PATHOGEN SAFETY DATA SHEET

Adenovirus

CHARACTERISTICS	
Morphology	Member of the Adenoviridae family, non-enveloped double- stranded DNA virus
	Typically, self-limiting mild respiratory illness. Also childhood febrile illness and pharyngoconjunctival fever, Pneumonia, and other acute respiratory illnesses, Pertussis-like illness, Conjunctivitis, Upper
Disease	respiratory illness, and hepatitis.
Zoonosis	None.

HEALTH HAZARDS	
Host Range	Humans.
	Respiratory and fecal-oral routes. Infection can also
Modes of	spread through contaminated fomites, fingers,
Transmission	ophthalmic solutions, and airborne particulates.
Signs and	
Symptoms	Fever, nasal congestion, coryza, and pharyngitis.
	Inhalation of as few as 5 adenovirus particles can cause
Infectious Dose	disease in susceptible individuals.
Incubation Period	Approximately 2 to 14 days.

MEDICAL PRECAUTIONS/TREATMENT	
Prophylaxis	None available.
Vaccines	None available.
Treatment	Cidofovir has been reported to be effective, but no controlled trails have been performed.
Surveillance	Monitor for symptoms.
MSU Requirements	Report any exposures

LABORATORY HAZARDS	
Laboratory	
Acquired Infections	10 cases of laboratory acquired infections have
(LAIs)	occurred up to 2006.
	Cultures, frozen stocks, other samples described in
Sources	IBC protocol.

SUPPLEMENTAL REFERENCES	
	http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/lab-bio/res/psds-
Canadian MSDS:	ftss/index-eng.php
BMBL	https://www.cdc.gov/labs/BMBL.html
CDC	https://www.cdc.gov/adenovirus/index.html
	https://osp.od.nih.gov/wp-
NIH Guidelines	content/uploads/NIH Guidelines.pdf

RISK GROUP & CONTAINMENT REQUIREMENTS	
	Agents that are associated with human disease
	which is rarely serious and for which preventive or
Risk Group 2	therapeutic interventions are often available.
	For all procedures involving suspected or known
BSL2	infectious specimen or cultures.
	For all procedures involving animals infected with
ABSL2	Adenovirus.

SPILL PROCEDURES	
Small	Notify others working in the lab. Remove PPE and don new PPE. Cover area of the spill with absorbent material and add fresh 1:10 bleach:water. Allow 20 minutes of contact time. After 20 minutes, cleanup and dispose of materials.
	 Immediately notify all personnel in the lab and clear all personnel from the area. Remove any contaminated PPE/clothing and leave the lab. Secure the area by locking doors, posting signage and guarding the area to keep people out of the space. For assistance, contact MSU's Biosafety Officer (406-994-6733) or Safety and Risk Management (406-994-
Large	 contaminated PPE/clothing and leave the Secure the area by locking doors, posting and guarding the area to keep people of space. For assistance, contact MSU's Biosafety O

EXPOSURE PROCEDURES	
	Flush eyes, mouth, or nose for 5 minutes at eyewash
Mucous membrane	station.
Other Exposures	Wash area with soap and water for 5 minutes.
	Immediately report incident to supervisor, complete
	a First Report of Injury form, and submit to Safety
Reporting	and Risk Management.
	During business hours:
	Bridger Occupational Health 3406 Laramie Drive
	Weekdays 8am -6pm. Weekends 9am-5pm
	After business hours:
	Bozeman Deaconess Hospital Emergency Room
Medical Follow-up	915 Highland Blvd

VIABILITY	
	1:5 dilution of bleach, accelerated hydrogen
	peroxide, or with 70% alcohol. Other disinfectants
Disinfection	outlined by the EPA.
	Inactivated by moist heat (15 minutes at 121°C) and
Inactivation	dry heat (56°C for 30 minutes).
	Stable at 36°C for a week, several weeks at room
	temperature, several months at 4°C, and 7 days to 3
Survival Outside Host	months on dry surfaces.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)	
Minimum PPE Requirements	Lab coat, disposable gloves, safety glasses, closed toed shoes, long pants
Additional Precautions	Additional PPE may be required depending on lab specific SOPs and IBC Protocol.