

Biohazardous Agents

If you are working with BSL-2 or 3 biohazardous agents you MUST have APB approval. BSL-1 agents are exempt, and Stanford University does not allow work with BSL-4.

Once an application has been submitted, the APB will determine the final BSL based on a risk analysis of the project.

Listings of agents and their associated biosafety level can be found at the following sites:

<http://www.cdc.gov/od/ohs/biosfty/bmb15/bmb15toc.htm>

<http://www.absa.org/riskgroups/index.html>

<http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/msds-ftss/index-eng.php>

http://www.stanford.edu/dept/EHS/prod/researchlab/bio/Biosafety_Manual/Biosafety_Manual_complete.pdf