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Mechanical Stud and Clasp Ear Piercing Notification

Completion of this form will constitute compliance with the Assembly Bill 300, Safe Body Art Act, Article 7, Sections 119325, 119326 and 119327 relating to ear piercing with a single use pre-sterilized Mechanical Stud and Clasp. It is not intended to nor does it fulfill any requirements for any other activity including Registered Body Art Practitioners or Facilities as set forth in Sections 119300 through 119324 of the California Safe Body Art Act.

Please see reverse side for sanitation, jewelry, practitioner, and notification requirements. Owner(s) Name(s): ____ Mailing Address: _____ Business Phone: Other Phone: Fax: Business Name (DBA):_____ List addresses of all business locations within Shasta County that you will be operating AND the contact name and phone number for the person responsible for compliance at each location. Attach additional sheets as needed. Location #1 Phone: Contact Location #2 Contact Phone: Location #3 Phone: The Mechanical Stud and Clasp Ear Piercing will be conducted in compliance with requirements of Article 7 of the Safe Body Art Act. Please advise the Shasta County Environmental Health Division of any changes in business activity, owner name, mailing or business address, or contact information for responsible party or parties. Signature(s) Print Name & Title Date

The following is a summary of pertinent sections of the California Safe Body Art Act for Mechanical Stud and Clasp Ear Piercing facilities. Please note these sections are applicable ONLY for piercing ears with a single-use, pre-sterilized stud and clasp device. Piercing of any other part of the body and/or using any other type of manual or automatic device requires additional practitioner registration and facility permit requirements not contained in this Notification Form.

Assembly Bill 300, Safe Body Art Act, Article 7, Sections 119325, 119326, & 119327 (excerpted)

Section 119325

- (b) The area within a facility where mechanical stud and clasp ear piercing is conducted shall be safe and sanitary and shall not constitute a threat to the public health and safety, as reasonably determined by the local enforcement agency.
- (c) Mechanical stud and clasp device shall be single-use, pre-sterilized, stud and clasp only.
- (d) The single-use stud and clasp device used to pierce an ear pursuant to this article shall meet all of the jewelry requirements in subdivisions (a) and (b) of Section 119310.

Section 119310

- (a) Jewelry shall be sterilized or purchased pre-sterilized. Sterilized jewelry packs shall be evaluated before use and, if the integrity of the pack is compromised, including but not limited to, being torn, wet, or punctured, the pack shall be discarded or reprocessed before use.
- (b) Jewelry must meet the following standards, or made of other materials found to be equally biocompatible:
 - ASTM F138, ISO 5832-1, and AISI 316L or AISI 316LVM implant grade stainless steel
 - Solid 14-karat through 18-karat yellow or white gold
 - Niobium, ASTM F 136 6A4V titanium, platinum

Section 119326

- (a) The local enforcement agency may require a facility that provides mechanical stud and clasp ear piercing services to submit a notification form (provided by agency) including:
 - (1) The address of all facilities where service will be performed...
 - (2) A statement that the mechanical stud and clasp ear piercing will be conducted in compliance with the requirements of this article.
 - (3) The contact information for the person responsible for compliance with this article...

Section 119327

- (a) A person piercing an ear with a mechanical stud and clasp piercing device shall meet the following requirements before providing the mechanical stud and clasp piercing services:
 - (1) Is at least 18 years of age.
 - (2) Received one hour of training that covers all of the following topics:
 - (A) Proper use of the mechanical stud and clasp device.
 - (B) Types of bloodborne pathogens and the prevention of the transmission of bloodborne communicable diseases.
 - (C) Proper hand hygiene.
 - (D) The safe and sanitary use of single-use equipment, including, but not limited to, gloves, towels, and disinfectant wipes.
 - (3) If the person will also be piercing the cartilage of the upper ear, that person shall also receive training on proper techniques for this type of piercing.