

Good Clean Body Art

AS A TATTOOIST YOUR ABILITY TO CREATE BODY ART IS AN AMAZING SKILL, BUT TAKE CARE, YOU COULD BE EXPOSED TO SOMETHING JUST AS PERMANENT — HEPATITIS B & C OR HIV

IF ANOTHER PERSON'S BLOOD GETS

- On your skin – wash well with soap & water
- In your eyes – rinse well with water
- In your mouth – spit out & rinse well with water

IF STUCK BY A NEEDLE

- Allow wound to bleed freely, wash with soap & water, dry & cover
- Go to your doctor or hospital ASAP

CHANGE GLOVES OFTEN

- Long use, a tight fit, use of oil based products & your equipment damage gloves
- Damaged gloves allow dyes, germs & blood to come in contact with your skin

REDUCE YOUR RISK

- Get vaccinated for Hepatitis B
- Treat all clients as potentially infectious
- Wash hands after removing gloves
- Cover exposed cuts or wounds



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