PROCEDURES FOR REPORTING WORK-RELATED INJURY/ILLNESS

NON-EMERGENCY PROCEDURES TO FOLLOW FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT:

- 1. Notify your manager/supervisor immediately of any work-related injury or illness.
- 2. You do not have to seek medical care immediately but you must report the incident to your supervisor and to AmeriSys so there will be a record of the injury if treatment is required at a later date.
- 3. Complete the *Online Consolidated Injury/Illness Reporting Form* (Workers' Compensation webpage)
- 4. Except in cases of emergency, the injured or ill employee must be present with the manager/supervisor when the injury or illness is reported.
- 5. Have the completed Online Consolidated Injury/Illness Reporting Form and the following information ready when you call AmeriSys (1-800-455-2079) to report an injury/illness:
 - Injured/ill employee's home address and home telephone number.
 - Injured/ill employee's date of birth and social security number.
 - Injured/ill employee's date of employment and salary.
 - USF four digit salary Code: 0297 if employee is paid from the auxiliary account or 0298 if paid from the VA or Research Initiative account
- 6. Once AmeriSys has taken the required information from you over the telephone, the intake specialist will assess the employee's medical needs and refer the injured/ill employee to a medical facility as appropriate.
- 7. Within 24 hours of the injury/illness occurring the manager/supervisor must follow-up by completing the Online Consolidated Injury/Illness Reporting Form. For questions on how to report a work related injury or other workers' compensation issues contact ehs@usf.edu.
- 8. An AmeriSys case manager will obtain the results of the initial medical visit including diagnosis, treatment plan and any injury or illness related restrictions. This information will be provided to the supervisor immediately after the initial medical visit. Be prepared to speak with the case manager regarding return to work restrictions.

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES TO FOLLOW FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT:

- 1. Call 911 or go directly to an emergency room. A 911 call placed from a university telephone line will generate an automatic response from the university police.
- 2. Depending upon the nature of the emergency, either request an ambulance when calling 911, or ask for help from a supervisor/co-worker for transport to an emergency room.
- 3. Ensure that the emergency room is aware that the injury is due to a work-related incident. Worker's Compensation coverage is provided by AmeriSys and they can be contacted 24/7 at 1-800-455-2079.
- 4. Manager/supervisor reports the incident to AmeriSys (1-800-455-2079) as soon as practical.
- 5. Have the completed Consolidated Injury/Illness Reporting Form and all the information described in item #5 above ready when you call AmeriSys (1-800-455-2079) to report the injury/illness.

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EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE PROVIDERS

Hillsborough County

Emergency: Advent Health Tampa @ 813-971-6000

3100 E. Fletcher Avenue

Tampa, FL 33613

Pinellas County

Bayfront Medical Center @ 727-823-1234 Emergency:

> 701 66th Street South St. Petersburg, FL 33701