

Sharps Injury Log

Establishment Name _____ Year _____

Date	Type of Device	Brand Name	Where Did Injury Occur?	Brief Description

29 CFR 1910.1030, OSHA's Bloodborne Pathogens Standard, in paragraph (h)(5), requires an employer to establish and maintain a Sharps Injury Log for recording all percutaneous injuries in a facility occurring from contaminated sharps. The purpose of the Log is to aid in the evaluation of devices being used in healthcare and other facilities and to identify problem devices or procedures requiring additional attention or review. This log must be kept in addition to the injury and illness log required by 29 CFR 1904. The Sharps Injury Log should include all sharps injuries occurring in a calendar year. The log must be retained for 5 years following the end of the year to which it relates. The Log must be kept in a manner that preserves the confidentiality of the affected employee.