

SECTION: ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

POLICY #: 514b INSPECTING TANNING FACILITIES

POLICY: Central Valley Health District has a Memorandum of Understanding with the Division of Food and Lodging of the North Dakota Department of Health that includes the licensing and inspecting of Tanning Facilities. Central Valley Health District has adopted by reference the following:

- North Dakota Century Code chapter 23-39
- North Dakota Administrative Code article 33-42 pertaining to tanning facilities.

Except that “Department” shall mean Central Valley Health District (CVHD).

PROCEDURE:

1. All Tanning Facility information is maintained in the EH Electronic Records. This includes facility address, owner, billing, and licensure information.
2. Logs are kept of previous facility inspections, including dates. These records are used to determine the inspection schedule. Inspection frequency should be based on measure of risk, complaints, previous violations, or at indicated intervals for routine inspections.
3. Select the facility to be inspected. Review pertinent information. Upon arrival at the facility, identify yourself to owner, manager or person-in-charge.
4. Conduct inspection to determine compliance with health standards using the Tanning Inspection Form.
 - a. Utilize proper equipment to aid in the inspection process.
 - b. During the inspection focus on factors involved in infection and the transmission of disease such as with tanning bed sanitation between clients, personal hygiene, sanitizing equipment, aftercare instructions and proper disposal of hazardous waste.
5. Immediate Closure of facility will be pursued under the following conditions:
 - a. The facility does not have a current license
 - b. Immediate health and safety hazard observed
6. Discuss violations with management or person-in-charge and indicate corrective procedures and time of correction, if necessary.
 - a. Provide a copy of the completed inspection to the facility.
 - b. Update any facility information in EH Electronic Records.
 - c. Notify of any updates to the Tanning Facility Requirements. The requirements are available on CVHD’s website.
www.centralvalleyhealth.org/EHSubpages/Tanning.html
7. Re-inspection shall follow Policy 518b. Follow the above listed procedure for any re-inspection.