

MOBILE DIABETES CENTER POLICY AND PROCEDURE

**SUBJECT: EATING, DRINKING AND PERSONAL CARE GUIDELINES –
STUDENT/FACULTY/HEALTHCARE PERSONNEL**

EFFECTIVE DATE: 3/11

REVIEWED/REVISED DATE: 5/12, 7/14, 7/15, 1/16, 1/17, 3/18, 9/20

PURPOSE: To prevent and/or control transmission of infectious diseases.

POLICY STATEMENT:

Restrictions apply to areas within the Mobile Diabetes Center and outside the Mobile Diabetes Center where the likelihood of occupational exposures might occur.

PROCEDURE:

1. Mobile Diabetes Personnel are prohibited to eat, drink, apply facial make-up, lip balm, or handle contact lenses in areas where exposure to blood/body fluids might occur.
Areas may include, but are not limited to:
 - a. Direct client care areas.
 - b. Invasive procedure (i.e. Blood glucose or cholesterol) screening locations
2. Food and drink shall not be kept in refrigerators, freezers, shelves, cabinets, or on counter tops or bench tops where blood or other potentially infectious materials are present.