BLS Faculty

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#### Purpose

To provide information concerning Heartsaver Bloodborne Pathogens Course

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#### General

The American Heart Association developed the Heartsaver Bloodborne Pathogens Course to complement the Heartsaver course portfolio in response to an increased demand from the training network.

The Heartsaver Bloodborne Pathogens Course is designed to meet the training requirements for OSHA Bloodborne Pathogens 1910.1030 General Standards.

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#### Heartsaver Bloodborne Pathogens Requirements

##### Course Completion Requirements:

The Heartsaver Bloodborne Pathogens Course may be taught in a classroom setting or as an eLearning course. To complete the Heartsaver Bloodborne Pathogens Course, students must

1. attend and actively participate in the entire Heartsaver Bloodborne Pathogens Course or complete the eLearning course at [onlineAHA.org](http://onlineAHA.org)
  2. complete site-specific information for workplace location as required by OSHA
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#### Teaching Heartsaver Bloodborne Pathogens Course

##### Who Can Teach:

Instructors wishing to teach Heartsaver BBP must be content experts knowledgeable of Standard 1910.1030. Instructors also should have reviewed the Heartsaver BBP student and instructor materials and/or taken the online course. BBP instructors do not have to be AHA instructors.

##### Materials For Teaching:

Heartsaver Bloodborne Pathogens materials for the classroom course are available from all AHA distributors. For the eLearning course go to [onlineAHA.org](http://onlineAHA.org).

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