THIS DOCUMENT INCLUDES IMPORTANT LINKS TO INFORMATION FOR RECREATIONAL CAMPS

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (MDPH) has created this resource document to provide all stakeholders with easy access to relevant information associated with Recreational Camps for Children and compliance with 105 CMR 430.000: Minimum Standards for Recreational Camps for Children (State Sanitary Code, Chapter IV). It contains topic summaries with associated webpage links for related material based on the list of topics below. This is not a comprehensive list, but designed to assist those looking for additional information on relevant camp topics.

• MEDICAL SAFETY

- o Epinephrine Auto-Injector Guidance
- Concussion Awa Tf oW*nETQ/F3 11 Tion Awa Tf oW*nETQ/F3 11 Tion Awa Tion -510. n421784(

o Medical & Biological Waste Management

Medical Safety:

• Epinephrine Auto-Injector Guidance:

Epinephrine auto-injector systems are used to deliver epinephrine through a syringe. The

 $\frac{http://www.mass.gov/eea/docs/dep/recycle/laws/epi}{fax.pdf}$

http://www.mass.gov/eohhs/docs/dph/com-health/school/epi-administration-reporting.pdf

• Heads Up (Concussion Awareness):

delivered within a collaborative multiagency system.

http://www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/dph/programs/id/tb/

• West Nile Virus (WNV) and Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE):

West Nile Virus (WNV) and Eastern Equine

can cause illness ranging from a mild fever to more serious disease like encephalitis or meningitis. They are spread to people through the bite of an infected mosquito. There are no specific treatments for either virus, but steps can be taken to protect from illness.

 $\frac{http://www.mass.gov/eohhs/docs/dph/cdc/factsheets}{/wnv.pdf}$

http://www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/dph/programs/id/epidemiology/providers/public-health-cdc-arbovirus-info.html

Outdoor Safety:

• Bats:

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For More Information

If you would like a copy of the state regulations or additional information concerning recreational camps for children, please visit www.mass.gov/dph/dcs or call the Massachusetts Department of Public Health Bureau -624-



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